Probabilities

Lower lake region: Fresh to strong winds and cold today and Friday with light snowfall or flurries and some drifting. Saturday, generally rain and cold.

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Temperatures

	Max.	Min.
Today	18	1 below
One Year Ago	29	zero
Weather—Fair.		

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39 MILES FROM BERLIN

See General Action In West Against Siegfried Line

Silence of Big Nazi Guns May Indicate Withdrawal

Paris, Feb. 1 —(AP)— United States patrols broke into the first ramparts of the Siegfried Line today 12 miles northeast of Monschau, and found only a flicker of life in Germany's concrete western defenses.

Paris, Feb. 1.—(CP)—The United States 1st Army advanced within plain sight of the strangely silent Siegfried Line on a broad front today amid growing indications that the Germans are withdrawn farther back.

Overnight advances generally reached four miles deeper into Germany, Village after village fell. Patrols entered the fringes of the Siegfried Line in the Monschau sector, where a whole three-mile section was captured earlier in the week. United States 3rd Army infantrymen seized four more Germany towns.

These advances came as headquarters reported the action on the 1st Canadian Army front in Holland was Canadian reversal of a threat to their operations by wiping out the big German bridgehead south of the Maas river, Today's communique said the Germans had been cleared "from the island of Kapelscheerse in the river Maas, south of Gennep, after hard and heavy and prolonged fighting."

An area almost covered six big Nazi guns in the Siegfried Lines, the southeastern sector of both the 1st and 3rd armies laid a barrage on all fortifications and on the 3-mile sector opposite Belgium and Luxembourg. The heaviest enemy resistance was limited to scattered small arms and accurate mortar screening, where frankly were amazed at the complete lack of artillery and, in most cases, the enemy's reluctance to stand and fight.

The French 1st Army fought into Hartzburg, eastern suburb of Colmar, in the smoking pocket south of Strasbourg. The Poilus captured seven towns, including Cernay, only a mile from the Rhine. They crossed the Rhine-Rhone canal and took Obenheim, 15 miles south of Strasbourg.

The United States 3rd Army pressed its main forces into Germany on the edges of the Siegfried Line east of the Our river, Ingeslieid, Irrem, Winterscheid and Manderfeld — all in Germany and southeast of St. Vith — were captured. Other gains averaging two miles despite thick small-arms fire, mud, and a cold slush. The assault carried to within two miles of the edge of the strongest Siegfried Line battlem Deep inside German Lines.

(The German communique said the United States 1st and 3rd armies had launched "deep attacks on main lines" on the entire front between Monschau and Echternach. The attacks were claimed halted in fierce fighting. German counter-east and northeast of Colmar were satisfied.

The United States 1st Army alone captured 1,332 prisoners in the 24 hours that ended at 8 a.m. (est haul since Jan. 3. That was a communique of German origin.

"The absence of strong German reaction against the Canadians that the Germans have jerked everything they had," Ed Ball, an Associated Press war correspondent reported from the 1st Army sector.

Nazis Holding Near Strasbourg Begin to Withdraw

The German cross-Rhine holdings north and south of Strasbourg also began to collapse, reflecting a weakening of the enemy along the whole western front.

TAKE 2 MORE GENERAL

Allied planes spotted heavy German rail movements eastward from Karlsruhe and Mannheim and through Heilbronn, indicating a further thinning of German defences. Roads north of Wissembourg, above the U.S. 7th Army front, were jammed.

The Colmar pocket was steadily being reduced from both north and south. Colmar itself was outflanked and French patrols reported they were close to the Colmar-Breisach road leading to the only permanent Rhine bridge standing in the Strasbourg sector. Street fighting progressed in Cernay, Whitlesheim fell, Cambsheim and Bettenhofen, north of Strasbourg, were captured and the Allies moved to within two miles of the river.

It was certain that the thin-out had weakened Field Marshal Von Rundstedt's whole position west of the Rhine so he could not hold what he had hitherto put in recent attempts to keep the initiative. Now it is a question whether the Germans, literally, will be able to save anything west of the Rhine in the sectors of the main Allied attack. It was said at supreme headquarters.

Allied Attack All Along

At 21st Army group headquarters in the north, a spokesman said the battle has changed into a general attack all along the western front toward the Siegfried Line. He expressed doubt, however, that the Germans would yield the fortifications without a hard fight. A 35-mile section of the line has been captured by American arms along the Roer River north of the Monschau area.

Seven United States 1st army divisions smote the west wall from positions mostly inside Germany. Four or more 3rd army divisions were either in the line or inside the Our River bridgehead southeast of St. Vith and along the German-Luxemburg border.

A considerable change to milder temperatures and steadily falling rain washed away the deep snows here and left only white patches on a black background, which two days ago covered the lanes of roads became double ruts.

Despite these weather handicaps which impeded supply and checked the use of armor, the grounded 62nd airborne division advanced in the center of the German border through the Gerolstein forest, 12 miles northeast of St. Vith.

The 2nd division advanced a mile beyond Rockerath in the Monschau forest and the 99th and 102nd divisions pushed two miles ahead without resistance in sight of the Siegfried defences.

In the American attack on the Siegfried Line yesterday, infantrymen cleared a two-mile stretch of the Siegfried Line fortifications in the southern end of the Aachen gap and, united across the Reich on four new places, virtually wiping out the last German foothold on Belgian soil.

It was estimated that in the Colmar area Allied troops have killed at least 5,000 German troops and taken 2,000 prisoners in the past week.

French troops apparently set up the Colmar pocket for the kill by punching to points where they could straddle the main highway connecting the city with the Rhine Rhine bridge at Breisach.)

Canadians Use Canoes on Maas R., Finish Fight in Infantry Role

By DOUGLAS AMARON
(CP War Correspondent)

With the 1st Canadian Army in Holland, Feb. 1 (CP Cable) — White-cloaked Canadian infantrymen in canoes and assault boats paddled down the Maas River in an attempt to cut off the enemy during the first day of the five-day attack on the German bridgehead south of the river at Venlo-Blerick, in Holland.

The bitter attack ended early Wednesday with the liquidation of the enemy forces which held the island position 12 miles north and slightly west of Tilburg.

Canadians waited for the job and trained for two weeks in advance. The Canadians were given the Pill Winkinson of St. Catharines, Ont. Lumbermen said the paddlers came under fire from both sides of the Maas but there were not many casualties.

"It was getting pretty hot," he said, when they went ashore only a few hundred yards from a machine-gun post which opened fire. They overpowered the crew of three, their weapons were frozen with ice so they made their way back to the Canadian positions, wading sometimes through waist-deep water.

Cpl. Gordon Flewelling of St. Catharines and the mother Hardy of Winnipeg met five paratroopers laying mines and dispersed them with the fire. The Germans came back an hour later and again battalion signallers running lines up to command post, and the men went back to work.

The signallers cursed the German mortar fire which cut their lines several times but the mortar fire compared with the pounding the Canadians had received in Italy and gave the Germans.

"It's a wonder the island wasn't blown right to Flewelling.

One of the prisoners captured the first day of the attack was a prize-looking character in his early 20s. Where the Germans had time to get the people westward and to the Baltic.

Where they have had time, the Germans have done a good scorched-earth job, the refugees stated. Dispatches say smoke still rises from the wrecked cities.

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"We encountered old men and young women," the correspondent says, "the correspondent says, "the old women dragging children and a woman was crying and kept pointing to her bled and sobbing. A baby was wrapped in a heavy blanket."

'Ollie' McLaughlin, Formerly of 'CP' Severely Wounded

Toronto, Feb. 1 (CP) — Pte. Oliver McLaughlin, 36, for merchant of The Canadian Press traffic staff in Toronto, Windsor and London, has been severely wounded while serving in Holland, his wife was advised today. McLaughlin, a member of the CP staff since 1921, for years travelled throughout Ontario maintaining fellstype equipment in daily newspapers.

"Ollie" is well known to the staff of the Ontario Intelligencer. During his periodical visits to this newspaper he made many friends with his jovial disposition and pleasing personality. His co-operation with the mechanical staff here left nothing to be desired, and the staff of this newspaper joins with those of other dailies which he "covered" in wishing for a speedy and complete recovery.

SOCIAL MEASURES FEATURE SPEECH FROM THRONE

Parliament Prorogued Until Feb. 28th; No Hint Given On Election Prospects

Ottawa, Feb. 1 (CP) — The fifth session of Canada's 19th Parliament now is prorogued until Feb. 28, with little doubt in the minds of many who attended yesterday's brief prorogation ceremony if they would be summoned to Ottawa before a general election is held.

The date of Feb. 28 — regarded as a mere formality — was announced in the Senate Chamber by Mr. Justice Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as deputy to Governor-General Viscount The Throne Speech.

A further session could be called either before or after Feb. 28 but Prime Minister Mackenzie King's statement early in the week that a general election will be called before the life of the present parliament expired April 17 made it clear that a new session is called is not necessarily be a short one.

Mentioning of the date on which the session was prorogued started a new wave of speculation on the likelihood of an election.

Few Distant Members

Members of both the Commons and Senate who attended the prorogation came largely from Ontario and Quebec constituencies. Most of those from more distant points had left Ottawa before the word they knew would be only a brief ceremony.

The 2,500-word Throne Speech dwelt on war developments and international relations with particular emphasis on social measures — passed or likely to be passed — in the defeat of Germany and concentration of Allied power against Japan before election of Hitler, but it also gave a stern warning that the last phase of the war in Europe might prove the most costly.

Members of the two Houses—the Senators at their desks in the Red Chamber and the members of the Commons standing at the rear of the Chamber as well as spectators in the gallery followed the words of the Chief Justice closely. There had been speculation on the Throne Speech might hold some hint of the prospects of an election.

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HOPES FOR McNAUGHTON WIN

Hamilton, Feb. 1 — (CP)—Mitchell Hepburn, Liberal leader in the Ontario Legislature, last night expressed the hope that Defence Minister McNaughton would defeat the Grey North by-election "in the interests of national unity."

JAP ESCAPE ROUTE FROM MANDALAY IS THREATENED

Kangaw is Captured by British and Empire Troops

Kandy, Ceylon, Feb. 1 — (CP) British and Empire troops edged closer to Mandalay today, threatening to close the Japanese escape route southwestward from Burma's second city.

Kangaw, important town dominating the Dalingdin creek, was captured Jan. 30, headquarters disclosed. It is considered the key to the concentration of artillery in this section and are counter-attacking through heavy loans, a communique said.

Further to the north, West African troops approached Monywa, 40 miles northwest of Mandalay.

British, Indian and West African troops of the 15th Indian Corps drove the Japanese out of Kangaw.

"Troops of the 81st West African division who were fighting astride the ancient Arakan capital, three days ago, made a 20-mile advance to reach Spontin, southeast of Myochaung. They were also closing in on Minbya, another Arakan stronghold, eight miles to the east.

The 14th Army has made further progress in sweeping up the Japanese north of the Irrawaddy-but was meeting stubborn resistance in the Kyaukse, 13 miles west of Mandalay, where the Japanese must be mopped up before the final assault on the city can begin.

Cold Silence Marks Relations of Russians And German People

By EDDY GILMORE
(AP Correspondent)

Moscow, Feb. 1 — (AP) — The Red Army and German people, relation, as well as can be learned, are getting along in cold silence in the huge area of Eastern Germany ruled by the advancing Russians.

Without exception, every account of Russian officers or soldiers meeting civilians has told the same story: the Russians are showing fawning attitude of the Germans which the Russians have met with silence.

All of the dispatches say the German high command ordered the civilians to evacuate before the Russians arrived, but the Nazis left in some sectors the Red Army has not met a single human being for miles.

Great desolate areas have been encountered especially in the eastermost sectors of East Prussia, where the Germans had time to get the people westward and to the Baltic.

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REEVE C. LONEY IS VICTIM OF SHOTGUN ATTACK

Police Seek Returned Soldier Following Wounding of Carlow Twp. Official

Bancroft, Feb. 1—(Special to the Ontario Intelligencer)—Provincial Police today are scouring the countryside east of here and Stirling for Reeve Douglas, returned soldier from the Italian war front who resides at Fort Stewart, 20 miles east of here, who is wanted for questioning in the shooting of Cecil Loney, reeve of Carlow township, at the latter's home early Thursday morning.

Loney is in Bancroft hospital as the result of a shotgun wound received in the right thigh from a gun allegedly fired by Douglas. Provincial Constables C. W. Palmateer of Bancroft, J. J. Hatch of Madoc, and Lindsay Ellis of the Ontario district headquarters in Belleville, are conducting the search for Douglas.

According to reports from Fort Stewart, Douglas, it is alleged, discharged war veteran, entered the Loney home early in the morning Wednesday and after threatening Reeve Loney's alleged to have shot him in the right leg. He later disappeared and Dr. Anderson of Fort Stewart was summoned to attend to the wounded man. Later it is said Douglas returned to the Loney home, but was not carrying a gun. His time he was followed by his wife, who is at present with occupants that her husband was considering a bullet.

Douglas was restrained, reports say, from any further attack when his wife and Dr. Anderson finally relieved him of the concealed knife, it is believed here.

He then escaped and disappeared under the cover of darkness. No reason for the attack was given by police, who refrained from commenting until after Douglas had been captured. Inspector Harry Storey of Provincial Police Headquarters in Belleville, explained, however, that his office in the County Court House, Crown Attorney H. G. Donnan announced that Douglas would be charged accordingly, who had been wounded in the Italian campaign while serving with the Canadian troops. Mr. Donnan added no specific charges had been laid as yet. "We have ordered investigating police to escort Douglas to Kingston when he is apprehended," he added.

At noon today Mr. Loney was admitted to the Bancroft Hospital, where his condition was reported to be quite favorable. The discharge of shotgun pellets entered the right thigh at an angle to avoid serious injury to the abdomen.

Following several years on the Carlow township council, Mr. Loney was elected reeve by acclamation as reeve of the township this winter.

The wanted man is married with one child and was only recently returned from overseas.

Russian Church Congress Offers Prayer, Praise

Moscow, Feb. 1 — (AP) — The First Congress of the Russian Orthodox Church since the Revolution opened yesterday amid prayers for peace and victory and praise for Premier Joseph Stalin's decree that banished Ecclesiastics from all over the world gathered in Moscow's Metropolitan Palace for a Reverence-tion to name a new Patriarch.

1,200 to 1,500 Hostages Executed by F.L.A.S. Says Army Captain

London, Feb. 1 — (CP). The British government last night published documents concerning treatment of hostages by Greek E.L.A.S. forces, one signed by a British Army captain as saying that, "In all, 1,200 to 1,500 people were executed, mostly with knives or axes."

SAY BOY OF 11 CAUGHT TRYING TO 'BOOTLEG'

North Bay, Feb. 1 — (CP)—Police reported an 11-year-old North Bay youth was apprehended while attempting to "bootleg" a bottle of wine. Where he got the bottle remained a mystery for no person has as yet reported its loss.

Zhukov Masses Infantry And Tanks for Quick Drive At City's Greatest Defences

Germans Make Frantic Efforts To Hold Southern Sector

By JAMES F. KING, ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFF WRITER)

London, Feb. 1 —(AP)— The Russians with their fast-paced tanks and infantry were massing to the banks of the Oder northwest of Kustrin at a point about 39 miles or less from Berlin, the German High Command announced today.

It was possible that the Russians were even closer than 39 miles for the German communique did not give the exact location of the penetration to the river. The Oder swings to within 26 miles of Berlin northwest of Kustrin. But immediately northwest of Kustrin it is 39 miles from the Reich capital, and it seemed more likely that a point in the Kustrin vicinity was meant.

70-Mile Front

The eastern edge of Kustrin itself, one of the chief defences of the German citadel, was reached by the swift Soviet punches rapidly-gauged over the first of war to be fought on the Reich, said German broadcasts.

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The Russians quoted German prisoners as saying large elements of the German air force had been shipped from the Western front to the Reich, said German broadcasts.

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513 White Prisoners Rescued From Japs on Luzon in Daring Raid

By C. YATES McDANIEL

Southwest Pacific Advance Command, Feb. 1 — (AP) — Men of Gen. Korregidor and Singapore—513 of them — were snatched from the Japs Tuesday night, and the Japanese guns Tuesday night, and Filipino guerrillas and of the United States 6th Ranger Battalion and Filipino guerrilla made a Cleopatra's Needle of Japanese Jungle Japanese lines to empty a prison camp.

They took the Japanese guards by surprise and rescued 486 American, 23 British, three Netherlands and one Norwegian — all that were left in the prison camp in Nueva Ecija province of Eastern Luzon.

Many more hundreds of more fighting men had been moved out to sent to work camps in Japan. Hundreds of others had died.

All but two of the men were brought out alive by the raiders who stormed into the prison stockade under command of Lt.-Col. Henry Mucci of Bridgeport, Conn.

The Rangers attacked with such merciless precision that not one of the Japanese stockade guards was left alive or able to resist. And they attacked so swiftly that not only one of the prisoners was scratched,

Within a matter of minutes all had been released and were on their 25-mile journey to freedom, walking, carried on backs of husky Rangers or riding in carabao carts.

Nearly 100 were so weak from malnutrition, disease and threeyear-old wounds that they could not walk when they were cut loose from their prison barracks.

This first mass liberation of Allied prisoners of war in the Western Pacific was accomplished by an all night forced march east of the American lines to Cabu.

The condition of the rescued men was reported to be good. They are receiving every attention possible and are expected to improve rapidly in the coming months.

The group making the sortie struck off at night, along almost the entire return trip.

They killed 523 Japanese and destroyed 13 tanks.

The assaulting force lost 27 killed. Three others were wounded.

The Commando force struck under cover of darkness deep into Nueva Ecija province, east of the central Luzon plains where the 6th Army has made its deepest penetration.

FOUR-POWER GOVT. FOR RHINELAND MAY BE POLICY

Report Says Churchill Will Submit Plan at Coming Parley

By JOHN A. PARRIS, Jr.
(AP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 1. (AP) — Prime Minister Churchill is taking to the Big Three conference a plan for a four-power government of the German Rhineland and Ruhr, an unimpeachable source said today. The plan is understood to call for separation of the Rhineland and Ruhr from Germany and pacing them under economic and political control of Great Britain, Russia, the United States and France.

The same source also said British, Russian and United States representatives have signed "an instrument of surrender" to be presented to the Germans when they capitulate. This was signed by U.S. Ambassador John G. Winant, Sir William Strang, British Under-Secretary of State, and Feodor Gusev, Soviet Ambassador to Britain.

The document, formulated by leaders of the European Advisory Commission, is so secret only a few high officials here know of it. It lays down specific term to which Germany must conform.

The source said the Big Three also would discuss some of Germany's problems. Roosevelt was understood to have proposed last August that Germany be stripped of industry, Germany and maintain only a token force in Austria. But now it is reported the President favors having a liberal share with Russia and Britain in occupying Austria.

Five Nazi Prisoners Sentenced to Death

New York, Feb. 1 — (AP)—Newsweek magazine said in its Feb. 5 issue that five German prisoners of war have been sentenced to death by court-martial for killing a fellow prisoner at Camp Tonkawa, Okla., Nov. 3, 1945, and are awaiting "their doom in a federal penitentiary."

The five non-commissioned officers, the magazine says, "proudly admitted at their trial that they killed Cpl. Johann Kunze, who was found beaten to death with sticks and clubs.

"Under the articles of war the only choice the court had was to pronounce the death sentence, the magazine said. The Nazis appeared entirely satisfied."

Newsweek said other prisoners at the camp regarded the killers as traitors to the Reich and to the Fuehrer" and that they had been given a statement Kunze had given American army officers in confirmation they would have had no great value to the Allies in bombing Hamburg."

Coming Events

LAST CHANCE TO HEAR DAVID Ure, baritone, Bellville Hall, 8.00 p.m. Mr. Kirk will conclude No. "Messiah" with "Bethlehem," with the subject, "The Hirelings Priest." All welcome. F1

BRIDGE, FRIDAY EVENING, February 2nd, Queen Victoria School, Pine St. Auspices Women Teachers' Federation. Proceeds for British Minesweepers. 50c. Telephone 1136W. J25-F1

POXBORO CO-OPERATIVE WILL hold a meeting in Foxboro under the auspices of Melrose Farm Forum in the Town Hall, Melrose, Tuesday evening, February 6. Films of interest to farmers also shown. Everybody come. F1

BINGO. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBus regular Bingo, Thursday, 8.30 sharp. Same big prizes as we have had the past few weeks. Come and enjoy an evening of bingo in our spacious and comfortable club rooms. Regular admission 35c for 22 games. J31-F1-6,8

Zhukov Masses Infantry And Tanks for Quick Drive At City's Greatest Defences

City and District News

MAN IS REMANDED ON THEFT COUNT

Alleged to have been seen taking cash from the Rinamen Fag Fund collection box at the stamp vendor's wicket in the Bank of Nova Scotia, Belleville, was arrested on Prom. Brand by P.C. Wm. Brand, shortly after the alleged offence took place on Thursday last. And Sinner was remanded in custody at the County Jail on a charge of theft. He will appear in police court, on Friday, police authorities revealed today.

HARBOR COMMISSION DISCUSSES PLANS FOR CLEANING HARBOR

Members of the Belleville Harbor Commission convened for their first meeting of the new year Wednesday evening to further discuss program for cleaning up the harbor and for making it more presentable during the summer season. Also tending the meeting were Mayor Frank Pollwell, Harbor Commission chairman Alderman Fred Chamberlain, Dr. Cronk, Dr. Jack Marshall, W. McCreary, Engineer Clarke Mott, Messrs. Callaghan and Herb Collins.

City Engineer Mott submitted plans of the harbor with commission members deciding to prepare a brief to be presented to the Federal and Provincial governments. Program for cleaning up the harbor is still in its preliminary stages but is proceeding favorably and action in the matter is expected shortly.

BOY SCOUT FINDS WOMAN'S PURSE

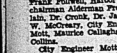
"Do a good deed every day" is the motto of the Boy Scouts, and Scout Ralph Smith, of 14 Sinclair Avenue, put into practice his Boy Scout principles, when he came upon a lady's purse on returning home from a Boy Scout meeting on Scout Cornish took the purse to the Police Station where Sergt. G. A. Arnott informed him the purse had been reported lost by Mrs. Yates, 7 Albion Street. In the purse were personal papers, identification cards and $11 in cash. Within a few minutes previous to reporting his findings here, Yates had informed police she lost her purse somewhere in the vicinity of Pine Street.

JAN. CONSTRUCTION DROPS TO LOW LEVEL

Only four building permits were issued from the city engineer's office during the month just ending, the month of January according to records of City Engineer Clarke Mott. All were for additions or alterations to the construction value totalling $3,900.

Permits issued included: to Frank Fitzgerald, bathroom at 286 John Street; to Mrs. Ethel Hall, occupation, kitchen addition at 221 Dufferin, $1,500; John R. Wyatt and Mrs. McCoy, interior alterations to apartment at 132 Church Street, $700; and to Mrs. Anderson, interior alterations to apartments 7 Victoria Avenue, $600.

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City Salvage Collection
Monday, February 5th

SALVAGE will be collected from the ENTIRE WEST SIDE OF THE CITY, including Front Street, all Streets west of the River, north to the City Limits and south to the Bay of Quinte.

PLEASE HAVE SALVAGE READY AT THE CURB FOR SPEEDY PICK-UP AT 9.00 A.M.

AND YOUR MAGAZINES TIED IN SEPARATE PARCELS AS THEY ARE TO BE GIVEN TO THE BOYS IN THE NAVY. The Government is in urgent need of Paper, Rags and Metal.

Salvage All These You Have Stored NOW.

DO NOT PUT BOTTLES, GLASS, TIN CANS, SHEET METAL OR OLD SHOES IN YOUR SALVAGE, AS THEY ARE OF NO VALUE.

C. R. CLAPP, Chairman of Salvage.

Belgian Family Sends Card Of Thankfulness

Heartfelt appreciation of the efforts of Canadian soldiers in the liberation of their country from the Nazi invaders is seen in a postcard received by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, 66 Dufferin Street, from a family residing in Ghent, Belgium.

Mrs. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, who is fighting with the Canadian forces in Belgium visited the Belgian family and was accorded a fine reception. The postcard to Mr. and Mrs. Smith speaks for itself. It follows:

"Dear Sir and Madame;-

Although unknown to you I allow myself to send you these few lines. We have had a visit of your son Mac Smith and his brother-in-arms Alex. Smith. Just think of the honor and the pleasure it has been for my wife and myself to let them enjoy a few days of homely life, far away from the battle holes.

I can assure you, dear Sir and Madame, that your son is in perfect health and has a good conduct while he is a distinct friend to him. We do regret very much his stay at our house has been only for the days from the 10th of November, but when duty called, say-ing good-bye was as if one of our own sons was leaving for the front.

We assured both that our house would always be theirs, believe us dear friends; if you will allow us to call you that. This cannot efface the debt we thank our liberators for freeing us from four-and-a-half years of occupation by the German Nazi beasts.

Please believe us, dear friends.

Respectfully yours,
Mr. and Mrs. de Meyer De Gruese,
25 25 Gruesenlaan,
Ghent, Belgium."

Memorandum Outlines Basis for Distribution Of Grants to Schools

In a memorandum for the secretaries of Public School Boards throughout the province Premier George A. Drew, Minister of Education, recently outlined the new basis for computation of grants payable under the legislative grants to boards of trustees. A copy received by Mr. L. A. Reid, secretary of the Belleville Board of Education, in which Premier Drew pointed out that the 1946 Ontario grants to school trustees will amount to at least fifty percent of the gross operation of elementary and secondary education in Ontario.

In providing for these increased grants, the government has recognized two principal educational costs should be borne as equitably as possible by all ratepayers in the province; and secondly—that as far as possible all pupils should have equal educational opportunities.

The memorandum specifically pointed out that the increased grants are designed mainly to relieve the heavy taxation on real property for school purposes. The Minister of Education and Boards of Trustees should exert every effort to avoid any further increase in the maintenance costs of the school operation and thus assist in keeping the general tax rate down.

Police Blotter

Only a short time after a robbery had been reported to city police on Wednesday morning, Inspector Ross apprehended Joseph Sloan, 22-year-old Arkville Naven of Napanee, on charges of breaking, entering and theft. Naven is charged with entering a storehouse, the property of Maurice Callaghan, situated on South John Street, and stealing a .22 calibre rifle and a number 50 boxes of shells. Police reported today that they had recovered the missing articles. Naven is being held on remand until Friday.

Trenton police reported the theft of a 1934 model Ford coach early today. The vehicle was carrying a new 1946 licence plate number 661240 when stolen.

Otherwise in police circles an inebriate and a trespasser 50 shared the cell block last night with both being liberated at the break of dawn. The former will return to face an L.C.A. charge, Friday, however.

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Obituary

MRS. SARAH HELEN LASZER (Tyendinaga Township)

Mrs. Sarah Helen Lazer, a life long resident of the Shannonville District, died at her home on Lot 2nd. concession of Tyendinaga Township, Wednesday, Jan. 31st., after an illness of three months' duration.

The late Mrs. Lazer, who was in her 83rd. year, was born in Tyendinaga Township and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Hall. She was predeceased by her long life she enjoyed the high esteem of all who knew her. In religion she was a member of the United Church at Shannonville and in connection with the church she was a Life Member of the Women's Missionary Society.

Surviving her are one daughter, Mrs. Ralph Kesterson, Corbyville; four sons, Edward Lazer, Corbyville; Lester Lazer, Shannonville; Douglas Lazer, Toronto, and James Lazer, Alexandria. A daughter, Mrs. Clarence Haight, died some years ago.

The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

MISS M. C. O'DONNELL, B.E.(N. (Stirling)

The funeral of Miss Mary C. O'Donnell, who died in the Presbyterian Hospital, New York City, on Thursday last, took place from there on Monday morning, Jan. 29th., from the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. John E. O'Donnell, Stirling, to the Church of the Immaculate Conception. The Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father Leger, S.J.

Interment took place at St. James' Cemetery, Stirling, the pallbearers being Messrs. Arnold Forestell, James Forestell, Jack Forestell, Thomas Farrell, F. F. McDonald and Edward Epping.

The late Miss O'Donnell was born at Madoc, on April 9th, 1891, and the following year moved with her parents to Copper Cliff. She then attended the Convent of the Gray Nuns in Pembroke and at North Bay. From there she commenced teaching school at Welwood in 1914 and the following year she taught in Copper Cliff. In 1921 she accepted a position as teacher in the Separate School, Catholic School, Toronto, and continued in that profession for a time when she entered the Presbyterian Hospital Training School for Nurses at New York City. In 1932 she graduated and remained on the nursing staff at the hospital up to the time of her recent death.

Miss O'Donnell was a devout Catholic and was an excellent nurse. Her death brought sincere feelings of regret to many friends at the hospital and to old friends in Stirling.

Surviving to mourn her loss are her parents and sisters, Miss Alice O'Donnell, Toronto, and Mrs. A. C. (Katherine) Lee of Orange, New Jersey, N.J., one brother, John R. O'Donnell, Port Colborne, Ontario.

Forty Claimants To Unemployment Fund in City

Financial accumulation since the inception of the act in July, 1941 was announced by Mr. Phillips of the Unemployment Insurance Fund, an Ontario area representative to the National Selective Service office here revealed.

Monthly accumulations resulting from contributions from employed people all over Canada amount to between five and one-half and six million dollars.

Intermittent drains on the fund have occurred in periods between the offs of war and other industrial plants but nothing to the extent that is in this respect has occurred as yet.

In Belleville, there are upwards of forty claimants to unemployment insurance at the present time. These include some people between the ages of twenty and seventy years and for whom replacement in other places of employment proved difficult. Others have found themselves who worked in industry or other places of employment at the rate stipulated 180 days and who now have returned to the kitchen and the home with their cessation of employment.

Rumors Again Say Planes Ready to Carry Nazi Chiefs to Exile

London, Feb. 1 (CP) — Oft-repeated rumors that long-range aircraft are standing by in Germany to carry Nazi leaders into exile appeared again today in a dispatch from neutral Sweden and Switzerland.

The new reports were received here with the greatest scepticism.

A Zurich dispatch said two military planes were hurriedly prepared yesterday near Augsburg, Bavaria.

A Stockholm dispatch said eight planes capable of flying to Japan had been assembled in the Munich Nazi hotel notables as Hitler, Goering, Himmler and Ribbentrop.

12 NEGRO SOLDIERS SENTENCED

Honolulu, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Seventy-three Negro soldiers have been convicted in two courts martial on charges of mutiny for refusing to work on an Oahu airfield and have been sentenced to from eight to 30 years confinement at hard labor, Oahu is the island on which Honolulu is situated. Sentences were reported to have taken place on July 31, 1944.

RSM. Angus Duffy of H. & P.E. Regt., Who Was 'Mentioned' Several Times, Is Expected To Come Home Shortly

Trenton, Feb. 1 — A soldier for the past fifteen years, overseas for the past five and a half, Regimental Sergeant Major Angus Duffy is expected home soon according to a letter received by parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Duffy, Victoria Ave., Belleville.

Wearer of the famous Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment since mobilization as a signaller in 1930, Angus, whose parents at that time lived in Trenton where he attended St. Peter's and Trenton High School, became a regimental sergeant major at the Coronation of the present King and Queen, and wears the ribbon presented to him on that occasion.

Returning home he advanced step by step in his regiment to the rank of company sergeant major and when war broke out he was promoted to regimental sergeant major at the age of 25.

Leaving Canada with his regiment in December 1939 he spent long months and years in Britain training his men, and in their effectiveness way called him the "Little Caesar" of the unit. He won the Canadian Efficiency Medal for meritorious service and has been granted a bar to that decoration.

Sailing 3,500 Fleet Freighter, Wheel, the regiment was finally chosen to go into action in disembarking in Sicily on July 10th, 1943 and at the famous battle of Assoro he distinguished himself gallantly. After scaling the 2,500 foot precipice, the first every single, after his recovery, he was not given permission to rejoin his regiment but was sent to General Headquarters in Canada.

A brother, Avon Duffy, has been in Italy for some time, and has been overseas for more than 5 years, is also expected home on leave.

Chas. Eden, 85, Thinks Londoners 'Best People This Side of Heaven'

His keen eyes can still discern a flaw in upholstery, and his memory is packed with useful hands can still construct furniture with the skill that characterized them a half century ago. He was born near Belleville, England, in the year of Waterloo, and this well-built man of 85 years, he still exudes the cheerfulness and heartiness that is the birthright of Londoners. And if he does drop an occasional "h" and "aw" where it is not needed, he disclaims any suggestion that places him in the "Cockney" class.

And Charlie will bristle with assumed anger if it is suggested that Londoners do not rate equal with Torontonians in any other parts of the world. "You aren't from Leeds, are you?" he will snap, "and they're the best blasted people in the world."

And furthermore, don't suggest that he was born within the sound of Bow Bells. "I'm not a bloomin' Cockney," he says, "I was born at Westminster Bridge and went to Burnham Mews, and you bloomin' well haven't 'ear the blinkin' 'Ole there."

When he was but a mere youth, he became apprenticed to a firm which specialized in upholstering and cabinet making in London, and he followed this trade until he left England to settle in Canada when he was twenty years of age. He came into Canada by himself in a Front Street location and was for some years in the employ of the present Canadian Department Stores. After being joined by his future wife in business, he occasionally works at it, "just to keep my hand in," he said in."

Asked in lighter vein if he is any relation of Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, Charlie's eyes twinkle when he says, "Why, I was me first cousin, but don't awsk him, for I don't like to boast."

Charlie visited his old home in 1938 when he was a delegate with the 50th Battalion, C.E.F. He served in France and returned to Canada after honorable discharge. Previous to coming to Canada in 1910, Charlie had had a military experience when he was a member of the famous 40th Westminster Regiment.

At the present time he is enjoying good health, can read without glasses and is looking forward to the coming of pleasant association with friends and relatives of the First Great War.

Democratic Party Split Possible

Washington, Feb. 1 (AP) — The biggest Democratic party split since the 1937 court fight appeared to be shaping up today around Henry Wallace's cabinet nomination.

Opposition to the window dressing the battle is fundamentally one between those who represent the liberal element of the party headed by Mr. Wallace and those in the Democratic machine led by Senator Harry Byrd (Va.), Senator George (Ga.), Senator Bailey (N.C.) and others.

Legislative leaders readied a compromise they hoped would keep pent-up animosities from erupting into a full-scale floor fight. But there was every indication both sides intended to have their say before the issue of Mr. Wallace's appointment as Secretary of Commerce is fully settled.

In the absence of any direct word from President Roosevelt, Senator Alben Barkley of Kentucky, the Democratic leader, promised to say that Mr. Wallace's nomination be sent back to the Commerce Committee. There it would await the final enactment and passing of a bill to abolish the Commerce Department of control over the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and other leading agencies which Mr. Wallace, when confirmed, would want him to control.

Senator Claude Pepper (Dem. Fla.) and other Wallace supporters have conceded that only by giving up the Secretary Commerce nomination.

Mr. Wallace, in the eyes of many Democrats, is the strongest man in the 1948 presidential picture regardless of whether he enters the cabinet.

Canadian-Manned Frigate Almost Sliced in Half

Ottawa, Feb. 1 — (CP) — A giant ocean carrier, looming up suddenly through the black night, sliced into the Canadian-manned frigate "Teme" and almost cut her in two, it was learned today in discussing operations in the Bay of Biscay, naval service headquarters announced last night. Casualties were slight.

The announcement said the accident occurred while the "Teme," a Royal Navy river class frigate being operated by a Canadian crew, was on her first active operation, hunting U-boats with Canadian and British escort groups and Royal Navy carriers.

Damage to the "Teme," under the command of Lt.-Cmdr. Douglas Jeffrey, R.C.N.R., of Quebec, was repaired after she was towed back to port by the carrier Tripoli. One member and she now is back in operation.

Describing the ramming, the announcement said the "Teme" had been patrolling with the carrier's patrons on suspected U-boats and then was assigned to screen an aircraft carrier.

Men on the "Teme" suddenly saw the big carrier bearing down on them out of the darkness. The "Teme" turned sharply on her navigation lights and the carrier tried to swing about to avoid collision but too late the "Teme" was struck on the afterside of the bridge and a sheet of flame flashed as the two ships came together.

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DEATHS

FARRELL — Suddenly in Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday morning, January 31st., Michael Angus Farrell, 5th. Concession of Sidney Township, in his 69th. year.

The funeral will take place from his late residence on Saturday morning, February 3rd., to the Church of St. James the Minor for Mass at ten o'clock. Interment St. James Cemetery.

BIRTH

YOUNG—At the Belleville General Hospital, Sunday, Jan. 28th., to A.B. Harold D. Young, R.C.N.V.R. overseas and Mrs. Young (nee Mary Parsons), a son, Roger Harold. F1.

IN MEMORIAM

EATON — In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Annie Grace Eaton, who passed away February 1st., 1944.

Memory and touch day we miss her.

Friends may think the wound is healed,
But they little know the sorrow
Lies within our hearts concealed.
—Sadly missed by daughter Lucilla and Family.

Pays Tribute To Memory Of Bob McFarlane

Sterling tribute to the memory of a former troop leader of the 4th Belleville Boy Scout Troop, Bob McFarlane, who paid the supreme sacrifice fighting for his country, comes from the shadow of Ailing one blasting their way into the German Reich.

Lieut. (Nursing Sister) Dorothy Osborne, now on active duty with the 12th Canadian General Hospital, "Somewhere in Belgium," former scout mistress of the troop writes the following sincere tribute to the fallen hero.

"He has gone home, having made the supreme sacrifice that is that he has given his life for his country.

He was a good scout, patrol leader and troop leader and when his country needed him, he answered the call, true to the scout promise.

To you boys of the troop, his brother scouts, I send my deepest sympathy. You have lost a leader, he has left behind a shining example; having given his all that scouts may continue on in our land and carry on their work of good will. So carry on boys, to you has been given the torch. He is just ahead with other brave scouts who have paid the price, beckoning to you. Keep the faith, follow in the trail".

We shall always remember Troop Leader, BobMacFarlane."

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Drive Sponsored By Food Trades Opens Friday

The sale of $16,000 in war savings stamps is the objective of retailers of the food and allied industries trade in their campaign which drive which will get underway tomorrow and lasts until March 15th. "Every Penny Counts" theme will be featured during the campaign and retailers besides making an effort to interest customers in the purchase of stamps on this day of week. Practically all retailers in the city in the above trades will display their co-operation during the course of the stamp drive and state that the objective set for Belleville and district will be surpassed by the time the campaign is completed.

"ALREADY ATTENDED TO"

New York, Feb. 1 — (AP) — One of the few visitors to the office of Mayor F. H. La Guardia's order for meatless Tuesdays and Fridays was the little city-operated cafeteria in the municipal building. When reporters gleefully accused the waitress the mayor he replied: "Already attended to."

PROCLAMATION

The Belleville Food and Allied Industries are launching a drive TOMORROW to sell $16,000 in WAR SAVINGS STAMPS. The whole-hearted support of the citizens of Belleville and District is heartily desired in this truly worth-while effort. The campaign dates are from FEBRUARY 2 to MARCH 15, and your co-operation for this period would be appreciated.

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Trenton

Chief Bain Asks Accommodation Be Increased

Trenton — The Chief Constable's annual report of the Police Department was presented at Monday's council meeting giving a summary of the cases tried during the year 1944 and a resume of additional work done by the department.

1,057 cases were disposed of by the court, an increase of 107 over last year. There was also an increase of $2,976.50 in the amount of fines and fees turned over to the Magistrate. Of the 1,057 cases there were 971 male, 82 female, juveniles male 21, females 2. In addition there were 21 A.W.L. or desertion cases from the army apprehended and turned over to the Military Provost Corps.

17 persons were arrested on warrants for other police departments and held for escort, and 4 were turned over to the Service Police of the R.C.A.F.

78 were fined, 53 given suspended sentence and ordered to pay costs or make restitution; 41 given suspended sentence, 20 dismissed, 5 dismissed on payment of costs, 4 enlarged till called on, 19 withdrawn, 4 withdrawn on payment of costs, 25 found guilty, 10 no evidence offered, 12 found guilty, conviction discharged and 20 ordered to pay costs.

35 were committed to County Goal, 11 to Canada Penitentiary, and one to Ontario Hospital at Kingston.

236 Car Accidents, None Fatal.

During the year there were 236 motor accidents investigated in which 26 persons were injured, none fatal. Also 11 hit-and-run accidents, 11 accidents of other kinds were investigated in which 6 persons were injured, and 27 accidents reported to the Department of Highways.

11 sudden deaths were investigated, two men from drowning in the Trent River, two children from drowning in the slip; seven other deaths which were found to be from natural causes. There were no inquests held during the year.

All of the 9 motor cars stolen during the year were recovered representing a total value of $1150.00. Of the 41 bicycles stolen at a value of $1135.00, 36 were recovered valued at $720.00. 6 automobiles were recovered for other police departments, representing a value of $8,200, also 3 bicycles valued at $65.00. In connection with these stolen autos recovered 13 persons were apprehended and held for escort.

Other property estimated at a value of $2,291.22 was reported stolen from the town, of which property to the value of $1,808.45 was recovered and returned to the owners. Tires and tubes to the value of $60.00 were reported stolen this compares favorably with $346.00 stolen in 1943.

Miscellaneous goods and money to the value of $6,878.13 were reported lost and of this amount $1,892.98 was recovered and returned to the rightful owners. Other goods and money to the value of $1,371.46 were found and turned in to the department. It was turned over to the owner or after it was certain that it would not be claimed, turned back to the finder.

171 transients and soldiers were given overnight shelter. In 1943 there were 126.

Business and other property to the value each night by the officers on duty and in 157 instances doors and windows were found insecure. Again an increase in the negligence of property owners in seeing that their property is secure for the night is noted as in 1943 there were 143 such instances and in 1942 only 88. In all instances owners were notified and property made secure before serious loss occurred.

7 adults and 42 children reported missing were all located and returned to their homes.

21 summonses were served in Trenton and vicinity for other Police Departments, and 82 fingerprints taken and forwarded to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Fingerprint Bureau, Ottawa, for identification and record purposes in connection with various cases handled.

During the year 37 fire alarms were answered. In many cases traffic was regulated and especially during the night hours assistance was given to the Fire Engineer. In 1943 there were 22 alarms.

The financial statement showed fines and fees collected and handed to the Magistrate to be $18,-282.00 (subject to division) as compared with $8,012.70 in 1943. Amount of fines and fees paid to the town by the Magistrate (after division) $4,212.78 as compared with $3,006.89 in 1943. Amount of court costs paid to the town $804.35 as compared with $621.40 in 1943. In addition to above $1,110.50 was collected in restitution and witness fees and turned over to rightful parties.

The following sums were collected for licenses:

Dogs $404.00, Bikes $113.50, Taxi $100.00, Trucks $70.00. All others (Restaurant, Tobacco, etc.) $1,402.75. Total $2,196.25 as compared with $2,132.25 in 1943.

Total paid to town $7,213.98 as compared with $5,906.46 in 1943.

Cruiser and Radio Equipment.

During the year $1,367 miles of special cruiser patrol and the transportation of prisoners to and from the County Goal was made.

During the summer the mobile radio transmitter was added to the radio equipment and the two-way conversation is now possible between the station and the cruiser as it has already proved to be of great value, especially during night hours when telephones are not available, saving many return trips to the police station. On emergency calls it is possible to contact a doctor and ambulance without unnecessary delay. The money for the installation of this was obtained by a donation of $150.00 from the town and the balance by public Police Radio fund, which is obtained by services rendered by the police in writing letters, and by private donations.

More Accommodation Needed.

In his report Chief Bain brought to light the necessity for more suitable accommodation for prisoners, both male and female, and a more up-to-date heating plant. He also recommended a new flasher system to be used after rush of traffic ceases on Front and Dundas and Dundas and Dufferin Streets.

It was also suggested, as a safety measure, that the inter-sections be painted as they were in pre-war day as this gives added protection to pedestrians and educates them to cross the street at the proper place, instead of crossing in a haphazard fashion. "No Parking" and "Stop Street" signs also to be repainted.

The Chief Constable thanked the Mayor, Council, citizens and the press for their kind co-operation and assistance during the year.

Council Seeks Action Regarding Bus Terminal

Trenton, Feb. 1 — Approval was given by the Town Council at its January meeting to an eight-hour day for the members of the police department, effective as soon as two new men can be engaged, which will bring the staff up to eight members, including Chief Constable William Bain. Authority to engage the two extra men, at $1,200 each, was given by council, with the understanding that all things being equal, local men, preferably returned soldiers, will be given the preference.

Action was taken at the request of Chief Bain and his men, in order to comply with the eight-hour-day enacted by the Provincial Legislature.

The new set-up will also increase the efficiency of the men in him and give to the citizens a still greater measure of police protection.

Considering recommendations made in the annual report of the Chief Constable for 1944 with respect to the need for more accommodation for members of the force, and for the detention of prisoners, the council instructed Councillors Ross Burtt, Chairman of Fire, Market and Police Committee, to secure estimates on the cost of providing better heating, more cells, particularly for women which are now entirely lacking, and improved police department headquarters. Several members of the council were of the opinion that the cells in the old Town Hall building were a disgrace to the town, and could easily be condemned by the health authorities as unfit for human habitation.

A fence heating system to heat the adjoining fire hall and the market, town hall and police headquarters and cells was suggested, replacing several stoves.

Bus Terminal Discussion.

Following up the recent discussion of a bus terminal for Trenton, the council voted unanimously to notify the Colcourt Coach Lines of Oshawa that they must take action by February 15th to provide a terminal for their passengers, otherwise other steps will be taken by the town. The resolution pointed out that the present practice of picking up passengers on the streets constitutes a traffic menace and is dangerous, it is considered. Mayor H. R. Dary informed the council that in one day no fewer than 76 buses came in and out of Trenton. Bus passengers have been using a local hotel as a waiting room and the management of the Mayor to take up with the coach company the question of a terminal.

The council's order does not apply to the Rathbun Company which operates more or less a local service, the council decided.

The letter and captain of the fire department requested a salary increase and consideration will be given. A communication was made that one thousand feet of new hose be purchased. The council was pleased to be advised that the Trenton firemen won honorable mention in a fire fighting demonstration conducted just fair by the Provincial Fire Marshal's Department, and participated in by over a hundred fire brigades.

ALEXEI WILL BE PATRIARCH OF ALL RUSSIA

Moscow, Feb. 1 (AP)— Formal election of Alexei, metropolitan of Leningrad and Novgorod, as patriarch of all Russia appeared virtually assured today by the Holy Council of the Russian Orthodox Church since the revolution. Alexei has been acting patriarch since the death of Patriarch Sergei last May. The Congress opened yesterday.

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We are very fortunate in being able to make this special offer of English Breakfast Sets at this time, wartime conditions having ended and the amount of English china available to only a very small percentage of our needs. (Not exactly as illustrated.)

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Floor Wax Special

Our January Sale contains an offer of Old English Wax, which at an especially attractive item at this time of year. Simply rub Old English over the floor it is said—and from snow tracked in and you will find your floor restored to its glossy finish. 1 lb. size, regularly 59c, January Sale Price 39c

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1 pt. jar 47c
1 qt. 90c

FLOOR POLISHERS

This heavy weighted floor polisher is the most satisfactory method for polishing floors. We suggest that you take advantage of this generous offer to prepare for spring housecleaning needs now while we are able to make delivery. Regularly priced $3.75. January Sale Price 3.29

GLASS TUMBLERS
Without Jug

Extra tumblers are always in demand. When are another one quality, full size tumblers, the kind in daily use in your home. Take advantage of this special offer to lay in a couple of dozen while you can, save money on them. Regular 5c each. January Sale Price

12 for 49c

ALVANIZED WARE

Just arrived — a shipment of galvanized ware including tubs, garbage pails, boilers, water pails, etc.

REMEMBER IF IT'S AVAILABLE YOU WILL FIND IT AT CHRISTIAN'S

SLEIGHS

Shipment of Steel Runner Sleighs, almost the first we have had for three years. Come and make your selection as this stock will go quickly.

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GARDEN HOSE

Last year due to shortage of supplies we were forced to disappoint many of our customers in their attempt to obtain garden hose. We have taken steps to assure a better supply for future and following our policy of first come, first served, this January we are on sale. Buy your garden hose now as we do not expect any large allotments of garden hose due to the rubber situation this year. ½ foot ..... wear available this

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Pipeline to Battleline

Mr. Geoffrey Lloyd, British Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Fuel and Power, revealed the existence in Great Britain of a pipeline system one thousand miles long.

This system has been one of the essential instruments of Allied air supremacy. The build up of the R.A.F. and U.S.A.A.F. air offensive would hardly have been possible without it, and supplying the vast petrol needs of the Allied invasion armies would have been greatly complicated.

The presence in Britain of the U. S. Eighth and Ninth Air Forces is one of the reasons why the construction of the system was necessary, and the pipeline facilitated the War Office delivering to the American ground forces, under reverse lend-lease, 383,051 liquid tons of petroleum products between January 1 and June 30, 1944. It is probably that about half of this quantity went into the operational stock pile for D-Day.

As Mr. Lloyd pointed out, "It has not only been a question of importing petrol, sum in a hundred activities never previously approached or imagined. Once here, it must be rapidly discharged, distributed and stored."

The network was begun in 1941. The first section linked the southwest oil ports with the London area. This line was not intended for aviation spirit, but to leave the railways free to carry the large quantities of aviation spirit needed by the R.A.F.

The next section linked the oil ports of the northwest coast with a pipeline running southwards to join the first line. Facilities for pumping in either direction were installed and storage depots were linked into the pipeline. In the event of damage to either of the west coast terminals, supplies could be pumped from the other one; the eastern area was thus provided with two sources of supply. The second line was operational on May 30, 1943.

For the needs of D-Day, the next move was to link these new facilities with the future invasion bases. A long ago as March, 1943, work began on a spur from the original line to the south coast. Forty miles of this line began operating sixty days later.

Although the system had so relieved the railways that they were able to carry the rapidly growing quantities of aviation spirit for the R.A.F., the continued growth of the R.A.F. and the advent of the U.S.A.A.F. meant that further pipelines were needed. The Oil Control Board decided upon a new series of pipelines to carry the aviation spirit to depots within easy reach of the great new airfields, already built or then building in large numbers. Lines were laid from the west coast ports forming an aviation spirit circuit over 350 miles long.

Work on this circuit started on October 1, 1942, and both lines from the western ports began operating in March; and the whole circuit was completed by the end of August, 1943. A considerable number of important storage depots were linked into the circuit, and it is now the life-line of the air arm stretched from Great Britain to pound the Reich.

In the autumn and winter of 1943, further extensions to the system in the south and east of England were undertaken, partly to meet special Air Force needs and partly for the invasion needs of the Allied armies. The shortest of these lines runs for twenty-two miles and is the longest for about 120. Another is nearly 100 miles in length, and all were in operation by the middle of March, 1944.

The method of organization worked out for the original line was so successful that it was used in the construction of all succeeding pipelines. The route of the line to be laid was broken up into a number of equal sections, so that the work could be carried out at equal speed in all sections and completed simultaneously. Each section was a self-contained unit with its own engineers, lands officer, labor force and mechanical equipment. Routes were chosen across the open country wherever possible so that the fullest use might be made of mechanical excavators.

The men employed on the project were spread over hundreds of miles, often working in the very bad winter conditions and in waterlogged ground. With the enormous wartime demand for steel, speed of laying was limited by deliveries of pipe. The maximum laid in one week was eighteen miles of ten-inch line. The best sustained effort was 125 miles of both the ten-inch and eight-inch in eighty-four days. Practically all the pipelines are designed to work at a pressure of six hundred pounds per square inch. Comparatively light steel pipe could thus be used, which saved large quantities of steel.

Russia's Winter Offensive

It used to be that winters were a resting time in war and a time for building up for spring operations, but the giant Russian offensive which has swept out of the east and has already pushed on its various fronts into Germany to a depth that the distance from the front to the capital of Germany is disappearing faster than the snows of winter in spring.

The winter obstacles are now fewer than the advantages which a frozen ground offers an army and armies can fight now in the dead of winter, however severe it be. In the winter campaign several years ago when the Germans were driven back by the Russians steadily, the Germans bewailed the winter, placing all the woes of the Hun armies on its severity. The Germans, always proud of their preparedness, had not properly prepared for the winter and were caught napping. The Russians were very warmly clad and their scientists had seen to it that they knew how to make their motor equipment useful all through the winter months.

In the hour of Germany's greatest danger, the Russians have come out from Poland and German territory is being occupied at a rate which is wiping out the Huns' last hopes at a terrific rate, so that the enemy has announced the removal of the Government from Berlin, while the loss of Berlin is being anticipated.

The Russians know how to take full advantage of the present season to pronote their advance and to pile defeat on defeat the German armies. Germany was not ready for any such campaign as the Russians have thrown at the Germans with such terrific suddenness.

The cold in the east front region is severe enough to give the Russians this powerful weapon in their struggle to down the Nazis.

Undertone of Disaster

Hitler's speech on the twelfth anniversary that will be his last of his ascent to power bore every mark that he knows and official Germans know that Nazism is doomed. All through the speech was the undertone of the fact that nothing can save Germany. The Germans who have followed his directions from before Munich can see what has already resulted from the very defensive attitude he has to assume and the admissions he has to make. He can boast of having a master but whom can he blame for the present failing and Allied power, showing steadily growing might, he has to call the Huns to accept the greatest sacrifices. The Germans who have died from the cold and chilled fields know the utter folly of Hitler's protestations and proclamations. They know the chilling fact that the Russians are far within the gates of Germany. Nothing that Hitler can say or argue can prevent that fact from being uppermost in German minds.

British Pedigreed Sheep

A Soviet delegation is to visit leading sheep breeders in Great Britain. They will inspect some of the best pedigree flocks in the country to make selections as part of their great livestock replacement plan. Exports of sheep have continued during the war. In 1944 alone, to quote one example, breeders of the famous black-faced Suffolk sheep have exported 11 rams to the United States, 10 rams and 10 ewes to Canada, 1 ram to Australia and 4 rams and 7 ewes to the Egyptian Government.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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PLAYING WAR

See the games the children play!
(Imitative little chaps!)
All pretending through the day
They are busy killing Japs.

Hear them clattering down the street,
Garbed and helmeted as Yanks,
Hitler's forces out to beat,
Using tommy guns and tanks.

Hear that tight-lipped: rat-a-tat
As they start a swift attack.
Swift machine gun fire that,
Is the hate that hurries burst is flak.
In the worst of human trades
Underneath the shining sun,
They are throwing hand grenades—
Imitating war, for fun.

Honored statesmen, grayed and wise,
Poets, priests and merchants shrewd,
Here before our open eyes
Childhood apes man's fiercest mood!
Hear them, see them as they play
Warfare with pretended hate
And remember sadly they,
Grownups, merely imitate.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"And, ah yes — a belt, too!"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

25 YEARS AGO

February 1st, 1920.

John Robinson, son of Add. A. Robinson of this city, has been promoted to be Instructor on the air brake car in place of Mr. George McIntosh who has been assigned to other duties. Mr. Robinson has been in the service of the Grand Trunk and Canadian National Railways for thirty-two years, part of it as time of his promotion engineer on the fast trains 14, 16, 16 and 17.

The street parade of Harvey's Greater Ministrels attracted much attention at noon today.

In a hockey match here in the Interscholastic League between Campbellford and Belleville, the local boys won, the score being 4 to 2. It was a hectic battle with a sensational finish as Belleville did not score the winning goal until within a minute of the sounding of the final gong. The following composed the team for Belleville — Colling, Hurley, Cole, Ross, Gaherty, Hamilton, Goodson, Kelly, Ison and D. McKechnon. Campbellford — Poe, Thomas, W. Jackett, C. Barnes, and Reynolds. Subs, Mutz and Craighead.

30 YEARS AGO

February 1st, 1915.

Mrs. Julia McCloud, widow of Norman McCloud, and without doubt the oldest person in this city, died at an early hour this morning. She was in her 98th year and was born in Stormont County. When a child she came to this district and resided in Thurlow Township and also in Madoc. For upwards of seventy years she made her home in this city. She was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Dag Enoksen is in Toronto attending the concert of the Mendelssohn Choir.

Mr. J. B. Dutton, implement agent here for 6 years, will leave shortly to reside in Brighton. Many friends regret his departure from the city.

Miss Peterson of the Ritchie Company went to Port Hope today.

40 YEARS AGO

Feb. 1st., 1905.

During January in this city there were twelve marriages, 15 deaths and nine births.

Mr. W. Burks of this city is the inventor of a bell for use by hockey referees which should make a hit with the C.H.A. It works on the "press the button" principal and would seem to fill a long-felt want.

Sandy Burrows refereed a Trent Valley League hockey match in Colborne last night between Cobourg and Colborne. The latter team won, the score being 7 to 6.

Mr. Harry Johnston of Toronto is spending a few days in town.

Mr. Ernest A. Creeper of Chatham, Ont., formerly of this city, is visiting the scenes of his early days. He left here when he was twelve years old.

50 YEARS AGO

Feb. 1st., 1895

Mr. John Bonar has sold his dwelling and grocery store at the corner of Church and Dundas Street, to Mr. John Hinchey.

Last night was cold; the mercury registered twelve degrees below zero.

Houses that would rent from $8 to $9 per month are not to be had here, so says a citizen who has been looking for one. Decidedly Belleville is progressing at present.

A party of young people numbering about fifty drove to the residence of Mrs. Thomas Wrymark; Herchimer Avenue, last evening and passed a very enjoyable time. The party was arranged by Miss Maggie Shaw and the young people were glad that she did so.

Horse buyers from the United States are picking up some good horses in this district.

YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

CHARTER OAK

The Charter Oak was a large white oak tree that stood for many years in Hartford, Connecticut. It is famous in American history as the traditional hiding place of the Connecticut royal charter in 1686.

This historic tree was blown down during a storm on August 21, 1856. It was then about seven feet in diameter near the ground and its age was computed to be nearly 1,000 years. A stump about 10 feet high remained standing.

On the day after the storm large crowds gathered around the stump and fallen tree. It was necessary to place a guard to protect them from souvenir and relic hunters.

The historic tree was so revered by the people of Hartford that at high noon Colt's Armory band played dirges and patriotic music over the fallen tree, and a funeral oration was delivered in its honor. At intervals on the bells of the city were tolled in memory of the fallen Charter Oak.

A section of the trunk was preserved by the Connecticut Historical Society. The remainder of the wood was made into gavels, picture frames, chairs, etc., or cut into small pieces and distributed as souvenirs. A chair made of Charter Oak wood stands in the senate chamber in the State Capitol at Hartford.

When some years later, Charter Oak Avenue was laid out, the remaining roots were dug out and a stone placed to mark the site was placed in the retaining wall by the avenue. A white marble monument now marks the site of the tree.

Descendants of the Charter Oak" are growing in Israel Putnam Memorial Camp Ground at Redding, in Bushnell Park at Hartford and elsewhere in Connecticut, and another acion of the historic tree was planted near the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



SOCIAL MEASURES

(Continued From Page One)

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SPECIAL PERIODICAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

(Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease, diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief and written in ink. Owing to the large number received daily, a few can be answered here. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address: Dr. William Brady, this newspaper.)

HOW COMMON IS SCURVY?

Infants or young children developing scurvy are fretful, anemic, without appetite, they fail to grow and gain weight from week to week. They cry when picked up or moved or handled and sometime the evident pain and tenderness in the legs may make parents suspect "rheumatism" and the child's instinctive effort to avoid pain by lying motionless ay make parents suspect "paralysis".

The gums are of deep purplish color, revolve around the upper central incisors and they bleed from the slightest irritation or sometimes without evident injury.

Before definite symptoms of scurvy develop, Pfaundler-Hurler (Pfaundler) authority: there is a period of ill health, characterized by certain symptoms which should be looked for in persons who habitually take too little vitamin C, though they get enough to prevent outright scurvy. These symptoms are a sallow, muddy complexion, loss of appetite, drowsiness, pains and limbs, especially in the legs, unaccountable tiredness, irritability. Called rheumatism in young children has often proved to be actually scurvy.

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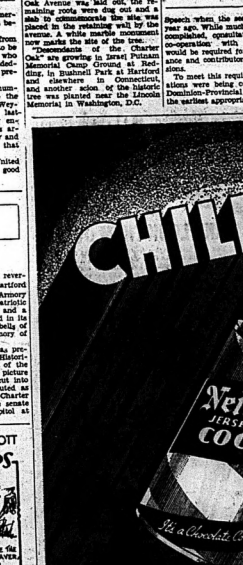
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Legislation for family allowances had been promised with reductions due to start today and payments beginning July 1.

Through the maintenance of price control, support of Victory Loan campaigns and improved relationships between employers and employees, those on the home front had done much in support of the country's war effort.

CHILDREN



Children thrive on this Delicious Chocolate Cocoa.

Neilson's

COUNTERFEITERS AT WORK

London (CP) — Bank of England notes forged by the Germans during their occupation of Europe and dumped through France, Belgium and Holland, now are turning in Britain. A few may be in circulation but most are being destroyed on arrival.

BIG BEN HOME DE COMBAT

London — (CP),— Relaxation of blackout restrictions means public clocks may now be lighted but Big Ben will not be illuminated for some time since the lighting apparatus was damaged by bombs.

WANT WOODLOTS CONTROLLED

Toronto, Feb. 1.— (CP) — Reforestation Committee of York township in a report passed unanimously Wednesday, urged that the slashing of Ontario woodlots be controlled by permits issued by the provincial government.

Some Observations on Post-War Agriculture

By S. L. Jones

The twelfth annual meeting of the Ontario Cheese Producers' Association which is being held in Toronto today and Friday was addressed at the opening session by S. L. Jones, Assistant Director of the Agricultural Extension Service, on the subject of his address was "Some Observations on Post-war Agriculture". The text of the address follows.

At the annual meeting of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture about two weeks ago Mr. Hannam, in his presidential address, used the heading "Trend of the Times", said:

"Security for the few of yesterday must be transformed into security for the many tomorrow."

His faith in the truth of this statement is exemplified in the following paragraphs taken from his address:

"The growing strength and vigor of the co-operative movement is one phase of this trend in society. I believe that the great majority of the thinking people of town, both in parliament and in the business world, realize this. The more thoughtful and socially minded of them believe in it, and welcome it, even though it may eventually curtail some of the privileges they have enjoyed by reason of the default of the common people in failing as yet to assume the duties and responsibility which is rightfully theirs in a society which enjoys economic as well as political democracy.

"But there is unfortunately an unusually vocal minority in the business world who do not see, or will not see this inevitable trend toward a wider freedom for the people.

"These are my convictions and it is because of them that I have prepared this paper for presentation to you today.

Security will go hand in hand with good government, prosperous agriculture and a healthy industrial society. There is an interdependence between all that must be recognized and by my opinion is a good omen for agriculture when agriculture is publicly recognized and proclaim this, as Mr. Hannahs has done in his address, leaders

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Sgt. D. C. Hosaler, R.C.A.F., Trenton, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Daisy Faiow, Brockville.

Mrs. Alex. McGuire visited with her sister, Mrs. D. L. Tucker, in Napanee.

Miss Barbara Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Read of this city, who has been critically ill in Wellesley Hospital is progressing favorably after a severe attack of pneumonia.

Centre Street Church Trail Rangers and Bridge Street Church Explorers, enjoyed a social evening together in Bridge Street Church Sunday School rooms on Wednesday night. A rousing game of floor hockey was played with the boys and girls in favor of the Trail Rangers. Music and refreshments completed the remainder of the party.

Flt. Lt. E. O. (Ted) Doyle, son of Lt.-Col. J. V. Doyle, arrived home early this morning from overseas on a 30-day furlough. He went overseas in the Fall of 1939 and since then has seen action as a Spitfire pilot in the Mediterranean field of operations and more recently on the Western Front.

COMMANDOS AND HOW!

Rye, Sussex, England — (CP) — Thirteen boys ranging in age from nine to 13, played a game of "Commandos." Later, accused in court of breaking 300 panes of glass in two greenhouses repaired after bombing damage, they were ordered to pay £1 damage each.

WARTIME HEATING

Folkestone, Kent (CP) — Church-goers are taking hot-water bottles into their pews following a suggestion by Rev. S. H. Rose who said "I have one on the altar during service."

Famous Women and Their Influence On History Told to Women's Club

Women of history who before and behind the curtain of public life helped shape the destinies of nations and peoples formed the theme of an informative address here last night by Franklin Hall Edward 1st riding a black stallion, author and lecturer and showed in black and white. He established the famous "Il Risoro Collection" of which this is still in evidence and which were among the most perfect guns of Gothic beauty.

Sue Husband Murdered.

Margaret of Angou and Cecile Neville whose lives ended in tragedy, lived in an aura of enmity that perhaps actually was the cause of the Wars of the Roses. Margaret saw her husband, Henry 6th, tortured and her son slain while Cecile's husband's life was the price of her folly. Both women died of broken hearts.

Sarah Jennings, of Sandwich, near St. Albans, England, a favorite of Queen Anne and later Duchess of Churchill, Dowager Duchess of Marlborough was a woman of history who will which dominated the obstinacy and stupidity of her queen. It is difficult to know how much Bughand owed this woman's energies, but Winston Churchill whose brilliancy and courage is unquestioned, said Marlborough had nothing but his wife but he proved a genius in military politics and defeated the ambitions of Louis XIV of France. Napoleon and later that Alexander the Great and Marlborough are the only generals worthy of the name.

Queen Mary Litzenarian, first Mother Superior of the Ursuline convent who dreamed of the New World and came to new Quebec was next on Mr. McDowell's list. She was the first woman to come to the new land, but soon her brilliant work was ended and a tradition of saintliness grew about her. Closely in dress of a New France had fallen. Iroquois war cries were heard on the outskirts of Quebec. Only faint-hearted wanted to leave but the Mother Superior and the sisters remain. She set a splendid example of heroism and her name has honored down through the centuries.

Maid Marian Famed.

The greatest of all women in history, in the speaker's opinion, was Maid Marion, wife of Robin Hood. She was the ideal of heroism of the common people of England and their ideal type of Anglo-Saxon womanhood. Life with her was a serious struggle and daily she walked with death. She was a timeless heroine for her counterparts are seen in the pages of history.

Devotion to Duty

Mr. McDowell pointed out the devotion to duty and loyalty to an ideal of such women as Florence Nightingale and other historical figures. He spoke of the hardships and fortitude of the pioneer women of Canada and of the heroic women of Britain in the present war.

Women of today, he said, with their modern facilities have an unequalled opportunity for modern welfare and can be one of the greatest forces in the country. The Canada of the future is rising in the skies and, awaits the touch of her women's hands. If they are withheld, the greater feared another dark question mark in the story of the country.

He was introduced by the Club President, Mrs. F. C. Parks, who also expressed appreciation of the address at its close. Mrs. O. E. Argue read the financial report of the stalls branch prior to the introduction of Mr. McDowell. The branch had shipped 4,177 articles, 363 of which were quilts. Red sweaters during 1944. The committee consists of Mesdames Kinnear, MacColl, May, Truesdale, A. R. Cameron, Archibald, Abrams, Wills, Myers, Boland, Argue and Miss May.

Trenton R.C.A.F. Station Officially Welcomes Air Vice-Marshal Raymond, CBE, at Colorful Dance

Trenton, Feb. 1 — Climaxing the successful fusion of Trenton's No. 1 and No. 2 Training Units, which ceased to form No. 7 Air Command at R.C.A.F. station, Trenton, the station personnel Tuesday night officially welcomed the Commanding Officer Commander Air Vice-Marshal Adelard Raymond, C.B.E., and his entire staff to their new headquarters.

Personnel of the Command, only one in Canada, to function as part of an active flying station, were greeted by Trenton's Commanding Officer, Group Captain A. D. Bell-Irving, during ceremonies high-lighting one of the largest and most colorful dances ever held in the station's spacious quarters hangar. Hundreds of guests and hundreds of young ladies from Trenton and Belleville crowded to capacity the flag-decked hall.

The crowd listened as Air Vice-Marshal Raymond recipricated the C.O.'s pledge of co-operation between station and Command, and expressed his satisfaction in returning to Trenton, already familiar to him from his service there in the three years preceding the war. Inviting listeners to work together regardless of nationalities to create "the happiest Command in Canada."

The A.O.C. accepted G/C. Bell-Irving's invitation to cut a ribbon strung across the hangar's entrance, signed Wintergarden, a sumptuous succession of the station's latest canteen-age comforts, and with a crisp dollar bill bought the first cup of coffee served at the Wintergarden's wonder-bar.

Commanding visitors alike were quick to take advantage of the Wintergarden's entry foot bar and its menu of novel sundaes, sodas and sandwiches. Henceforth, the Wintergarden will provide a rendezvous for all ranks to meet, dance and relax during any leisure moments from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. daily. All profits from the canteen will constitute a fund for the benefit of the personnel, and specifically will help buy an outdoor swimming pool for the station's use.

The A.O.C. later autographed the bill, an informal token of accord between the Command and the R.C.A.F.'s oldest station, signalling the completion of the transfer of the country's two major training commands to the Eastern Air Command, in compression of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan.

Emergency Call Issued For Knitted Comforts

Toronto, Feb. 1 — "The need for finished comforts is desperate", Mrs. J. C. Fraser, chairman of Women's War Work, Ontario Division of Red Cross stated today, once more appealing to women throughout the province to adopt the 1945 slogan "Knit and Send". Emergency requisitions from National headquarters for shipments to the seaports have taken our surplus stock", Branches, she pointed out, can help in this emergency by immediately replacing that stock, in asking the warehouse in Toronto to meet the next call. "Knit all the wool you have on hand; ship it to the warehouse as soon as possible. Wool may be obtained from any Red Cross branch or from a Women's Institute.

Women's Activities

ST. ANDREW'S WOMEN'S GUILD

St. Andrew's Women's Guild had a splendid attendance at their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening, January 30.

The president, Mrs. Hall, was in the chair and the meeting was opened with the singing of the hymn "Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun". Mrs. Hall read the 23rd Psalm and Mrs. Ross led in prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Hall, and the treasurer, Mrs. Bell, gave a report showing that the bazaar had been very successful, both financially and socially.

Mrs. Bell, on behalf of the Guild, presented a purse to Miss Beamont, in appreciation of her six years very efficient work as treasurer. Miss Beamont, taken by surprise, very thankfully thanked the members for their kindness.

Mrs. Hornsby, convener of the Nominating Committee read the list of officers for the year, and Rev. Mr. Hornsby conducted the impressive Installation Service, followed by prayer.

Officers for the year are as follows:

Honorary President, Mrs. J. G. Hornsby.

Past President, Mrs. J. Wilson.

President, Mrs. Hall.

Secretary, Mrs. M. Barlow.

Treasurer, Miss J. Cunningham

Asst. Secretary, Mrs. D. L. Fleming.

Finance, Mrs. Geo. Johnston

Flower Convener, Mrs. A. Hill

Convenors Overseas Boxes, Mrs. Argue, Mrs. Kinnear.

Kitchen Com., Mrs. Geo. Wallbridge.

Group Leaders, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Springer, Mrs. Ashbury, Mrs. Goodfellow.

Rep. on Board of Managers, Mrs. N. Williamson, Mrs. D. L. Fleming

At the close of the business one tasty were held and lunch served by Mrs. Ashbury and her group.

SALVATIVE LONDENERS

London — (CP) — The Londoner seems to be the most talkative Britisher. His long-distance telephone calls average three minutes 30 second. Newcastle residents make the shortest calls, averaging only 2 minutes five seconds.

PLAN LARGE HOSPITAL

Kampala, Uganda — (CP) — Grants for more than $1,894,750 made under the Colonial Development and Welfare Act, have enabled Uganda to plan one of the largest certified hospitals and extensive health services in the British Colonial Empire.

It's About Time



It's About time to consider this Victorian touch for bedroom curtains. Have curtains of white muslin with an eyelet ruffle in corners of matching valance, place large bows of velveteen, plum or dark color to blend with decor.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

About a year ago we had a misunderstanding with a relative who "spoke her mind" much too freely. Consequently this relative has been deeply hurt, and since then we haven't seen her at all. I feel that it would be best to keep away.

This past Christmas she sent me and each member of our family a greeting card. We all ignored her receipt of us, and didn't send her one in return. Now (1 would like to know what to do. If she were wrong in sending each of her husband's family a Christmas card, after acting the way she did, or (3) should we have sent her a New Year's card in return for her card, and forget what happened?

A Reader

Let's think about (1). Certainly she was not "wrong" in sending each member of your family a Christmas card. On the contrary she may have been trying her best to be "right", trying to show you that, by the gesture, she was sorry for what she had done, wanted to be forgiven, and wanted to re-establish a "right" relationship with your family. In other words, in her own way, the sending-of-a-Christmas-card was actually the first advance toward the reconciliation which she apparently wants to bring about. It's true, and she may be hopefully counting on this truth, that very often the sending or a Christmas card means much of the establishing of a relationship or friendship . . . such can be the power of a good thought, a good word of "good will toward—".

Which brings us to (3) . . . that you decide to do, what your heart tells you you want to do in answer to this relative's appeal, only you can say. The problem of forgiveness is always with us . . . in our daily prayer, " . . . as we forgive those who trespass against us." Bearing a grudge in our hearts continuously never solved anything, but as the wise old adage says, "Good-news and gladtheels to forgive". So we it's your choice (1) to "ignore" completely this relative's gesture, (2) if (think) wish to be friends again with you and your family, and push up this chasm that has come in her life, make some return bow to her Christmas card to you (perhaps a note thanking her for her greeting, or perhaps a cordial invitation to her to come to see you), with the hope and fervent belief that the unfortunate consequences will be a "good" lesson to her.

M. S.

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Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

My husband, our 6-year-old child, and I are going to Florida by train, to be there the last week or March and the first week of April. Since it is our first trip there, will you please tell me what kind of clothes we should wear as we start on the train from here, and what we should take with us?

As you leave from the North, you would wear either a medium-weight suit or dress, your husband a medium-weight suit, and your child perhaps a light-wool dress of pastel-light color. And you should all wear topcoats that could be serviceable for possible cool evenings there. Then, for Florida at that time of year, you would take the type of clothes that would be appropriate for summer weather. But, considering the distance you are travelling and service, don't take too many clothes for such a comparatively short stay.

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17 Children And Woman Trapped in Fire

Auburn, Me., Feb. 1 (AP) — 17 young children and a woman, trapped after a spreading fire swept flames racing through a wooden boarding home for war and factory workers here, were reported to be burned to death yesterday.

Most of the victims ranged in ages from three months to three years. They died in their cribs —their heads thrust through the spaces between the slats in their futile struggle to escape.

Only eight of the 26 occupants of the converted farmhouse were able to flee the fast-spreading flames that swept the interior of the converted farmhouse.

One of them was Mrs. Eva Lacosle, operator of the home, who sobbed "we don't have any more babies" as she told of trying to flee from the burning building with two cribs, of falling, and losing the babies in the fire.

"I had them in my arms, I lost them when I fell down," Mrs. Lacosle cried after telling Fire Prefect Frederick W. Caron, her physician, how a stove had exploded.

Fire Chief Ralph Harnden, who, with Bureau, aided Spiglas at sheets of flame barred them from the building, said a heart-rending spectacle was had when they finally were able to enter.

Sixteen bodies were found and one by one identified. Hours later, the body of the 17th, victim, a baby, was found in the ruins.

He said it was "a terrific sight" when he and his men finally battled their way to where the children had been quartered.

"We found many of them with their heads through the slats of their cribs, where they apparently had tried to escape," he added. "I carried out six of them myself, in my blankets."

When news of the disaster spread frantic relatives, seeking word of their offspring, converged on the area.

Many of the babies, the fire chief added, were burned badly. Others apparently died of suffocation.

Chief Hardin said the cause of the fire had not been established.

Queensboro

Queensboro — The January meeting of the United Church W.A. was held at the Parsonage on Thursday afternoon, January 25, with 12 members and visitors present. The meeting was in charge of the president. The Scripture was read by Mrs. Will Holmes. The subject of the program was "Worry" and the president read a short paper on the Scripture reading A poem "Worry" by Patience Strong was given by Mrs. John Thompson, followed by prayer by Mrs. Arthur Sager. Three poems "Courage" by Edgar Guest; "Yesterday" and "The Golden Hills" were read by Mrs. Fred Rollins, Mrs. Alan Holmes and Mrs. Arthur Holmes. The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting and gave the year's report for 1944. The treasurer's report was also read. A quilt committee of the following members, Mrs. Will Holmes, Mrs. Arthur Sager and Miss Marion Love was appointed. Items of business were discussed. It was planned to have a pot luck dinner and quilting at the home of Mrs. James Henderson. A hymn was sung and the benediction by Mrs. Geo. Glover. Following the meeting. A bountiful lunch was served by Mrs. Patterson and the assistant hostess. It was a very pleasant social half hour was spent.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rollins were Mr. and Mrs. C. Bailey and Mrs. Scott, of Roslin, and Mr. and Mrs. Orson Bailey, Cooper.

Miss Jean and Kathleen Rousseau and Geraldine DeClair, Tweed, spent the weekend at their home.

Pte. Y.P. Lemerise left after a "Man from Nowhere," at Hastings on Friday evening.

The members of St. Peter's Ladies' Guild held their January meeting at the home of Mrs. Ernest Groves on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Murray Rollins, of Manitoba, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Fleming and family, Springbrook, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Groves.

Mrs. J. Campbell is spending a few days with Mrs. Wm. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. McMurray and family spent Sunday in Belleville.

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Miss Alice Wilson, Hazzards, spent Sunday at her home.

Mrs. Jerome Chapelle is visiting relatives in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and family and Miss Marion Love spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thompson.

Mrs. Stanley Bailey, of Alberta, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rollins.

2nd Thurlow

2nd. Thurlow — Mrs. H. Murphy, Mrs. F. Doxtator, Mrs. R. Clarke, Mrs. Stratton, Mrs. C. Clarke spent an afternoon last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Elliott. A quilt was quilted during the afternoon and the men folk came later to supper.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Greatrix, Mrs. Snider called on Mr. and Mrs. Bukard and Mrs. Jeffrey, Shannonville on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Parnell and Lorne, Belleville, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dougal Atkins on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barlow, Mrs. Linn; Miss Betty Barlow, of Belleville; J. Weaverly, R.C.A.F., spent Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. F. Barlow. Reverend Young has also attended the funeral of the late Miss M. Fargey on Friday afternoon.

Mr. Lloyd Greatrix spent a few days with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Greatrix, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Doxtator were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Barlow.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mitchell, Mrs. R. Mitchell and Mrs. L. Gummer were Sunday night callers on Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Atkins.

Mr. Ralph Greatrix has returned to his home after spending some time cutting wood at Chisholm's bush.

Mrs. Harry Grills is spending a week in Toronto with her daughter, Mrs. and Mrs. R. W. Ellis.

Messrs H. Grills, P. Mitchell and F. Haight attended the Tuneka Growers' Convention held in the King Edward Hotel, Toronto last week.

Mrs. K. Bush and children, Sidney, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. P. Mitchell and grandmother, Mrs. Gummer.

Miss Lorena Haight called on Miss Doris Atkins on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Parnell and Lorne were Monday evening callers on Mr. and Mrs. J. Donaldson.

Mr. F. Mitchell called on Mr. S. Grills on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Grills, of Belleville, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grills.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Donaldson called on Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Donaldson, Belleville, recently.

Mrs. Harry Murphy is staying with her sister, Mrs. Ross Bolton, Belleville, who had the misfortune to fall and break her left hip. We all join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Hicks, Belleville, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. D. Atkins.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilson called on Mr. and Mrs. J. Lynch on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tucker, Bridge, were Sunday evening guests of the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. Mitchell and Mrs. R. Mitchell, who is visiting for the latter's home.

Messrs. F. Haight, D. Atkins and Ronald and Robert Atkins attended the hockey match on Saturday night in Belleville.

Miss Belle Clark is spending a few days with Mrs. H. Thomson and Mrs. A. Branscombe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Simmons and children, Mrs. M. Hall, Front road, had tea and supper with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Atkins and Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson.

Messrs P. Mitchell, Douglas Atkins and A. Mitchell attended the Milk Producers' meeting in Belleville on Tuesday.

Mohawk Reserve

Mohawk Reserve — The annual Vestry meeting of the parish of Tyendinaga was held at the Rectory Monday afternoon. Minister re-appointed Mr. Robert Hill as his warden for All Saints' Church, and appointed Mr. Joseph Green as warden of Christ Church. Chief Clifford Maracle and Mrs. Bernice Brant were re-appointed people's wardens for All Saints' and Christ Churches. Mr. Benson Brant was elected Lay Delegate to Synod, Mrs. Clifford Maracle and Mrs. Leslie Claus were re-elected auditors.

Mr. Stuart Hill, Oshawa, spent the weekend with his parents here.

Mr. John Williams is critically ill in Western Hospital.

Miss Betty Brant was a weekend guest of Misses Elaine, Viola and Catharine Hill.

Pte. Noble Hill and Pte. Victor Brant, Kingston, spent the week-end with their parents here.

A new son has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Maracle.

Mrs. Mark Maracle is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

Mr. Mark Hardy, Brockville, was a recent visitor at his parents' home.

Miss Marion Hardy, Belleville, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. J. Hardy.

Mrs. Laverne Thompson has returned from Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston.

Rawdon

Rawdon — Master Billy Bailey went to Kingston Hospital on Sunday for special treatments.

Mr. Clifford Sharp, Owen and Mabel of Wellman's, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Bailey, Thursday night.

Miss Dorothy Ryan, Belleville, visited her sister, Mrs. Clarence Dunham for a few days recently.

Mrs. Clifford Sharp is confined to bed daying with her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Maddocks, Port Hope.

Central Cheese factory held a special meeting in Stirling on Saturday afternoon and Mr. Bert Bedford presided. Mr. Lindsay McKeown was the secretary pointent of sCntral Factory for 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sharpe celebrated her 86th. birthday on Friday, January 26th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Will Johnson, Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer spent last week with Mrs. Alfred Merrills at Wellman's Corners.

The Parsonage Board of Rawdon circuit held their annual meeting on Tuesday afternoon.

The men on the third concession built themselves an up-to-date snow plough last week. Messrs. Lindsay Sharpe, Herbert Sharpe, Milford Wrighman and Carleton Pitts built the plough at Mr. Jack Brown's blacksmith shop at Hoards and it is understood it cost approximately $140 and will be a great asset in keeping the third concession open for motor travel. It requires three teams of horses for power.

Pte. Ormel MacMullen, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Jeffs and Robert were supper guests Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keaton, Thurlow. Mr. Keaton accompanied them home for a few days.

The cold weather last week froze the Jamesburg thaw and was hard on the woodpile. On Wednesday, Jan. 24th, the roads filled again with snow and the men shovelled for hours to clear the roads for motors.

The auction sale of Mr. Lorne Sharp was postponed for a week The Tuesday Trail Bible class met on Wednesday, January 24th at the home of Mrs. Clifford Sharpe. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Lorne Sharp on the fourth concession road. Lorne Sharp is very poorly at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Sharp entertained several young people at their home recently.

Mount Pleasant Rawdon Sunday School met at the home of Mrs. Church after Sunday School. Miss Betty McConnell played quiet music and Miss Eleanor Johnson presided and gave the call to worship. Miss Ruth Lane read the Bible lesson found in Exodus 2: 1-10, and Mrs. Wilbert Jeffs gave the worship period on the theme "Moses". Mrs. Cyrus Summers, ex-leader, installed the new slate of officers. Miss Marguerite Stone read the minutes and roll call. The Rawdon W.M.S. report showed four annual meetings held and three honorary fees paid for 1945. For 1944 thirty dollars was remitted to Presbyterial treasurer. The Study story was given by the new leader, Mrs. Jeffs, being the first chapter of the new book, entitled "Journey Together." Miss Grace Drumbaw gathered the offering which was studied the new year of 1945. The service closed with a hymn and Mizpah.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher spent an afternoon last week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher.



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Augustine Became First Archbishop of Canterbury

By W. L. C.
(in Windsor Star)

The Bishop of London has been promoted to the Archbishop of Canterbury, and some readers ask why the See of Canterbury should be senior to the See of London.

It is also pointed out that St. Hon. and St. Rev. Geoffrey Francis Fisher, D.D., was the 111th Bishop of London and he becomes St. Hon. and Most Rev. Dr. Fisher, the 97th Archbishop of Canterbury succeeding the late Rt. Hon. and Most Rev. William Temple, D.D., who had been the 96th Archbishop of York before his elevation to Archbishop of Canterbury.

The Archbishop of Canterbury also has his official residence at Lambeth Palace in London and not in Canterbury. The Bishop of London's official residence is Fulham Palace in London.

Back to Augustine.

It all goes back to Augustine and the coming of Roman Christianity to the people of England in 597.

Canterbury gets its name from being called the town of the men of Kent. The Saxons of early days knew the settlement as Cantwaraburh, which meant where the men of Kent lived. That name has been corrupted to Canterbury with the changing of the language from Saxon English to present English.

Two miles from Canterbury there was a heavy concentration of shipping in early times. People from all countries came to the country. There was a ford across the River Stour, which the early Romans used as they made their way to London and beyond.

Owing to its ford and being a centre of travel, Canterbury became quite a cosmopolitan centre for those times.

When Augustine and his missionary group arrived in England to bring Christianity to the people, it was natural that they should reach Canterbury as the first settlement of any size.

Everyone is familiar with the story of Pope Gregory and the slaves from England. The Pope saw the fine-looking slaves in Rome and asked them who they were. When they replied that they were Angles, he expressed the wish to convert them from Angles to angels. Accordingly, he sent Augustine and 40 Benedictine monks to England.—

Augustine was received by King Ethelbert of Kent and Queen Bertha. The Queen had already been converted to the Christian faith and she used her influence with Ethelbert to allow Augustine and his missionaries the use of the old church at Canterbury. The mythical founder of the ancient church was a King Lucius.

Synod of Whitby.

For a time there was difficulty between the Christianity taught by Augustine and the older Welsh form of Christian worship. This was settled at the Synod of Whitby in 664.

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Augustine lost no time in establishing his headquarters at Canterbury, being a Benedictine, he founded a monastery for his order and it became a part of the church which had been named a cathedral with Augustine as the First Archbishop of Canterbury.

Dr. Fisher becomes the 97th Archbishop of Canterbury and Primate of All England. Between Dr. Fisher and Augustine there have been some famous names. These include Lanfranc, Anselm, Thomas Becket, Stephen Langton, Reginald Cranmer and last three Primates, Randall Thomas Davidson, Cosmo Gordon Lang and William Temple.

Time of Reformation.

Thomas Cranmer was Archbishop of Canterbury when Henry VIII prompted the political reformation by which the King became the Head of the church in England. Church properties were taken over in the name of the monarch and he became the Defender of the Faith. Cranmer was Archbishop from 1533 to 1556.

After Queen Elizabeth became ruler, Protestant Puritans returned to England from Europe. The Puritans had strong differences of opinions on religious questions and they were the founders of the Presbyterian, Congregational and Baptist Churches.

Between Henry VIII and Elizabeth were King Edward VI and Queen Mary I, better known as "Bloody Queen Mary", who reversed the Roman Catholic religion and revived the laws against heretics. Archbishop Cranmer, Bishop Ridley of London and Bishop Latimer of Worcester, were executed at the stake by Mary.

As Latimer and Ridley were facing death with the flames starting to devour them, Bishop Latimer called out: "Be of good cheer, Master Ridley, we shall this day light such a candle in England as shall never be put out."

Great Power.

The bishops have grown in strength in Great Britain. The Archbishop of Canterbury wields great power and the House of Bishops has immense influence in the United Kingdom.

There are 24 Bishops in the House of Lords. They are senior to the barons and are listed next after the viscounts.

The Church of England holds great and valuable properties that run all the way from coal mines to hunting preserves. There are city and town properties that have annual rentals running into huge figures.

It has been estimated that the annual revenues from various sources bring the Church of England some $30,000,000.

Communicants and Others.

There are something over 3,000,000 communicants in the Church of England in Britain, which does not seem so many in a population of 45,000,000. But the influence exerted by these members of the Church of England is far in excess of their numbers. It has also been said that the Church of England can muster six voters for every member, which makes the political influence something to be counted seriously.

Dr. Fisher has assumed the leadership of the Church of England. As the 97th Archbishop of Canterbury he takes the reins at an hour when great men are needed more than ever before.

4th Sidney

4th. Sidney — The Stone Church Mission Band re-organized on January 9th, for the year 1945. The following officers were elected:

President, Earl Deller; vice-president, Harold Phillips; secretary, Buddy Meeks; treasurer, Lois Benedict; press reporter, Phyllis McMurter.

A meeting of the Mission Band was held on January 12th, at the school. The meeting was opened with the playing of a Chinese game. The news of the day was read by Gwen Woods; a story, "Timmy Two-Wheels" was read by Lois Benedict, Gwenllyn Woods and Phyllis McArter each reading a part of the story. The Call to Worship was read by the president with the school reading the response in unison. Hymns were sung, followed by prayer by Earl Detlor. The offering was taken by Lois Benedict and the meeting closed with a hymn and the Benediction.

Mr. Carman Huffman of Thurlow, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. E. Phillips last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Evans were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Carter, Foxboro.

Mr. Hugh Gray attended a barn meeting held on Mr. Murney Reynolds' farm, Foxboro, on Saturday afternoon which was sponsored by Hastings County Holstein-Friesian Breeders' Association.

Mrs. E. Phillips and Ivan spent the weekend at the home of the former's father, Mr. E. Huffman.

Mr. E. Phillips was a Sunday guest at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lane attended the dinner on Sunday tendered Mr. and Mrs. Massey on their 60th Wedding Anniversary held at their home on the 5th of Sidney.

Mrs. S. Hayton was confined to her bed over the weekend with a severe cold.

On Sunday afternoon at St. Mark's Anglican Church baptismal service was held when Rev. Mr. Brownlie baptized Robert Claude, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stiles, and Barbara Doris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Burkitt, and Shirley Dorlene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Burkitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Frost of Sidney, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barlow.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkitt and Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Burkitt called on Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hick, of Belleville, on Saturday.

KING INSPECTS CAVALRY

Somewhere in Southern England (CP) — The Hou'chold Cavalry, troopers who in planned helmets and shining breastplates escorted the King in peacetime ceremonies, gave His Majesty a wartime escort of four armored cars, a scout car and eight motor-cyclists when he inspected two of their composite regiments.

Allan Mills

Allan Mills — Mr. and Mrs. Reg McGee and Donna visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McKeown on Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Collins, of Peterborough, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Reid.

Mr. C. L. McKeown is on the sick list.

Mrs. Gerald Burkitt received word on Saturday that her sister, Mrs. Morley Tanner of Campbellford, was rushed to Belleville Hospital where she underwent an operation on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tucker, of Stirling, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stiles on Sunday.

Maple Leaf Cheese and Butter Co. held their annual meeting on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barlow celebrated their fifty-ninth wedding anniversary on Saturday, January 27th. Their many friends wish them many happy returns.

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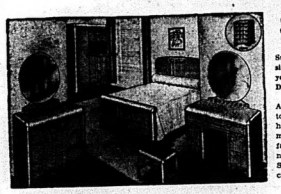
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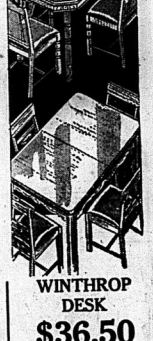
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The Sign Of The Double Eagle

Allied bombing of "Hansa" centres in the Reich recalls a trading organization of German merchants which was a recognized power in London in the Middle Ages—an influential financially that the term "sterling" as applied to British currency allegedly derives from one of its designations.

By G. R. STOCKS,
(In the P.I.A. Monthly)

Among the most frequent targets of the R.A.F. are the old Hanseatic towns of Germany. This is not altogether coincidental, since, for her size, Germany has always had very few ports. Bremen, Hamburg, Rostock, Lubeck and Cologne, and the other Hansa centres—Dortmund, Brunswick, Munster, Frankfurt and Magdeburg—have for centuries, owing to their geographical position, been important mants.

The Hanseatic League was one of the most powerful trading combines ever known and at its height extended all over Europe. Its headquarters in England was, naturally in London, and its attempts to set up trading monopolies had far-reaching effects on the trade of the early London merchants.

The Hansets of Lubeck, also known as "Easterlings," gained such a trading reputation that their currency came to be recognized as a standard, and some authorities maintain that this was the origin of our word "sterling."

Set up as the result of charters and agreements between successive British monarchs and German merchants, the League in London gradually made itself indispensable to English kings.

The first important charter was granted by Richard I. Over de Lion to the merchants of Cologne, in return for hospitality extended to him while in that city. By this the members were exempt from paying rent for their premises in Thames Street, and acquired special privileges in buying and selling throughout the entire country.

The German merchants had a depot in London from the tenth century onwards, but it was not until the reign of Richard II that it was known as the Steelyard. In 1155 it is referred to as the "Hansu Colner," in London; in 1194 as the "Gildehalle de Colonie"; in 1260 as the "Guildehalle Theutonicorum," or Guildhall of the "Teutons," and in 1467 as the "Hall of the Easterlings," or the "Easterlings Halle."

Thus, by the name alone, one can trace the gradual growth and spread of their trade, as the Hanseatic League developed. At first it was mainly in the hands of Cologne who visited London, then merchants from various parts of Germany, and finally, with the development of the Baltic trade, were added the "Easterlings" (men from the "Ostsee" or Baltic) who came into close touch with London through the rich League city of Visby in Gotland.

The Steelyard was situated in Dowgate and from the first insignificant building the premises of the League were extended until a large area was taken in.

Among the subsidiary premises which grew up was the once famous Rhenish Wine House, catering specially for the Rhenish members, and to which many references are made in contemporary history. As time went on the Steelyard buildings were further improved, and eventually they held a collection of rich art treasures.

One condition of the granting of the trading privileges was that the Hanseats in London should repair, rebuild, and defend the Bishopsgate, as and when required. Their trading privileges were, however, worth a great deal, and eventually they secured the English raw wool trade, the most lucrative commerce of that time.

The trade which gave them a start was the carriage of Baltic herrings, which were in great demand throughout Europe. But this was only a beginning, and the Hansa's power soon embraced a variety of merchandise.

The Russian duties days supplied many valuable products through its great mart at Novgorod, among them were timber, tar, pitch, honey, wax, furs, hides and tallow. From the Italian ports, particularly Venice, the Hanseatic carried the products of the Orient, leatherwork, silks, precious metals, gums and fruits. Swedish supplied copper and iron and various forms of building material. England exported her wool and coarse cloths. A fair proportion of this trade was handled by the Kontor in London.

The life of the Hansa merchants in London was, as elsewhere, austere. They were subject, during the early stages at least, to a half-monastic, half-military discipline. They had to spend from seven to ten years in the service of the League. During that time they could not leave London, and were under the absolute control of the Kontoraeister.

They must remain single, and were forbidden even to sleep outside the Steelyard buildings for a single night. The rooms they occupied were practically devoid of furniture, and had very little comfort. They were, of course, forbidden to trade on their own account. The League had its own judicial system for dealing with its employees.

The League members were, however, careful to keep as far as possible in favor with the Church and State and civic authorities, realizing that their privileges depended largely upon this attitude. In London they went to the church of All Hallows the More (destroyed in 1894), where they had seats reserved for them.

For hundreds of years this great trading concern carried all before it in the Port of London. There was, of course, opposition from the London merchants. The lucrative wool trade was the chief cause of dissension, but the privileges of the Hansa, which were not reciprocated in German cities, gave them a most unfair advantage.

Appeals to the authorities, usually in need of the Hansa's financial aid, brought no result for a long time. But at last, in 1552, largely due to the influence of Sir Thomas Gresham, the privileges of the League were rescinded, and German merchants were placed on the same footing as other foreign traders.

At this time, too, English merchants, in an endeavor to establish free trading rights, had formed themselves into the Company of Merchant Venturers, under the governorship of Sebastian Cabot. Other similar companies soon followed, the Muscovy, the Levant, and the Eastland Companies. These became rivals of the Hansa in continental trade, and were largely responsible for its downfall in Europe.

Finally, in 1598, Queen Elizabeth ordered the Hansests to leave the Steelyard, and after centuries of residence and trading there, they had to go, although Jl was later restored to them. As a result of the 'Thirty Years' War, the power of the Hansa was entirely broken on the Continent; of all the wealthy cities which had comprised it, only Bremen, Hamburg and Lubeck carried on.

In the Great Fire of London a great part of the Steelyard was destroyed. The then Commissioner, Jacobsen, after vainly appealing to Lubeck for funds, had a portion rebuilt at his own expense. You may still see the site of Dowgate Wharf, but you will look in vain for signs of the once mighty Hansa. The site is now occupied by Cannon Street Railway Station.

Through the Steelyard offices had been conducted all the business of the other English ports at Hull, King's Lynn, Boston, Grimsby, Southampton, Yarmouth, Canterbury, Rochester, York, Norwich and Bristol. The trade mark of the League was the double eagle, and all their property, wharves, goods ships, and furnishings, were marked with this sign.

The Hansa decayed slowly, the last connection with London being broken as late as 1853, when, after long negotiation, the still Hansa towns of Hamburg, Bremen and Lubeck sold the Steelyard buildings to the London men.

It is strange to think that the Hanseatic League, at the height of its power, could influence monarchs, cities and states. By "Un-Hansing" a city they could practically reduce it to ruin, by shutting off its trade. But the fact is that they did enjoy a long-lived and widespread monopoly, which enabled the headquarters at Lubeck to dictate to cities much more wealthy.

History has a strange knack of repeating itself. Formerly the Hansa cities made economic war on London. Now, four hundred years later, London and the Hansa cities are again engaged in conflict.

BATTLE FRONT HUMOR — BY RICKY



"Don't Let Everything Go Whatever Happens."
—Cartoon by Ricky, R.C.A.F.

PICTON

Year of Progress Reported By St. Andrews Ch.

Picton, Jan. 31 — A year of progress was reported at the congregational meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. All organizations reported increased finances. P. R. Reid, who until recently was stationed in Halifax, now attending university in Toronto, recommended that the church invite a minister. C. D. Wilson, treasurer, reported extensive repairs had been made to the church and the manse.

David Campbell reported 23 Boy Scouts enrolled and a Wolf Pack is being organized. Mrs. Campbell told of Girl Guide work, with 19 on the roll. This year, two Guides, Doreen McKinnon and Shirley Henry have attained the first class degree, the first in ten years. C. McKinnon, J. K. Dodds, C. D. Wilson and D. Campbell were named Board of Managers. Mrs. Wilson continues as treasurer. Mrs. H. McDonald reported that the Service Fund had sent many treats to men in the services.

United Church

Picton United Church enjoyed an increase in givings and membership, it was reported at the annual meeting.

Rev. A. E. McCutcheon, the minister presided, and was highly commended on his work. Reports were given for various organizations by George Morden, Mrs. Grace Morris, Mrs. R. Gerow, Mrs. H. Holmes, Mrs. T. Brown, Mrs. F. Jones, Mrs. A. M. Palmatier, Mrs. A. K. Leonard, Rev. T. M. Woodon, Rev. J. W. Shier, Ern Ward, R. L. Perkin, H. H. Huff, Mrs. E. Ward.

A War Services Committee was named to secure names of those in the services and to send treats. Dr. W. R. Lane expressed thanks to all organizations for their splendid work. The meeting followed a congregational supper.

COAL DESTROYED BY FIRE

Chatham, Jan. 31—(CP)—Thousands of tons of coal were destroyed by fire in a coal storage pile here. The fire now is dying out.

Malone

Malone—Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Deline on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred and baby, also Miss Bessie Wilson, Marmora, and Mr. Cecil Long.

Mrs. Walter Lowery and family, Mrs. Harry Lowery, Mrs. Clifford Deline and Bessie, also Mrs. Henry Weese and Lorraine Long, spent Friday evening with Mrs. George McCrimmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Fox also Mr. and Mrs. George Fox and baby, spent the weekend with friends in Peterborough.

Mr. Leo Maloney also Miss Thelma Post spent the tea hour on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCann.

Mrs. W. Lowery, Mrs. H. Lowery, called on Mrs. H. Weese one afternoon last week.

Mrs. Ford Chamberlain spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weese.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold VanMeas and family, Northbrook, spent the weekend with Mrs. Walter Lowery.

Miss Aleta Kelly spent the weekend in Marmora, guest of her sister, Mrs. Claude Nichol.





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Bombers Score Five Times In Third Period To Down Sixardee 8 to 5 in Fast Game

Cawley Rings Up Three as Bombers Possess Too Much Staying Power; Williams Good in Nets

FAST GAME

Coming from behind to score five goals in the final period, the Mountain View "Bombers" virtually clinched a play-off berth in the Quinte R.C.A.F. service hockey league at the Hume Arena last night, edging Sixardee 8 to 5.

The losers were forced to come from behind to gain a two-all tie at the end of the initial period of fast play and then Sixardee forged to the fore to outscore the Bombers two to one and lead 4 to 3 at the end of the second. However, in the final session it was the Mountain Bombers with their wide-passing game who won by scoring five successful goals before Sixardee finally could put dirt for their fifth and final counter.

The game was productive of smart passing plays on the part of both squads while the going was exceedingly speedy throughout through the Bombers' defence where Savard and Swanson, both stellar backing bouncing as the Sixardee forwards dared to invade the Bombers' territory. However, it was Williams in the Bombers' net, who was voted by Reverted No. 16 Repair Depot spectators with his marvelous saves between the goal pipes. Now the question arises who is the best goalie in the league, Williams of Mountain View or Robertson of the Trenton "Flyers", when these two teamed next Wednesday maybe the answers can be found.

Cawley Scores Two.

It looked like a clinch for the Bombers as the veteran Dan Cawley banged home two timely first period goals midway through the initial period to give the ultimate winners a scheduled lead. McMullin was also helping hand on both these counters, while Don Willson, former Belleville market junior star, and new-comer to the Mountain View ranks, also helped.

However, the Sixardee squad was not-to-be denied and drove back with vengeance and power to be rewarded when Bill Leonard soloed up the left boards and rammed a low shot past Williams that stunned, trapped at this point Six-

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PROPOSE NO ALLAN CUP SERIES FOR 1945

Winnipeg, Feb. 1 (CP)—Frank Hannibal of Winnipeg, President of the Manitoba Amateur Hockey Association, and executive M.A. H.A. meeting last night that he does not believe a Dominion Cup senior hockey final will be held this season.

He said the Quebec Branch of the C.A.H.A. announced it impossible for the branch to send a team to New Westminster, B.C., which has been mentioned as the locale of the finals, should a Quebec team win the eastern Canada championship.

An official of Port Arthur Shipbuilders defending western champions, and expressed the opinion that should the shipbuilders advance in the inter-provincial playoffs, they would not be able to leave home for any extended period to compete in the finals, he said shipbuilders are the only senior players in the Thunder Bay branch.

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SURE FIRE

By Jack Sords.



FUTURE OF N.H.L. LOOMS BRIGHTER, PLAN TO ENLARGE

By FRED KERNER
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

This weekend may see the shape of things to come in the National Hockey League. At Montreal the loop governors stage a gathering of the clan, and when the clan gathers so do the clouds of rumor and gossip—but they all have a silver lining.

Yes, silver lining . . . listen to the cash jingling in the N.H.L. ticket wickets.

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President Mervin (Red) Dutton of the Montreal Americans—no relation to the Dodgers — are a potential candidate for membership in the circuit. Other quarters add that Montreal will again support two teams, a league in itself to hold a couple of squads. Washington and St. Louis are being considered as entries. Buffalo and Cleveland are ready for major league hockey.

Other suggestions pour in by the hour, to which Conny Smythe, the majority man of Toronto Maple Leafs, adds, "We've been sitting on our hands."

Owners are willing to pay the sums 200-odd hockey players of pro calibre coming back from the armed forces will be play hockey. And rest assured that there will be plenty of playing material for a 12-team loop so the clubs in the league now so see that the loop expands.

What's Doing in Sport

Secretary W. A. Hewitt of the National Hockey Association announced at Toronto last night the Memorial Cup junior title will be played this season by a junior "B" club must be included in the Memorial Cup junior "B" competition for clubs in any series. Secretary Hewitt explained that there has been an impression that a juvenile player could play in the junior "B" series and not lose his status nor be counted in the authorized squad. But the Memorial Cup announced the Preston-at Guelph junior "B" game last Saturday night will be replayed in Preston Feb. 19 by mutual agreement.

News of the death in poverty in Switzerland of a former famous boxer, J. H. (Sketa) Martin, was confirmed in Zurich. Sketa Martin won the 1902 Epsom Derby and had 173 winners to his credit between 1898 during the 1899 season.

Johnny Greco, Montreal welterweight, yesterday rounded out his training at Lake Placid, N.Y., for his third meeting with Bobby Ruffin scheduled for the Madison Square Garden, New York, Friday night.

After a conference with Larry Macphail, president and general manager of New York Yankees, Ed Barrow, club president under the old regime, announced yesterday his relationship with the new head has been straightened out. Barrow, as chairman of the board, is to offer advice but is not to interfere with Macphail.

Chas McCance, star of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers when they won the Dominion championship in 1941, is in a service uniform once more but of a different hue. He has been discharged from the R.C.A.F. it was announced at Winnipeg. McCance has had enlisted in the Canadian Army.

The Toronto Young Men's Hebrew Association yesterday officially announced the appointment of William (Mone) Rogin as director of athletics and basketball coach. The former basketball star of Windsor Assumption and Toronto St. Michael's College, manager of interscholastic athletics at Sarnia for 3 1/2 years.

Jackie Hamilton and Gaye Stewart, formerly of Toronto Maple Leafs, with Bill Shill, also from the N.H.L., teamed up in the winning tally at Halifax last night when the R.C.A.F. Overseas defeated the victory over H.M.C.S. Stadacona in a senior league fixture.

Merrilton Hayes Hellcats, Canadian amateur basketball champions, had little difficulty last night in defeating Toronto Tip Tops 53-33 in exhibition feature at St. Catharines.

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Halifax Senior

H.M.C.S. Cornwallis 7, H.M.C.S. Stadacona 3.
Senior Inter-Services Senior
Army 4, H.M.C.S. Cornwallis 1.
Maritime Junior Division Junior
St. Boniface Athletics 9, Canadian Ukrainian Athletic Club 2.
Maritime Inter-Division Junior
Winnipeg Juniors (South) 4, Winnipeg Esquires (North) 2.
Edmonton Junior
Canadians 8, Maple Leafs 7 (overtime tie).

(By The Canadian Press)

American League

	W	L	T	Pts.
Western Division				
Indianapolis	19	13	11	49
Cleveland	20	10	9	49
Pittsburg	17	19	7	40
St. Louis	8	24	5	21
Eastern Division				
Buffalo	21	15	7	49
Hershey	17	17	7	41
Providence	11	26	5	27

Wednesday: Pittsburg 3; Hershey 1.

LACHINE WINS 7-6

Lachine, Que. Feb. 1 — (CP) — Lachine Rapides eked out a 7-6 triumph last night, over Valleyfield Braves, interprovincial hockey league leaders. It was their eighth victory in 10 games and brought them within a point of the second-place Cornwall Canadiens who have played four more games than Rapides.

It was goal for goal all through the game with Valleyfield in the lead twice and Lachine five times. Steele Paulson was Lachine's pay off man. He snared a loose puck 2 seconds before the final whistle and drove it home from 10 feet out. It was his second goal of the game and his fellow marksman were Geo. Thomas, with two, Bob Broderick, Guy Crowley and Alex Joanisse. The Valleyfield line of "Mouse" Joannette, Bernard Vinet and Rolland Boyer scored four Braves goals and Boyer accounting for a pair. Polesani and Connolly were the other Valleyfield scorers.

United States has quite decided yet just what degree of essentiality sport has, as until such time as it is secured on that, professional athletes will have to bear the brunt of occasional criticism from some members of the populace and the occasional restrictive order from the government. Anyway the fans are happy.

Dualdexterity:

Earl Robertson, who jumped into the limelight with the 1936 Stanley Cup finals, is having the time of his life coaching the pee-wee hockey players in Edmonton...The Canada Minor Hockey Association, of which claims to be the largest organization devoted exclusively to minor hockey, is still growing. Registration of minor teams this year has reached eight more than last year's record total...Jim Thomson Glebe and Matt Gallagher man has given food for thought to those St. Michael's College hockey fathers who claim this year's Irish edition is the best ever. On the 1934 Memorial Cup-winning Irish were such stalwarts as Harvey Jackson, Syd Reg and Johnny Hamilton, defence, Mickey Drouillard, Bobby Bauer, Bob Kelly. Art Jackson and Johnny Acheson and Mick Metcalfe on the end all. If the present squad can do as well—it will do all right.

ANOTHER JOB FOR GEN. MACARTHUR

Lawrence, Kas., Feb. 1 — (AP)— Dr. Forrest (Phog) Allen, who was telling "Fire, Fire," months ago when others couldn't see smoke, is the basketball betting, wants Gen. Douglas MacArthur to close the gambling evil in college as soon as the Pacific war is over.

"It will take a great organizer and General MacArthur, who always has been a great sports fan, would be the man to give collegiate sports the thorough renovation it needs," the Kansas University coach said. "There are plenty more things he could look into, too, such as college baseball coaches acting as scouts for big league teams, sub rosa agreements to athletes and other evils."

Phog predicted last fall that an incident would occur soon to start one which brought indictment yesterday of two men on charges of bribing five Brooklyn basketball players.

No Boxers?

Tampa, Fla., Feb. 1 — (AP)—Behind the wheels of service jeeps is being developed the greatest collection of daredevil racing drivers in history, says Johnny Mauro, national champion dirt track auto driver.

But boxers?

"No," says Cmdr. Jack Dempsey. The former heavyweight boxing champion says boxers are in too good boxing mth that I've observed in his war. It takes three or four of them to develop a topnotch fighter."

Further:

"People say that the last war produced great fighters. It didn't. Gene Tunney came along, to be sure, but it was seven years after the war before he became champion."

Meanwhile, Wilburn, a former from a 13-month job overseas as a civilian technician with the United States Army Air Forces, predicted a tremendous post-war boom in auto racing as well as other branches of sport.

ANCIENT IRISH TITLES

Dublin — (CP) — The genealogical office at Dublin Castle has listed 1,200 titles, first list of names of Irish leaders of ancient Irish tribes the heads of their clube.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



CASUAL COMMENT

by K.J.C.

It Pays to Advertise

A hen is not supposed to have
Much earnings game of cast—
Yet every time she lays an egg
She cackles forth the fact.

A rooster hasn't got a lot
Of intellect to show—
But none the less most roosters
crow
Enough sense to crow.

The mule, the most despised of beasts
Has a persistent way
Of letting folks know he's around
By his indistinct bray.

The busy little bees they buzz;
Bulls bellow and cows moo.
The watch-dogs bark, the drakes they quack,
And doves and pigeons coo.

The peacock spreads his tail and struts,
Pigs squeal and robins sing,
And even serpents know enough
To hiss before they sting.

But man, the greatest masterpiece
That nature could devise,
Will not stop and hesitate
Before he'll advertise.

Junior Round-up

With the exception of two postponed games, Belleville at Trenton and Campbellford at Trenton, the group schedule in the "Little Six" Junior O.H.A. play-down series hears Lack of scoring punch proved the difference between victory and defeat for the No. 6 Repair Depot squad, while the Bomber sextet proved apt opportunists on the occasions to score were present-ly. Only the goal-tending stars of the teams show any degree of superiority, but the Bombers possess a bit more power to collect the moneyed game.

Familiar Names—

Minor hockey facilities in the Lifflock City Goalie Len Hartford, Ken Burton, Bun Kingdon, Honey Todhpkins, Joe Slewett and Wilmot Yeo of the old Peterboro Seniors have lined up with the Omemee Blackhawks in the Intermediate O.H.A. Last week the Blackhawks beat Lindsay 3 to 4 with Yeo and Hartford the goal bell nine times and Kingdon getting eight. Back in oldtime form was the Petes' line of Kingdon, flanked by Blewett and Tompkins to score as many as three goals in a minute's play. It was like old times reading off the names of such veteran players in the Examiner, but apparently the opposition afforded the Omemee-Peterboro sextette is far from that which might produce any degree of competition. After glancing over the summary of the game we are more convinced than ever that the calibre of hockey played in the Quinte R.C.A.F. service league is the best played in these parts.

Page Mike Redden—

Working on the theory that Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes' appointment will have little effect in Canada, promoters of the proposed Queen-Ontario League are going ahead with their plans, in the hope of operating the circuit next season. Fifteen clubs are under consideration for membership, including Cornwall, Brockville, Kingston, Hull, Kingston, Lachine, Ottawa, Quebec, Farnborough, Pulp, Shawinigan, Sorel, St. Hyacinthe, Three Rivers, Valleyfield and Verdun. All of them are in Quebec except Cornwall, Kingston and Ottawa. A meeting will be held in Quebec within a month to talk over plans.

Remember when—

Hughie Jennings, who won the American League pennant for the Detroit Tigers the first year he managed a major league baseball club, died at his Scranton, Pa., home 17 years ago today. Jennings led the Tigers from 1907 to 1920, winning league honors in 1907, 1908 and 1909. He was succeeded by Ty Cobb.

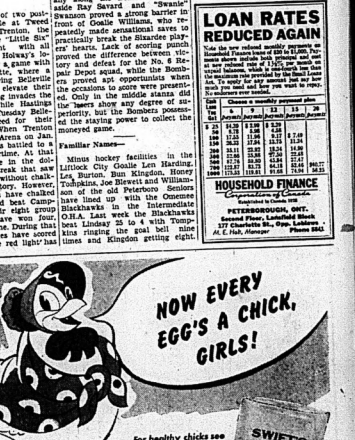
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800	69.76	48.64	38.40	32.00
900	78.48	54.72	43.20	36.00
1000	87.20	60.80	48.00	40.00
1100	95.92	66.88	52.80	44.00
1200	104.64	72.96	57.60	48.00
1300	113.36	79.04	62.40	52.00
1400	122.08	85.12	67.20	56.00
1500	130.80	91.20	72.00	60.00
1600	139.52	97.28	76.80	64.00
1700	148.24	103.36	81.60	68.00
1800	156.96	109.44	86.40	72.00
1900	165.68	115.52	91.20	76.00
2000	174.40	121.60	96.00	80.00
2100	183.12	127.68	100.80	84.00
2200	191.84	133.76	105.60	88.00
2300	200.56	139.84	110.40	92.00
2400	209.28	145.92	115.20	96.00
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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 596
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

Results justify it again and again. If experts it was raining, you still would rely on the rule T-A-N as bidding basic training.

Make follow the pattern of choice in T-A-N; takeout, first assist, second choice; no-trump, last resort. You break away from that order only when you give some special signal.

Runs around with this responding hand:

♠A 5
♥K 4 2
♦A Q 3
♣K J 9 5

What would you answer to an opening of five in a minor suit or four in a major? Pass as a signal to deny three aces and a king.

What would you answer to an opening of four in a minor or three in a major? Four no-trump as a signal for slam information. An assist to game in that suit would be a signal to deny two sure tricks.

What would you answer to an opening of two spades or two hearts? Two diamonds? Three clubs normally to show your takeout suit. Two no-trump would be a signal to deny having a sure trick.

What would you answer to an opening of two clubs? Three clubs normally to show an assist when you have no takeout. Two no-trump would be a signal to deny having a sure trick.

What would you answer to an opening of two no-trump? Three clubs normally to show your takeout suit. Pass would be a signal to deny having as much as one high card.

What would you answer to an opening of one spade or one heart or one diamond? Two clubs normally to show your takeout suit.

What would you answer to an opening of one club? A jump to two no-trump as a signal to show slam in no-trump. After that the bids follow T-A-N if necessary.

You See how it is. Where special signals are not needed first, T-A-N is followed at once. Where special signals are used first, T-A-N is followed thereafter until slam signals are needed.

When you find yourself in doubt, T-A-N will help you out.

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"F" ALLEYS

Evening League

Pick-Ups (2) — Bullock, Moore 448; P. Lee 533; J. Fairbairn 462; P. Davis 512; J. Tice 504—2564.

Killers (1 point) — T. Wardhaugh 564; B. Shappaw 460; A. Hurst 366; R. Yorke 516; B. Reddick 497—2303.

Lawbrokers 4 points: P. Legault 521; R. Stapleton 506; P. Reed 556; N. Dorion 488; J. Doe 300—2143.

Spitfires—Defaulted.

AIRMEN FIGHT LOCUSTS

Karachi, India — (CP) — Military aeroplanes are being used in the war against locusts, a menace regiment, units of which have been mobilized at various places in Sind, Rajputana and Bikaner, is doing good work. Reconnaissance is done by the Locust Warning Organization of the government of India.

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Friday, Feb. 2nd
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TEEN AGE CLUB
Friday, February 2nd
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COLLEGIATE GYMNASIUM
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● MILDRED DILLING, HARPIST.
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State Legislature Amends Law To Make Bribing In Sports a Major Crime

Claim Gambling Ran as High as $10,000,000 Weekly on Big College Cage Games

By JOE REICHLER
(Associated Press Sport Writer.)

Brooklyn, Feb. 1 (AP)—With New York State's legislature heading a legal hand, as far as that state is concerned, basketball officials and other interested sportsmen throughout the United States today renewed their efforts to stamp out widespread gambling on games which one source estimated ran as high as $10,000,000 weekly.

While a Kings County grand jury returned yesterday conspiracy indictments against two men charged with bribing five Brooklyn college basketball players, the state legislature rushed two bills directly connected with gambling on sports contests.

Assemblyman Malcolm Wilson introduced a bill to amend the penal law which would make amateur athletes liable to fines up to $1,000 and imprisonment for one to five years.

Amend Laws.

Also introduced was a bill amending the penal law to provide that offering of a bribe to an amateur athlete a felony, instead of a misdemeanor as at present. A person guilty of a felony is subject to 10 to 20 years imprisonment, whereas a misdemeanor is punishable by only one to two years.

Accused in the Kings County grand jury action were Aaron Wm. Stemmer and Henry Rosen, confessed bookmaker, who were charged with conspiring to "defraud the public" by bribing five Brooklyn college players to throw a game against Akron university of Ohio at Madison Square Garden last night. The game was cancelled.

No charges were placed against Harrison Barnett, Tarry Fearichild, Robert Leder, Jerry Green, and Stanley Simon, the Brooklyn players, although they were named in the indictment as co-conspirators and will appear as witnesses when the case comes before county Judge Samuel S. Leibowitz Feb. 13.

Recreation Alleys

Ladies' Afternoon League

Money Savers 4 points: O. Walden 366; M. Ashley 440; G. Digby 317; M. Foster 375; B. Fairman 307—1805.

Maple Leafs 4 points: R. Wright 448; E. Moreau 514; E. Moore 468; O. Cross 462; J. Doe 342—2140.

Pirates 3 points: M. Marvel 461; I. Halbert 518; M. Wardhaugh 466; J. Noakes 567; M. Drumm 522 — 2506.

Spoilers 1 point: G. Kelleher 502; J. Miller 276; M. Shadlock 390; M. Mandery 467; T. White 539—2284.

Reliables 2 points: L. Cory 466; T. Smith 456; J. Doe 374; I. Royle 467; B. Rawson 471—2118.

Dodgers 1 point: A. Hurst 410; M. Nokes 364; R. Charlton 368; B. Bradford 476; D. Brown 419; J. Reid 441—2478.

Resistance Mixed

Headpins 3, Hgan 561; J. Connell 339; E. Wilkins 545; R. Anderson 538; W. Francis 567; V. Whitmarsh 403—2838.

Bombers: B. Phillips 375; A. Meeks 470; G. Cameron 474; J. Davis 609; E. Jeffs 435; W. Bland 510—2937.

Spitfires: E. Richter 625; W. Pulwell 426; D. Brown 419; J. Pepper 409; L. Luccola 469—2347.

Lucky Strikes: C. Mertz 460; C. Vanhinte 448; M. Taylor 439; V. Wagner 470; C. Cornell 374; C. Draeger 427—2568.

Gremlins: M. Matthews 550; J. Burgess 561; R. Gardiner 496; M. McKenna 395; G. Seames 486; F. Morris 604; P. Fulton 383—3405.

Aces: E. Kurtz 464; P. Gradeur 561; O. May 609; M. Reid 466; D. Cake (2) 196—2226.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 1 — (AP) — No sooner had Maurie Waxman, Bobby Ruffin's personal drum beater, heard that Commissioner Kitte Eagan was looking for a better way to score fights than he let out a blast that Ruffin wouldn't fight Johnny Greco tomorrow unless there was a new scoring system... That threat didn't even get a laugh, but it served to point out the possibility of using the bout as a test case... How about taking the best suggestions and having one qualified judge use each method just to compare them with the official vote? . . . In New Orleans they let the fans have their choice and as a result the referee will name the winner, alone . . .

Today's Guest Star:

Lynn Boyle, Philadelphia Evening Bulletin: "When a manager brags he'll get his fighter in the first division, be sure to ask him whether he means major league or army."

One-minute Sports Page—

Bob Leder, one of the boys involved in the Brooklyn College basketball mess, also is a member of the athletic committee which will decide what to do about them ... Tug Wilson says the Big Ten hasn't had a single application for the $15,000 commissioner's job. Here's one.

JOHNNY BLUTE LEADS SCORERS IN JUNIOR "A"

Toronto, Feb. 1 (CP)—Johnny Blute of St. Michael's Majors, widened his lead in the Ontario Hockey Association's Junior A scoring race to 11 points over team mate Leo Gravelle as the teams entered the final part of the schedule. Blute has 46 points. Two other St. Michael's forwards, Johnny McCormack of Edmonton, and Bob Sadler are tied for third place with 35 points, two less than Gravelle. Winnipeg's Doug McMurdy, high-scoring St. Catharines defenceman is next with 34 points.

The leaders:

	G	As	Pt	Min
Blute, St. Michael's	30	19	46	16
Gravelle, St. Mike's	19	16	27	4
McCormack, St. M.	15	20	35	2
Sadler, St. Mike's	17	18	35	4
McMurdy, St. Cath.	17	17	34	21
Petersen, St. Cath.	15	16	31	10
Sloan, St. Mike's	15	15	30	2

Team:

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
St. Mike's	16	15	1	0	153	41	30
St. Cath.	16	8	6	2	91	99	18
Galt	14	8	6	0	67	61	16
Oshawa	14	7	7	0	84	53	14
Toronto St.	14	7	7	0	54	53	14
Marlboros	17	7	10	0	52	124	4
x-Port Col.	17	1	16	0	24	46	2

x-Withdrawn.

Little Benny's Note Book

Cousin Oscar is still staying with us and sleeping in the guest room, being the only one that never talks about how good he used to be at golf and after supper he was looking kind of sad in his corner of the room in the living room, saying, Oh well, as the old saying goes, such is life without a wife. But I can't get the kind of a clitsen that ever expects to have a wife, for I got mine all over me all in a rush that the fokes at home were finally by missing me a lot, he said.

Well Oscar, you're feeling homesick, is that it? I said. Well, he said, Well, naturally 1?y only natural.

Both of them starting to look glad, and Cousin Oscar said, I admit it's been on my conscience, because they never have got mine. I was the life of every party, I used to practically tear the house down, I didn't wheel my weight, it was. I'm sure would make me feel better if I could go down and talk to them, just like old times, he said.

Well, if you feel that way, Oscar, maybe it's wrong of you to deprive them of the pleasure, you said, and Cousin Oscar said, That's how I feel about it, but it's a question of exersee.

Well now, that might be managed, ma said looking at pop, and pop said, Absolutely, I dont see why I can't advance you enough for your trip home. How much is the fare? he said.

Oh, I've got my railroad ticket all right, it's not that, Cousin Oscar said. What I was thinking was, it might be nice for me to go there are you, and then I'd be easier in my mind about staying here a little longer with you fokes, he said, and pop said, Oh, I see what you mean. You're right, Oscar, those long distance calls run into money, he said, I should say so for land sakes.

Being the end of the subject.

WORKERS HOSPITALIZED

Montreal, February 1 — (CP) — Eight aircraft workers received hospital treatment for food poisoning, and officials of the Fairchild Aircraft Plant at nearby Longueuil said they were hastily taken stands of food served in the plant restaurant.



AT THE BELLS — Betty Field co-stars with Joel McCrea in Paramount's "The Great Moment," arriving today. Preston Sturges wrote and directed this romantic drama, which has a big dash of comedy. Hilgard Hartley and Eleanor Parker in "The Last Ride."

Mess Room Chatter Of Canada's Airmen

With the R.C.A.F. Overseas, Feb. 1 (CP) — An RCAF Wellington piloted by FO. J. E. Neelin, 23-year-old Brandon, Ont., skipper, and an R.A.F. Liberator took turns in dropping a submarine but results of the attack are not public.

It was the first attack for FO. Lloyd Creaser of Bridgeport, N.S., the Wellington co-pilot who spotted the U-boat at night from a distance of seven miles. Three other Canadian in the Demon Squadron aircraft was another Nova Scotian, FO. J. W. Aulenbock, of Bridgewater.

Flashing on his Leigh lights, Neelin dived to the attack. The U-boat's anti-aircraft machine-gun hits as the enemy tried to crash-dive and then depth-charges were dropped.

The R.A.F. Liberator was waiting for the U-boat when it surfaced a few minutes later, slightly damaged, and launched another depth-charge attack. A large oil stage below like a fire appeared on the ocean, then it and the submarine disappeared.

Later Neelin and his crew saw three patches of oil on the surface, the largest a mile long.

FO Robert Rethie of Edmonton, navigator, pulled out of a damaged Beaufighter over the Bay of Bengal, and swam to an island where wild-eyed natives welcome him as a celebrity and wanted to name one of the islands in his honor. Rethie refused the offer, then modestly declined. He suggested the island be called "Kite," the scaly-necked nickname for a Beaufighter—and that's what it's now called.

Both he and his pilot, a Scot, swam for three hours through shark-infested waters after parachuting from their damaged plane.

"As flying fish made me jump once," said Rethie. "I thought for a minute I'd seen the fin of a shark." Finally he set out on what turned into a four-day tour of the Sunderman Islands in native boats in search of telephone or telegraph communication but after sending a message continued on to Calcutta by railroad and aircraft.

R.C.A.F. bands stationed in Britain have made musical history for Canada during the past two years. They have played at air force stations, for parades, dances and broadcasts—and even before the King and Queen and Princess Elizabeth.

There are five bands in Britain and another is expected soon from Canada. All are under Flt. Lt. Martin Boundy of London and Stratford, Ont., director of music for the RCAF overseas.

Four of the bands are military bands and the dance-band sections but one fifth is purely a dance band.

Flt. Lt. Boundy, formerly of Sunderland, England, went to Canada in 1923 and became a church organist, choir director and supervisor of music in Western Ontario public schools.

Eldorado

Eldorado — Mr. Mark Thompson of Meaford, spent the weekend with his mother Mrs. Mae Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCann and Clayton also Mrs. Clayton Bloor, Colborne also Mrs. Clayton Bloor, Colborne also Mrs. Harry Bell spent Sunday in Belleville in the home of Mrs. Pagel.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Robinson and Doreen of Belleville spent Sunday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Parrill and Mr. Stanley Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott of Marmora, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gordon of Marmora, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blackburn of Prince Edward County, were visiting at the homes of Mr. Cecil and Gerald Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCann and Grace spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McAdams and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. McCann spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack McCann.

Mrs. Albert Shaw and Keith are spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCann of Malone.

Schoharie

Schoharie Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson and son of Cherry Valley, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mildred Benson and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGee and Misses Grace and Anne McGee and Mr. and Mrs. Will McGee were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rubes of cunt Pleasant, on Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walters spent the dinner hour on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Payne were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Payne of Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster, Marguerite and Rose were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Calnan of Jericho St.

MEN HIDING OUT

Vancouver, Feb. 1 (CP)—The roundup of A.W.L. soldiers in British Columbia has failed to produce appreciable results in the last few days, military authorities said. No figures were released, but it was said the missing men are hiding out.

AT THE McCARTHY

"Can't Help Singing"

Entertainment, spelled with large capital letters, is now at the McCarthy Theatre with Deanna Durbin's latest film. Universal's Technicolor production "Can't Help Singing" is the feature.

There are so many outstanding features about this film that it is difficult to decide in which order to list them. Deanna herself, photographed in Technicolor for the first time is more alluring than ever and never before has she been in such wonderful voice as she is singing the Jerome Kern tunes, written especially for this picture.

Kern and E. Y. Harburg wrote seven songs for the production, every one of them an outstanding hit. They include "More and More," "Can't Help Singing," "Elbow Room," "Californ-i-ay," "Any Moment Now" and the Four Freshmen "Swing Out the Fire."

The story laid in 1849 opens in Washington D. C. Deanna in love ing swindler.



AT THE CAPITOL — Jeanne Crain is apparently making some headway in getting Lon McCallister to consider her as more than a mere "pal" in 20th Century-Fox's "Home in Indiana," the new Technicolor hit opening tonight at the Capitol theatre. On the same program "Swinging in the Saddle."



with a young Army officer, played by Hugh Bruce, sets out to follow him to the west coast. Enroute she meets Robert Paige, a gambler whom she engages to drive her covered wagon; she falls in love with him. There's a merry mixup when the 2 come together in Sonora, but it all comes out alright for Deanna in the end.

Most of the picture was filmed out of doors and it contains some of the most striking scenic shots photographed in Technicolor. In the first time is more alluring than preceding dramatic role in Christmas Holiday" Deanna is light and gay throughout this film, which leans heavily toward comedy. Paige, in his most important role to date, proves an excellent romantic leading man.

Akim Tamiroff and Leonid Kinskey are very funny as a pair of petty crooks. Ray Colling does a good job as Deanna's pompous amateur-father and Andrew Tombes contributes enough fine as a fast-talk-

THEATRE FEATURE TIMES

B-E-L-L-E	McCARTHY	CAPITOL
THE GREAT MOMENT Joel McCrea Betty Field	CAN'T HELP SINGING Deanna Durbin Robert Paige In Technicolor	SWINGING IN THE SADDLE 7.05 — 10.30
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SATURDAY — The Chill and Chuckle Champion of 1945!







"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 6

"I tried to pull up in time, but—" Her voice trembled and she had needed forgiveness.

Mrs. Clarkson was unconscious. Her leg had been crushed. And there were injuries in her back. The doctor's face was solemn.

"We ought to operate, but—" He lifted his shoulders helplessly. Then Bruce arrived. He had a private talk with the doctor. He told Livia and Vera:

"It's her only chance—an operation; but her leg—"

"Amputation?" said Livia. He nodded. Vera wept, but Livia remained calm. Nothing seemed to be real, today. First her father; now this. Her feelings found relief in a fierce hatred of the man she had left sprawling on a table. He ought to be here taking care of her mother. But a stranger had to do it—Bruce. But he wasn't a stranger. He was always there in help when she needed help. "I love him," she thought, and smiled up at Bruce. "I love you, darling."

"What shall we do?" Vera asked tearfully.

"What do you think, Bruce?" Livia asked. He was slow in answering.

"It's a small chance — but a chance."

"Your mother is conscious now," a nurse told them. Vera and Livia looked at each other with sudden hope.

"Don't excite her," the nurse cautioned them.

They were sitting mutely by the side of the bed. Mrs. Clarkson tried to turn her head to look from one to the other, but the effort tired her. She closed her eyes and whispered:

"Don't move, mother. Save your strength. We're here to take care of you. Bruce is here, and everything's to be all right." Mrs. Clarkson smiled faintly. The two girls encouraged. She was brave, for their mother.

"What does the doctor say?" Mrs. Clarkson asked faintly. Vera looked at Livia, and Livia made a warning shake with her head. Something happened to Livia then. The confusing mantel of childhood and youth disappeared, leaving her exposed to the decisions and slender of adulthood. She felt strong.

"The doctor says you're fine," she told her mother. Vera took new courage from Livia's confidence in Livia's voice. The nurse came back.

"You must leave now," she said. "But we'll be outside your door."

"Don't worry about me. I'll be all right," Mrs. Clarkson said painfully.

This broke Livia's self-control, and she left the room swiftly and cried in Bruce's arms. She felt ashamed when she saw Vera's woebegone face. Their plan for the school! Even if their mother survived, she would be a cripple the rest of her life, and hardly able to assume the responsibility of running a school. She withdrew from the shelter of Bruce's shoulder.

"We hope," she said, and Vera echoed with difficulty: "Yes, we must hope."

The doctor appeared. "Have you decided?"

Livia looked at Bruce and Vera. "Yes, please operate."

She was glad their mother was unconscious again as they wheeled her into the operating room.

It was nearly midnight when they brought her out. Those two hours of waiting would remain with the two girls for the rest of their lives. George Almond arrived in response to the message left by Bruce. And the four of them slept—kept vigil in the corridor outside the operating room.

The door opened and two young nurses came out. They looked tired. Livia and Vera followed the narrow stretcher-bed to the door of their mother's room. Her face was white.

"She won't be conscious for three or four hours; I advise you to get some rest," the surgeon said wearily.

"How is she?" Bruce asked.

"The operation was successful. It's now a question of whether her heart will hold up."

Bruce offered to spend the night in the hospital and suggested that Livia and Vera go home to rest. But the only one to leave was George, who had to appear before a Race-Track committee at nine in the morning. Livia had an eight o'clock call on the set, but Bruce promised to explain her absence to the casting director.

The three waited in a nearby room. Two girls tried to rest on a narrow bed. Bruce stretched out on a small white hospital chair. A nurse came for them at four in the morning. Mrs. Clarkson was conscious, but dying.

"I want to speak to Livia alone," Mrs. Clarkson said with great effort. Vera looked wonderingly at Livia, but moved to the other end of the hospital room.

It was hard to distinguish the words that slipped through weary Mrs. Clarkson's mouth. Livia bent close to hear.

"Earl Dixon — if you should see him," it was several minutes before she could continue—"have nothing to do with him. . . . He's bad." Livia would not tell her mother of her meeting with the drunken fellow. Her mother was upset enough. "Now the words were too jumbled to understand. Livia gently wiped her mother's forehead.

"Sh! Mother," she whispered. "Don't worry. Everything is all right; don't worry."

"But he isn't dead," whispered Mrs. Clarkson.

"I know," said Livia.

"But he'll be outside your door," Livia said.

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Mr Gorry, fearlessly, and without regard for his own personal safety, endured by fire and exploding ammunition, voluntarily joined the fire and rescue parties," Capt. Bolger wrote Kent Cooper, AP executive director. "Leaving a place of comparative safety for one of grave danger, he aided in fighting fires and rescuing personnel until the fires were extinguished. He was a surprising and inspiring influence amidst the smoke and flame.

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Kansas City, Feb. 1 (AP)—The theory of Dr. Frank Clendening, 56, widely-known physician, lecturer and author, that medical suicide was found in bed at his home yesterday, the throat and left arm pierced in a manner that authorities reported there was no doubt of suicide.

Detective Ben Tibbs quoted Dr. John Whitney, Dr. Clendening's friend, as saying Dr. Clendening had told him he intended to take his own life, and that the spectacular Kansas physician had been despondent and depressed lately, probably over ill health.

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TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE

Toronto, Feb. 1 (CP)—Stock receipts were boarded by the mining and industrial groups in the exchange unit here. Western oils were steady to slightly higher. The gold division was under pain of .50 by noon. Trading was fairly quiet and the turnover was 660,000 shares for the first three hours.

Pickle Crow was a feature of the golds, its traded activity on a gain of 22 cents to 2.20. Probibher, Central Patricia, and Chesterville paid 10 cents and other golds firmness about 5 cents included San Antonio, Hollinger, Macassa, Leitch, and MacLeod-Cockshutt. Moneta and McIntyre were heavy traders on gains of 7 to 10 cents.

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The Ontario Department of Highways, saying that the fall averaged about four inches, warned today against highway traffic in the section of the province around Lake Erie and Huron and Georgian Bay. It said roads were open east of Hamilton, but west of that city, and including the Niagara peninsula, road conditions were said to be bad.

The most complete traffic paralysis was in the Owen Sound area where blocked roads may handicap political speakers in the Grey North by-election campaign and may reduce the vote next Monday unless they are cleared by then. The department said generally all its highways in Grey, Bruce, Wellington, Dufferin counties were blocked.

Further south in Waterloo, Perth and Huron about half the roads were blocked with drifts, other roads were heavy and narrow. West of London even the 401, main highways, No. 2 and No. 3, were blocked. East of there, these roads were heavy and narrow. In Kent, Elgin and Lambton counties practically all highways were reported to be blocked in some places.

In Hamilton area and in the Niagara Peninsula, the majority of roads were blocked, including the Queen Elizabeth Way between Niagara Falls and Port Credit. The roads in the eastern and northern sections of the province were said to be bad.

CBC TO MAKE NO CHANGE

Ottawa, Feb. 1 — (CP)—Howard B. Chase, chairman of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation Board of Governors, said yesterday in Montreal after a board meeting that it had been decided not to "disturb the status quo of broadcasting" in the city of Toronto.

He added this meant that "for the present" a Kate Smith program would not be broadcast by any Toronto station.

MISSION REACHES AUSTRALIA

Sydney, Australia, Feb. 1—(CP—Cable) — Members of the British Commonwealth Mission, Mackenzie headed by Lord Keith arrived in Sydney yesterday and proceeded to Canberra for consultations with the Australian government on future trade, wireless and other commercial questions within the British Empire.

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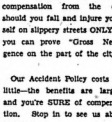
Kansas City, Feb. 1 (AP)—Patrolman Joe Trabon, sent out to investigate a report that a dog had bitten a woman, is trying to prove that it did. The dog bit him, too.

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Pte. Leonard Waterfall, of Camp Borden, Mrs. Waterfall and James, of Stirling, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pitchett on Tuesday, and were tea hour guests at Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wannamaker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reide and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Babb.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chambers, Mary and Robert, were present guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wright, West Huntingdon.

Opl. Trevor Aldman, of RCAF, Mountain View, spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Forde Stapley; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kirkey were tea guests on Tuesday evening at Mr. and Mrs. N. Wannamaker's.

Mr. Douglas Ackers spent Tuesday in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reid and family were tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lake one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley and Donna, Miss Helen McMullen, Mr. George McMullen and Mr. and Mrs. W. Harlow were dinner guests at Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pitchett's on Friday evening of last week.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart and his mother, Mrs. R. Stewart were dinner guests at Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley's on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Sharpe, of Mount Pleasant, spent Sunday at Mr. George McMullen's.

Congregational Meeting

The Annual Congregational meeting of Marlon United Church was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley, with a fair number in attendance.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart was chairman for the meeting which opened with a song service, Scripture lesson and prayer. Reports from the various organizations were then given.

Stewards for 1945 to be: Messrs Bruce Stapley, John Cooke, Forde Stapley and Bert Reide.

Elders to remain the same: C. Pitchett, John Cooke, Oliver Stapley.

Pianist, Mrs. Russell Stapley; assistant, Mrs. Forde Stapley; choir leader, Mrs. Raymond Chambers; assistant, Mrs. Clarence Pitchett; secretary, Mrs. C. Pitchett; ushers and plate collectors, Messrs. Hugh McMullen, Charles Bridges, Gordon Clarke.

The Sunday School was then organized as follows, with nearly all the officers and teachers re-appointed:

Superintendent, Mrs. Warren Harlow; assistant, Mr. Bert Reid; treasurer, Mr. Hugh McMullen; secretary, Miss Gladys Clarke; pianist, Miss Rosella Pitchett; assistant, Miss Mary Chambers; cradle roll superintendent, Miss Ella Wannamaker.

Primary Class teachers, Mrs. R. Stapley; assistant, Miss Mary Chambers.

Boy's Class teachers, Mrs. Milton Reid and Mr. Forde Stapley.

Girls' Class teachers, Mrs. Clarence Pitchett; assistant, Miss H. McMullen.

Senior Class teacher, Mrs. Raymond Chambers with class members assisting.

Meeting closed with prayer. Lunch was then served.

On Friday evening friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Danford to extend best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Danford (nee Ethel Richardson) on their recent marriage, and also to welcome Mrs. Danford to the community.

Mr. Harold Chambers was chairman for a short program of singing, speeches, piano solo by Mrs. Russell Stapley. Then Miss Mary Chambers was called on to read an address. Messrs. Hugh McMullen and Gordon Nelson on behalf of the community presented Mr. and Mrs. Danford with a lovely bookcase.

Both Ray and Ethel responded, thanking their friends for the gift and extending an invitation to all to visit them. Everyone then joined in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows." Lunch was served and a social hour enjoyed.

Murray Canal

Murray Canal— Mr. and Mrs. L. Adams of Colborne, spent Friday with her father, Mr. F. Alyea and family.

The funeral services of the late Mr. James Wilson, of Trenton, a former resident of this district, were conducted in Mt. Carmel church by the pastor, Wm. J. Sumter. The cortege proceeded to Mt. Carmel cemetery by airdish, where interment was made.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Maitland spent Tuesday of last week in Peterborough and attended the banquet tendered Mr. Killarlie, superintendent of canals.

Miss Mary Adams spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. N. Innis.

Mr. W. Bedal has purchased the O'Hara farm and Mr. O'Hara and family are moving to Trenton.

Mr. W. Kemp spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harris.

Mr. Everett Porter, K.C., of Portage La Prairie, Man., and Miss Caroline Clarke of Moose Jaw, Sask. were married on January 11. Mr. Porter is the son of Mrs. John Porter and Miss Clarke the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Clarke, of Trenton, who offer best wishes and congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lovelace, Avonlea, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Lander.

Mrs. Lorne Cole, Wooler, spent the weekend recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Pindall.

Foxboro

Foxboro — Mrs. Branscombe returned home after spending some time with relatives in Toronto and western points.

Miss June Hamilton entertained a number of girl friends to tea on Sunday evening in honor of her birthday and a most pleasant evening was enjoyed on Monday at the home of Mrs. C. Beattie when a number of young friends were very nicely entertained in honor of Janice Beattie's birthday.

Goodly numbers attended the church services on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McGee, of Stirling, were Sunday guests at Mr. J. W. Daniel's.

Mrs. J. C. Brown and Mrs. W. Hodgen called on Mrs. W. Coulter on Thursday afternoon. Guests are pleased to hear Mrs. Coulter is very much improved after being ill for two weeks.

Mrs. Campbell of Marsh Hill, is spending a week at the home of her grandson, Mr. Clare Pinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Yorke, of Gilead, were Sunday guests at Mr. Wm. Hodgen's.

Sunday evening guests at Mr. J. G. Sills were Mr. Everett Sills, Miss Annabell Sills, of Consecon; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bruce of Saskatchewan, and Mr. Harold Phillips of Wallbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benedict were Sunday guests at Mr. Ed. Montgomery's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Denyes, of Plainfield, were dinner hour guests on Saturday at Mr. G. Sills'.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Montgomery attended the funeral of the latter's aunt at Wooler, on Tuesday.

Mountain View

Mountain View — Mr. Oral Lauder spent Monday evening with Mr. Chas. Sprague.

Mr. Sim Pringle underwent a serious operation at the Belleville General Hospital on Thursday. Friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Jane Wilson and Dorothy Hobbs spent the tea hour on Wednesday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey, the occasion being the second birthday of little Stephen Graham.

Miss Annie Blair was confined to bed last week with a heavy cold. Dr. Series, of Wellington, was in attendance.

Mr. Herb Wilson called on his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harold Wilson, of Trenton, at the Belleville General Hospital on Thursday. Mrs. Wilson underwent an operation for appendicitis one day recently.

Mrs. Andrew Harris, of Canning Place, was Sunday with her sister, Miss Eileen Minaker.

Mrs. George Lamb and Mary spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elsee Barlow, of Bonarlaw.

Miss Edith Joyce, of Belleville, spent a few days recently at the home of Mr. J. G. Sprague.

Mrs. Herb Wilson was a Sunday afternoon caller on Miss Lillian Sprague.

Mr. Harry Burkitt, of Oshawa, spent a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Burkitt.

P/S. and Mrs. Ben Gosslin attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Rikely, of Belleville, on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Harry and Miss Muriel Burkitt spent Monday evening with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burkitt, of Burr's.

Moira

Moira — The January meeting of the W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Wallace McInroy commencing with a delicious pot luck dinner. The vice president, Mrs. Angus Mumby took charge of the meeting. It was decided to send $10 to Victor Home Fund, and to remember various members of the community who were ill. The topic "Guidance" was taken by Mrs. J. P. Herity. There were readings by Mesdames N. Welsh, F. Emerson and Mrs. C. Thompson.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: president, Mrs. B. Ketcheson; first vice-president, Mrs. Angus Mumby; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. John Farrell; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Jarrett Vanderwater; assistant, Mrs. Wallace McInroy; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Nelson Welsh; press secretary, Mrs. Wallace McInroy; pianist, Mrs. George Foster; social committee, Mrs. C. Ketcheson; Mrs. J. P. Herity; Mrs. Clayton Vanderwater.

The Young People's Union met on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Thompson, and a very profitable and enjoyable time was had by all. Officers for the year 1945 are: President, Donald McInroy; vice-president, Mary Farrell; secretary treasurer, Douglas Thompson; pianist, Evelyn Emerson; convenors, Messrs W. Huffman, Ada Thompson, Evelyn Emerson; Messrs. G. Foster, Lorne Mumby.

The topic was given by Mrs. Thompson. Mr. Stewart offered prayer; readings by Lorne Mumby, Iva Thompson and Ivan Clare.

Mr. John Morton is ill with pneumonia. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Foster last Sunday included Mr. Beverley Foster of CHEX, Peterboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Townsend and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Emerson spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Ketcheson.

Mrs. Ross Bancroft has gone to Bancroft for a month.

Mr. Stewart had dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Emerson.

The deep snow of this winter has greatly changed many of our habits. It has caused great difficulty in wood cutting. In reaching the woods the new homes have to plunge through drifts with frequent rests, then the runner track is too narrow for the farmer to walk in and one side is apt to be up to his waist in snow. One person solved this problem by attaching a polish kettle to the runner and thereafter had a fine wide path. As the trees fall, they frequently bury themselves and must be hunted before trimming can begin. The cold weather is keeping the snow dry and more comfortable. Meanwhile wood piles are dwindling.

For hunting is impossible and no doubt this will cause many a headache to poultry raisers next summer.

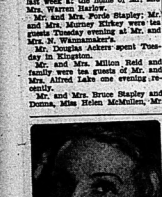
Every available cutter and sleigh has been pressed into use and sets of single harness have been repaired and oiled to provide a means of conveyance for young gentlemen who are now unable to run their motor cars.

The young married people visit their neighbors more frequently than in former years and those older people, unable to leave the wintry winds, derive great pleasure from radio and telephone. Several years ago when radios were new a very comical picture showed an old gentleman listening intently to the new radio but his good wife had her ear glued to the telephone and with her hand adroitly covering the mouthpiece was providing a "Let Pa have his radio, I'll stick to the telephone."

But the children have had the most glorious winter, skiing and coasting. Several old horses have had an exciting Winter prancing around on cobbled up outfits. One father confesses that from about Wednesday he always gives Old Bess an extra ration, of oats so that she will be well prepared for her part of a stirring weekend.



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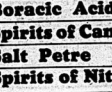
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Soda Bicarbonate (16 ounces Regular 25c)	19c
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CLEAR 30 MILES RHINE LINE AT STRASBOURG
ZHUKOV MASSES FORCES NEAR FRANKFURT

U.S. Troops Probe Deeper Into Centre Of Siegfried Line

Thinly-Defended Front Suggests Abandonment

By JAMES M. LONG
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 2 —(AP)— United States army front troops cleared 30-miles of the left bank of the Rhine south of Strasbourg today and laid a heavy artillery barrage on the Neufrisach railroad escape bridge from less than a mile away.

In the centre of the western front, the United States 1st and 3rd armies probed deeper into the thinly-manned Siegfried Line and advanced up to two miles in its fringes on the western slopes of the Eifel mountains opposite the late Ardennes bulge.

Half a dozen German hamlets were taken; more lines of dragon teeth tank barriers were passed; scores of pillboxes—many undefended—were captured.

The passive German resistance in the centre strengthened the suspicion that the enemy might be falling back to the Rhine, from 20 to 60 miles east of present battle lines in the centre and north.

An announcement from 6th Army Group Headquarters told of the victory month of operations, in an area manned until recently by 25,000 reichist Germans, troops.

The threat to the Alsatian capital was all but dissipated, for gains also were made in the north, pushing the Germans to points about 25 miles away from Strasbourg.

French 1st Army troops fought to near Hatten, on the road to Neufrisach. There, one of the few standing bridges, railroad bridge crosses to Breisach in Germany, protected by fortifications atop the 1,500-foot Kaiserstuhl Hill. The ridge there is from 1[illegible] to 220 yards wide, 20 feet high and partly banked.

Colmar itself was almost surrounded and Allied troops fought in its suburbs. The villages of Andolsheim, Widensolen, Artzenheim, and Rustenheim, between Colmar and the Rhine, were captured; Colmar, capital of that 19th province, lies 40 miles south of Strasbourg.

North of Strasbourg United States 7th Army troops, who fought across the Moder River, overran a German tank-supported counter-attack fields Oberhoffen. Another raiding force crossed the Moder between Hagenau and Brumath, and inflicted heavy losses.

Meanwhile no change was reported on the British 2nd and 1st Canadian Army fronts to the north. Germans 84th Moving

Continued thaws slowed somewhat the United States 1st and 3rd Army onslaughts along a 40-mile section of the Siegfried Line opposite the erased Ardennes bulge. Despite their apparent weakness in the line, the Germans still were moving troops eastward and Allied air power late yesterday struck at Rhine bridges and railyards to disrupt the flow of men to eastern front.

The Americans widened their stand inside Germany by capturing Laufenfeld, and the hill mass 3 of St. Vith and a little more than seven from the heavily fortified rail centre of Prum.

The United States 3rd Army advanced up to two miles inside Germany beyond the Our River south of St. Vith, capturing Heckhausfeld, Grosslangenfeld, Winterscheid and several other German hamlets west of Prum.

The 1st and 82nd Divisions of the 1st Army resumed their probings from the Roer valley to the north, and found a few pillboxes manned. The 1st Division went through mine fields and fought heavy fire-fights east of Krinkelt. No Germans were found but the 82nd's early morning mortar fire was encountered.

North of the 40-mile section of the Siegfried Line under attack a 37-mile string of the fortifications already had been captured. This line runs from Prum and Bitburg northwest of the Roer river town of Lindlar to the Erft canal and sector southeast of Aachen.

At points outside the Ardennes mountains, the 3rd Army had advanced from 2 to 3 miles into German Prum and three inside the Reich.

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At the extreme northern flank of the 3rd Army, dispatches said that the Germans were pulling back swiftly into the main Siegfried Line forts. Many pillboxes were abandoned. Some had protected 155-millimetre cannon shelled those which were defended.

LANDING SOUTH OF MANILA PUTS SQUEEZE ON JAPS

Second Invasion In 48 Hours Catches Enemy by Surprise; Slight Resistance

Southwest Pacific Advance Command, Feb. 2 —(AP)—Manila was in a trap today.

United States 8th Army invasion troops fashioned a pincers on the Philippines capital Thursday morning by landing on the Batangas Province coast 61 road miles southwest of the city while 6th Army Spearheads drove to within a few miles of Manila on the north.

The 11th Airborne Division swept ashore without landing craft and nearly unopposed along five miles of Batangas Bay coast line and quickly pressed eastward toward 2,-500-foot Tagaytay Ridge, which commands fine highways leading to Manila from the Cavite Naval Base in Manila Bay, 32 miles away.

A communique reported today that this third Luzon invasion was second by the 8th Army in 48 hours again caught the Japanese by surprise.

"We landed without loss", the communique announced, explaining that the Japanese had pulled off the possibility of the enemy troops south of Manila hitting those of the 6th Army and definitely outflanks the enemy's defence lines in Southern Luzon".

The first wave of 11th Division troops hit the shore without firing a shot at 8.30 a.m., and took the town of Nasugbu where Filipinos welcomed them.

"It wasn't a totally bloodless landing as it was Monday's invasion of the Zambales coastline to the north, but it was definitely one of the easiest", the communique said. "Americans were ashore, Japanese in caves to the north brought machine-gun and 77-mm. fire to bear on the landing forces. This was quickly silenced by naval gunfire and mobile artillery".

The invasion, fashioning the jaws of a trap north and south of Manila, caught the 14th Area Army United States 6th Army spearheads from the north and Angat River 25 road miles north of the capital.

Patrols were reported operating freely in advance and could well be on the approaches to Malolos, 20 miles from Manila.

Eighth Army troops which landed just north of Subic Bay on Monday night to the west captured the captured Olongapo naval base against light resistance.

These troops are heading toward a junction with a 6th Army column advancing westward from San Fernando, 25 miles away, and between troops in the Bataan peninsula, which forms one jaw of Manila Bay.

U.S. Casualties Near 750,000

Washington, Feb. 2 — (AP). United States Army casualties since Dec. 7, 1941 neared the 750,000 mark today, with deaths reported 650,420, and injuries reported 99,580.

The army's total, plus the latest navy figure of 96,222, puts the overall combat casualty figure at 727,-642, an increase of 35,393 over last week's report. The army accounted for 32,460 of the rise.

LANDING UNOPPOSED

Kandy, Ceylon, Feb. 2 —(CP)— Members of the 5th Indian Corps have made an unopposed landing on the small island of Saqu Kyun in the Bay of Bengal, 30 miles southeast of Akyab, Allied Headquarters announced today.

Saqu Kyun is off the southernmost tip of Akyab Island, about 120 miles south of Akyab, British forces recently made an unopposed landing on the north end of Ramree.

Meanwhile, the Japanese launched new counter-attacks against Allied positions on the Arakan front in an effort to regain control of an inland corridor southwards from Myahaung and Minbya, an Allied communique said.

SUBMARINE GROWLER PRESUMED LOST

Washington, Feb. 2 — (AP) — The 1,525-ton submarine Growler is overdue from patrol and is presumed lost.

HOW JAP-HUNT BEGAN ON LUZON IN PHILIPPINES



American infantrymen off Blue Beach on Lingayen Gulf spread out and advance into the interior of Lemon Island in the campaign to drive the Japs from this island. Thanks to the terrific bombardment by sea and air that preceded the landings resistance at this point was light. Today the Yank spearhead is nearing Manila.

Immediate Approval of Plans to Rule Reich May Be Urged by Churchill at Big-3 Meet

By JOHN A. PARRIS
(AP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 2 — (AP) — On the basis of reports indicating the possibility of early political and perhaps military disintegration of large sections of northern Germany, Prime Minister Churchill will urge immediate approval at the Big Three meeting of plans for ruling the Reich.

This information came today from an entirely reliable London source. It was emphasized this statement should not be interpreted to mean that Germany as a whole would collapse in a matter of weeks, or that a quick surrender of Nazi die-hards could be expected.

Nevertheless it was made clear that a sense of real urgency has been lent to the Big Three session.

Reports of Possible Disintegration in Reich

This source said Mr. Churchill was operating on the basis of reports from inside Germany that much of the political machinery already had broken down in the northern areas and that the process of decay would be accelerated by war developments.

These reports came from sources which hitherto have insisted that the Gestapo grip was too powerful to allow a political breakup.

But there seemed every reason to believe large portions of the German Army would fight on, even if the civilian population went to pieces.

The reports reaching Mr. Churchill were understood to indicate that the German military forces were planning to retreat if necessary to the south and fight in an organized way from hedgehog strongholds that would be geographically and in part, industrially self-sufficient.

Last-Ditch Stand Rumors

For such a last-ditch stand the Germans have been reported establishing an elaborate resistance centre covering 10,000 square miles in mountainous parts of Bavaria and Austria. It would be difficult to storm and would offer few good targets for bombing operations.

Inside this line, it was reported, is an even more elaborate stronghold covering more than 100 square miles and centred on Berchtesgaden, Hitler's hilltop retreat.

This information and other facts which cannot now be revealed will, it was understood, lead Mr. Churchill to ask that plans for the future of Germany be co-ordinated and made ready for immediate application when the occasion arises.

Says 'Anything May Happen'

One Whitehall official asserted that "anything might happen in Germany." "Reports we have received," he said, "show the people have reached the very depths of despair."

London, Feb. 2 — (CP) — The Germans have begun a propaganda campaign against any "surrender now" demand from the Big Three conference, which the Berlin radio said may already be under way.

The Germans "have expected" such a demand for some time because the Allies never realize that the unconditional surrender policy was a major blunder, a Berlin broadcast asserted today.

"The contents of this proclamation the German people are easily foreseen," said the broadcast. "It will state that the Germans must stamp out the German people but National Socialism and the Fuehrer. It will hint that once the Germans people are rid of the Nazi movement they will be allocated a rightful place among the nations.

"All this is nothing new. In the last year of the First World War the German people heard similar proclamations. At that time it was said the western powers merely wished to destroy Prussian militarism and the Kaiser. As soon as these were liquidated and the German had accepted a democratic regime Germany would have her rights restored.

Berlin, joining the international guessing game about the Big Three conference, ventured the statement that it already is in session—probably in Bucharest.

Weather Forecast

Kenora and Rainy River: Partly cloudy and moderately cold tonight and Saturday with occasional snowflurries.

Manitoba: Fresh winds: partly cloudy and moderately cold tonight and Saturday.

EQUAL PAY FOR WOMEN URGED

Toronto, Feb. 2 —(CP)— Equal pay and opportunity for women in the war effort was urged here yesterday during the afternoon session of the conference of Canadian Women's National Organizations.

VIEWS TREND WITH ALARM

Toronto Feb. 2 —(CP)— Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission in a resolution yesterday said they viewed with alarm the increasing demand for socialist and commercial programs over the air on Sundays, and urged the CBC to increase the facilities for religious broadcasting.

ALUMINUM ABUNDANT

Aluminum is the most abundant of all the metallic elements found on the earth's crust.

STATA ON STAND IN OWN DEFENCE ON MURDER COUNT

Two Statements Made by Stata to O.P.P. Officers Read to Court

Sarnia, Ont., Feb. 2. (CP)— The trial of Irwin William Stata, 19-year-old Oshadan Army private charged with the murder of Mrs. Austin Smith of Detroit, yesterday saw the young soldier take the stand in his own defence. Mrs. Smith was found by her husband in their summer cottage at Port Franks, Ont., Sept. 11, 1944. She had been shot by a .303 rifle bullet.

Two statements allegedly made by Stata to Provincial Police were read to the court, but were later excluded. Stata admitted giving the statements saying he was told "things would be easier" if he did so, but he would not swear to the truth of the statements.

Both were admitted into evidence by Mr. Justice Keiller Mackay.

In the second statement, Stata gave details of how he came to shoot Mrs. Smith. The statement said he obtained his left Army Superpersuh, where he was stationed, Sunday night, Sept. 10, loading rifle and cartridges with him. He said he took the ammunition with the intention of going into the woods and firing them.

The statement continued:

"Early in the morning . . . I followed along a small creek which led me out to the lakeshore. The first thing that drew my attention was the car (Mrs. Smith's Buick car) standing beside the house. I walked up to the house, looked into the car and saw no keys. I had in mind taking the car and going home to Ontario. While I walked around the house, I looked into the window. There was a bedroom but no one in bed.

I figured there was anyone at home. So I opened the screen door, walked in and through the kitchen. "Just before passing through the door into the kitchen this lady stood with the pistol in her hand at my back. Well, the minutes and seconds passed and she charged the rifle not meaning to hit her . . . after I was told I had done I took the keys and drove away."

The statement said that Stata drove to Kingston where he saw his brother and left the car. He then travelled by freight train to Toronto.

He was arrested at his mother's home in Toronto on Sept. 14.

Tokyo Says Report Of Raid Is "Nonsense"

London, Feb. 2 — (AP) — Tokyo radio today described as "sheer nonsense" reports that the Japanese Embassy staff had left Berlin.

Geneva, Feb. 3 — (CP) — Japanese diplomatic officials and other foreign diplomats have left Berlin, the newspaper Tribune De Geneva reported yesterday.

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By Moscow account these were the distances the Red army from these immediate objectives on the Berlin front:

Kustrin — About 11 miles, from the sector southwest of Dubringhof. This would be about 21 miles from Berlin and the nearest approach yet reported in Moscow dispatches.

Seelenzig, in the Warthe-Oder bend — Four to five miles, from the region west of Seelenzig. The Germans reported the Russians in the Zielenzig area several days ago.

Furstenberg, nine miles south of Zielenzig — Seven to eight miles, from west of Lagow.

Furstenburg, on the Oder about 15 miles south of Frankfurt — Nine miles, from the Gritesel area.

Moscow dispatches by Soviet tanks had knifed between these hot points for significant victories.

The spearheads therefore were considerably closer to Berlin than the 51 to 89 miles indicated by these positions.

This was through these holes, Moscow said, that the most interesting threat was developing with Soviet tanks and infantry pushing 15 miles of the fortified city of Frankfurt on the Oder, 40 miles from Berlin.

Along the front of 90 miles Zhukov had developed an impressive operating area from which he might strike out in any storm across the Oder at any one of a number of points.

Both Moscow and Berlin reflected the fact that the critical phase of the Russian offensive was near, the Moscow radio urging upon the Germans to surrender and avert "unspeakable misfortune" like Nazis—hinting at strong counter-measures—promised "the bloodiest disappointment" ever dealt troops for the Russians.

The Nazi High Command said Marshal Gregory Zhukov's troops already had reached the curving Oder River northwest of Kustrin, which would place the Russian 30 to 40 miles from Berlin. Two years ago today Zhukov scored a great victory over the Germans at Stalingrad, capturing 1,300 tanks to the east—when he accepted the surrender of the German 6th Army. German forces which had besieged that city for months.

While German commentators painted Berlin as overjoyed, neutral travellers arriving in Stockholm said the refugee-paced city was static-stricken and that anti-aircraft defences were lying stripped of their guns for the fight against the oncoming Russians.

Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels told the German people "the just future would like" to believe the Germans will seek peace formally.

He summed up the case by saying:

"Officers cannot lead us corporatively into your lines as much as they can lead you into theirs. Because immediately their families would be executed . . ."

Meanwhile reporters had heard by the grapevine that the last of 13 to all officers especially in the July 30 attempt on Hitler's life have been executed.

There are only two groups who could, with authority, ask for peace, the Nazi party leaders and the German armed forces. The other is the Nazi regime. The purge following the July 30 attempt against Hitler seems to have been so thorough that all military leaders with any political sense apparently were executed.

Such a surrender by the Nazi regime seems extremely unlikely. Their only hope of postponing the evil day for themselves lies in prolonging the struggle.

Break-up of German Army Seen As Main Hope for Early Peace

By LOUIS P. M. LOCHNER
(Chief of the Former Associated Press Bureau in Berlin)

On the Western Front, Feb. 2— (AP) — Peace with Germany, according to the best informed opinion can be hastened only by the disintegration of the German army into the piece-meal surrender of progressively large units. Formal terms and a peace offer by Germany seems quite unlikely.

My conviction in this respect was strengthened after I had an opportunity today to talk privately with a whole "cage" of prisoners of war who had come straight from battle.

Without exception, they said the October men in their units were sick and tired of the war and that but one hope — early peace.

When I asked about their officers and the likelihood of whole companies and regiments surrendering they said nothing could be expected of the officers, although many of them were absolutely through with the war. Some claimed even their commanding general would surrender except for one thing. That one thing explains why, on the basis of evidence available to me, I do believe the Germans will seek peace formally.

Large-Scale Attacks On Convoys Predicted

London, Feb. 2. (CP)—Information received from neutral and underground sources indicates the Germans are ready to launch U-boat attacks on convoys en route to France and Russia, The Daily Telegraph said today.

Estimates have been made in Stockholm, the newspaper said, that the German navy has a total of 400 serviceable submarines and is building new ones at the rate of 20 ships a month. Some of these, it was thought underground said many were based at Bergen and Trondheim.

Under the submarine, many of them long-range, 1,500-tonners, were said to be fitted with a number of new devices.

Defence Minister McNaughton told a Grey North by-election audience Jan. 26 that "today the North Atlantic is, as it hasn't been for months past, a happy hunting ground for submarines". He said ships were being torpedoed day by day.

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CNR Engineer, Fireman Killed When Two Locomotives Plunge Down Bank

Brantford, Feb. 2 —(CP)— Officials of the Canadian National Railways today sought to determine the cause of the derailment of a Chicago-bound train last night in which two members of the train crew were killed.

The train, drawn by two locomotives, left the rails about a quarter of a mile east of Brantford station. It was travelling at about the hour slowing down for the Brantford stop. Two locomotives and two express cars plunged down a 30-foot embankment. One baggage car went part way down the embankment. Seven other cars were derailed but remained upright.

Engineer John A. Jarvis and fireman C. Mayhew, crew of the second of the two locomotives, were killed. Engineer George McGillicks of Hamilton suffered lacerations and shock and was badly scalded. His condition is serious.

Two passengers—Stanfield Wright (home town unavailable) of the United States Navy and R. West of Windsor — were injured when the dining car employee suffered minor injuries. The dining car employee was scalded.

Most passengers were shaken up but escaped injury. Largely because all the passenger coaches remained upright.

An official statement issued in Toronto by J. C. Fenton, vice-president and general manager of the central region of the C.N.R., said the accident occurred at 8.52 p.m. The train was in charge of conductor George Boyden, of Sarnia.

It said also that relief locomotives from Hamilton took the cars which were not derailed on to their destination, via London and Guelph. Night eastbound trains bound for Toronto were detoured via Stratford and special trains operated from Toronto to Montreal to accommodate delayed passengers.

Frank Taverna of the United States Navy, a passenger on the train, said it came to a stop "within a few seconds". The navy posting which lifted us from our seats."

Taverna said he was a former member of the Canadian Army overseas and was "glad to get off the first down the embankment to the side of the pilot engine.

"One of the firemen was on top of the cab", said Taverna. "We heard the engine crying, 'Help me, for God's sake, help me'.

"We were afraid the engine would explode but Hughes and I climbed into the cab. We found the man on his knees and it appeared to me he was in some distance back in the engine. We helped him out and carried him up the bank".

Both these men were taken to hospital in an ambulance.

Members of the Brantford Fire Department removed Jarvis and Mayhew's bodies from the engine cab. One of the two was still alive but he died later.

Both engines were damaged. The undercarriage was ripped away from the tender and trucking was strewn for more than a city block along the right-of-way.

Charles Gamble of Brantford, a fireman on the Canadian Pacific Railways, was the engineer of the ambulance, said "the road from the station to the scene I thought the roof was coming in".

A fire broke out in the pilot engine after the crash, but crew members were out but it was soon brought under control.

Hundreds of citizens came to the scene.

City and District News

NIGHT CLASSES FOR JUNIOR FARMERS AT STIRLING H. S.

Night classes in shop work for junior farmers will be conducted in the Stirling High School for the balance of the winter it was decided at a recent meeting of the Stirling board of education.

The decision to hold the courses came as the result of a request from the Rawdon Junior Farmers which was presented to the board through Agricultural Representative H. Ignon Pafe.

In presenting the request for the night classes, Mr. Pafe assured board members the Department of Education in Toronto was glad to co-operate and read a communication from A. G. Hooper, superintendent for secondary school education which intimated the department would pay two-thirds of the instructor's salary. Junior farmers interested in the course had agreed to pay cost of material and the remaining share of instructor's salary.

Present shop instructor at the high school has expressed his willingness to act as instructor, while the board members moved to ask the approval of the Minister of Education, Dr. Fred J. Hall.

SKIDS FROM RUT, HITS TWO CARS

A three-car accident occurred on Coleman St. early last evening when a south-bound automobile, driven by Keith Onderdonk, 26 Rowsell St., skidded out of its rut and collided with two parked cars. Mr. Onderdonk informed police he attempted to pull out of the icy rut in order to pass a parked car owned by Robt. Dulmage, R.R. No. 6, Belleville, when his car skidded to side-swipe Mr. Dulmage's car and came sideways to collide with another parked automobile owned by Hugh Denison, Foxboro. The principal damage resulting was to fenders of all machines involved, but no injuries were sustained. The matter was subsequently settled upon arrival of investigating police.

RETURNS LOST WALLET

For the second time in as many days a person to lose a wallet and have it returned intact by the owner was reported to city police. Early today Frank Thompson, 227 Front Street picked up a man's wallet containing $34, in front of Leitch's grocery. Mr. Thompson took the purse to the police station, but at that time no report of such a loss had been reported to the authorities. Later a man appeared stating he had lost his purse and after identifying the property to the satisfaction of property by Sergt. Ellis, received it. The previous evening a boy reported a woman's purse containing $18, and turned it over to the police. In every case there are honest people in Belleville.

JANUARY CUSTOMS SHARPLY HIGHER AT $46,717.61

Customs returns at the Belleville office for January 1943 showed a considerable increase over the same period during 1942. It was indicated in monthly report of Lt. Col. E. A. Ponton, collector.

Returns for January this year totalled $46,903.62 as compared with a total of $196,865.53 for January 1944. This is an increase of $46,717.61 for the month.

SUFFERS INJURY TO RIGHT ANKLE

While alighting from a city bus at the corner of Bridge and Front Streets last evening, Mrs. Kellar, 73 Grier Street had the misfortune to slip and fall, breaking the bone at her right ankle. She was removed to the Belleville General Hospital by ambulance where Dr. Van Blaskiee reduced the fracture.

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Current Balance Of Shannonville Fair Totals $1,070

Misinterpretation of the financial report of the Shannonville Agricultural Society as presented in a news story in the Intelligencer is resulting in numbers of inquiries being received by members of the above organization, it has been indicated to this newspaper.

According to the report appearing in the press the operating balance for 1944 was approximately $650 and this is correct. However, the report did not state the current balance which totals $1,070. The greater portion of this amount is made up of balances carried forward from other years.

Receipts for the year grossed approximately $2,000 with $450 being paid out in prize money, while the society also gave a grant of $50 to the local Red Cross branch.

Officials of the fair board, President Sydney Fitzgerald and Secretary Kenneth Vivian, expressed their appreciation to merchants for the donation of prizes to the fair contributed measurably to its success of last year, and to others who worked for the benefit of the organization.

Well-Known Artists Heard on Radio At This Weekend

Belleville Community Concert Association members will be very interested in knowing that several artists of note will make appearances here with the associa...on are to be heard on various radio broadcasts over the coming weekend. Whittaker and Ayres, two-piano team will be guest performers on the Ford Hour this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Kenneth Coulton, Metropolitan Opera basso, will also be heard tonight over station WJZ from ten to ten-thirty o'clock. The number "Jamaican Rhumba", which was contained in the program given by Belleville school boys on Monday evening, will be played by the orchestra on the same broadcast with Mr. Gordon. On Sunday night at nine-thirty o'clock on the Major Bowes Theatre program over station WABC, Norman Cordon will be the guest of James Milton. Patricia Travers, young violinist, who appeared in the city only last year, will appear with Kos Philadelphia orchestra over WABC on Saturday from five to six o'clock on which occasion she will play "Rondo Capriccioso" by Saint-Saens.

THE AMERICAN BIRD

The Turks call the turkey "the American bird", since its original habitat is North America.

Veteran Airman Thinks Belleville Motorists Selfish

If Belleville motorists were like Belleville pedestrians, they would be selfish as if they had been subjected to a flying machine, to a blow torch, they needn't blame the sub-zero weather.

It will just be a verbal blast from an irate Westerner who thinks that they are a frigid, unfriendly crowd, and the sooner he gets to the west, the better he will feel.

It appears that the Western gentleman in question, he comes from Saskatoon, who was badly wounded overseas, and who had a wife and baby in hospital here, has been constantly injured by motorists leaving the hospital when he signals a request for a lift downtown. As many as four-ten party empty cars have refused him and then one offered a lift.

He enlisted in the RCAF in 1941 and attained the rank of warrant officer. He was a tail gunner in a bomber and received flights over occupied territory before overseas service and thought he is one of four men of his original group of 82 who have survived the hazardous tour. He was wounded twice, wears a silver wing for his flight over the raid on the Dieppe show. Recently he suffered a broken arm, a result of a fall.

Thats are not available at all times he says, and walking with a bus is a physical difficulty when one wishes to travel.

And Belleville motorists are a high-hat crowd. Some, he admits have asked him if he isn't in the army, adding he is a pretty healthy looking sort of an object.

"There's a bus service chum, why don't you use it?"

And he had about it. He thinks the local drivers are a self-centered, selfish crowd. Just won't stop and give a fellow a lift. In fact they just don't know there's a war on.

Incidentally he is married to a Belleville girl also, as was before mentioned is a patient in the hospital here.

So how about it Belleville motorists? Perhaps you think the Canadian he may be a Canadian who sits done his 'tilt' and badly needs a lift. So keep your peeled for a nice appearing young man anywhere near the highway, who would just like to sample some of the milk of human kindness which you have to way to make this troublesome world a nicer place to live in.

'Boys in Services Read Everything' Says I.O.D.E. Letter in Appeal For Funds To Purchase Books

Three hundred and thirty ships of the Royal Canadian Navy have been adopted by Chapters of the I.O.D.E. across Canada and there is a great demand for books by these fighting ships for reading materials of all kinds.

This is indicated by an officer of one of Canada's fighting ships who is a prisoner of war. His book requirements indicated that "the boys read everything in sight." He gives the best books written and they have plenty of time for reading.

To help supply needed books for overseas aboard Canadian fighting ships, for members of the merchant marine, for R.C.A.F., personnel and for convalescent hospitals the I.O.D.E. is now in the midst of a campaign to raise $200,000. Belleville's share of this amount has been set at $1,000 but this amount is still far from being realized.

A number of contributions have been received but further donations will be welcomed, Regent Mrs. Bell states. Contributions may be made at each of the local Chapters or by the Secretaries of the two Belleville chapters, Mrs. E. J. Neate or Mrs. R. C. Donnan.

Contributions to the fund received to date are as follows:

Belleville Chapter I.O.D.E. $100.00; Argyll Chapter I.O.D.E. Mrs. Jas. Bell, $10.00; Prince Ontario Intelligencer $50.00; Mrs. Edwin Mills, $5.00; Mrs. Frederick Mills, $5.00; Mrs. Herbert Mills, $5.00; Mrs. M. O'Flynn $10.00; Mrs. W. Dimmitt $5.00; Mrs. O. Stoneberg $5.00; Mrs. D. S. Latta, $5.00; Mr. and Mrs. James Latta, $5.00; Mrs. Humfrey Lane, $10.00; Tyendinaga $10.00; Argyll Auxiliary $5.00; Mrs. Ernest Leslie $10.00; Holloway Street Church War Unit $50.00; Mr. F. G. Cushing $2.00; Mr. A. R. Symons $1.00; Mr. J. Truman $10.00; Hointon Company $5.00; Colonel Carl Company Limited $5.00; Colonel C. V. Wills $15.00; Colonel A. E. Gribble $10.00; Doctor G. Stobie $10.00; Mrs. F. H. Wills $5.00; Colonel R. C. Donnan $15.00; Belleville Chapter 55 O.E.S. $10.00; Minerva Chapter 55 O.E.S. $10.00; Quinte Industries Limited $10.00; Mr. Mackenzie Robertson $5.00; Mrs. C. Ashley $5.00; R. J. Black $5.00; Mrs. J. Bell $10.00; Mrs. J. E. Shortt $1.00.

City Health Conditions Good During Past Year Says Inspector

9,575 Quarts of Milk Consumed Daily in City and at R.C.A.F. Stations

With the exception of an increase of 45 cases of communicable disease over the 1943 total, city sanitation conditions were reported to be in a satisfactory condition during 1944, Inspector of Health H. Kelsey, reported to the council at the meeting of Health last night.

There were 144 cases of Contagious diseases in the city last year including chicken pox 70; measles 56; mumps, 6; scarlet fever, 10; whooping cough, 10 and spinal meningitis, 1. The total of 100 cases was in excess by the amount stated above over 1943.

Ice samples taken before cutting commenced were found to be good. Samples of water taken from the municipal supply were reported to be in Class "A" although other water samples taken from two wells were found to be in lower classes and ordered closed by the Medical Officer of Health.

Milk Inspection

With Mr. O. V. Ball, of the Engineering Division of the Ontario Department of Health, Inspector Kelsey inspected city dairies and creameries.

They were found to be in a generally satisfactory condition but suggestions and other information were given to owners. There are 9,575 quarts of milk consumed daily in the city and adjoining R.C.A.F. stations. Samples are taken each month from dairies and creameries for the purpose of bacterial laboratory for analysis. Reports of these samples over the year were good.

The City Tourist Camp was inspected and found to be in good sanitary condition as was the swimming pool in Victoria Park.

Restaurants and hotel washrooms were inspected at regular intervals and found satisfactory with a few exceptions. These conditions were corrected on subsequent inspections. Washrooms at service stations were found to be sanitary while theatre managers of the city have carried out health regulations. The garbage collection has been satisfactorily food group control, the inspector stated, and although there are a few places causing trouble no harsh measures had to be resorted to.

Capt. La Fontaine, Tweed, Mentioned In Dispatches

Former Tweed boy and presently adjutant of his unit in the Dundas, Stormont and Glengarry Highlanders in Belgium-Capt. Malcolm Patrick LaFontaine, has been mentioned in dispatches for gallant and distinguished service in the field, according to announcement by the Department of National Defence at Ottawa.

The Tweed soldier was included in a list of 370 officers and other ranks in the Canadian Army overseas who were recognized with awards of Mentions in Dispatches.

Born in the Tweed district 22 years ago, Captain LaFontaine after completing his education developed a flair for newspaper work and at the time of his enlistment was editor of the Frankford Advocate. He enlisted in May, 1942, and since D-Day has been in France and Belgium with 5th Armoured Division. He is the son of Mrs. Wm. LaFontaine, Tweed and brother of Mrs. Kathleen Ann Ryan, Toronto.

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War Veteran Arrested On Shooting Charge

Bancroft, Feb. 2 (Special to the Ontario Intelligencer)—MacPherson Douglas, wounded returned war veteran residing at Fort Stewart, was arraigned in police court here today by Provincial Police on a charge of unlawfully wounding and shooting Corporal Lloyd Lemley and Cecil Loney, ages of Carlow township. Douglas was remanded to the Hastings County jail on remand for one week.

Loney is lying in the Red Cross Hospital here suffering from gun wounds in the right leg after being shot in Douglas' home late Wednesday night. Lemley and a shotgun pellets entered the upper left leg of Mr. Loney's right leg, while others passed through the window. The police say that the gun was discharged at close range.

Arrested in Home.

Douglas was arrested by Sergt. J. F. Hackett and Provincial Constable S. W. Palmateer as he sat on the floor in his home beside the gun on Thursday afternoon. Douglas who walks with a decided limp from the effects of wounds received in Italy, did not attempt to resist arrest. "I know why you are here but I don't remember anything about shooting the gun went off," Douglas is said by police to have stated when arrested.

Constable Fred Stewart indicates Douglas had been drinking during the past few days and when requested to leave a relative's home refused to do so. Reeve Loney was called to the home and refused to leave. Douglas then started to return to his home, which he did. However, it is alleged he followed Loney and became annoyed with the family dog and picked up a shotgun threatening to shoot the dog. Mr. Loney's step-son became frightened and telephoned for Reeve Loney to return.

Gave First Aid.

The latter arrived Loney walked into the Douglas home as Douglas allegedly fired the gun. Reeve Loney charge partially hitting Mr. Loney in the leg. He then immediately after the shooting Douglas dropped the gun and walked into his home. Mr. Loney attended him home. Investigating police stated the line of fire indicated considerable skill in placing Douglas might have been attempting to shoot a deer while under the influence of liquor.

After accused has been held without bail at Belleville and will appear on the wounding and injuring charges. Douglas faces a charge at Bancroft on Feb. 7th, before Magistrate A. C. Donnan announced today. In the meantime Mr. Loney is a patient in the Bancroft hospital under the care of Dr. Anderson of Fort Stewart. He is suffering from loss of blood and is in a weakened condition. Douglas is a veteran having been wounded in Italy.

Fined for Shooting Of Pheasants

Alfred Anderson, Trenton, was convicted of shooting pheasants when arraigned before Magistrate Jas. F. Wills in Trenton police court this week. A fine of ten dollars and costs was imposed. Game Warden Fred MacDonald, of the Game and Fisheries Department, who formed the court Anderson was apprehended shooting pheasants north of the airport. Mr. MacDonald also laid the charge. Pheasants in that area has been too prevalent of a recent date according to complaints received from farmers who raise the birds.

UNDEVELOPED ISLAND

Mindoro, seventh in size of the Philippine Islands, has remained one of the least developed of the larger islands of the group.

Fine Letter Tells Of Great Spirit Of Blind Soldier

Bonarlaw, Feb. 2 — The following letter, written by Pte. Lloyd Rice, Radcliffe regarding her son, Rynard Radcliffe, who died in Belleville General Hospital in 1940, went overseas in 1941 and was wounded in Sicily, is dated July 26th, 1944, losing the sight of both eyes.

St. Dunstan's (For Blinded Men and Women Blinded on War Service)
Dec. 25th, 1944.

Dear Mrs. Radcliffe:

Mrs. Leonard, has asked me to send you the enclosed letter which he has typed himself. As it is only the third letter that he has typed I think that it is a very good effort.

He is a nurse at St. Dunstan's and you son has been in my care quite a lot. You have a son of whom you can be very proud for he has tremendous courage and the right spirit for the future. You must not worry about him for he is very cheerful and happy.

I will thing a lot of him here and are proud to have had the honor of looking after him and I will certainly make his way in life. I have heard such a lot about your son, Gunner Lee and others that I feel I almost know you. Now that your picture I know just what you look like. I am sure you have Christmas time after the way so perhaps one day I may meet you.

I will be spending Christmas with my mother and family and I myself am looking forward to the most southerly part of England.

The weather is very wet and we have been able to spend most of the time out in the open.

On Christmas Eve we went to a concert and the Canadian Army son was invited onto the platform to speak to the audience. He received a tremendous welcome. He simply brought the house down. He is a fine young land. I only wish that you were here with him. You would indeed have been proud of him for he spoke magnificently. Soon you will have him with you. Please do not be sad when you first greet him for he has his blindness so very well that you have no cause to feel unduly sorry for him.

Courage is one of the greatest things in life and he has lots and lots of it.

I have been on the staff of St. Dunstan's for a long time now and have known many boys but none with more brave as your son.

With best wishes,
Yours very sincerely,
Wilhelmina M. Warhurst.
(Colbourne paper, please copy.)

Lieut. Wm. Moore Killed in Action

Mrs. Hazen Staite, 174 Church Street, has received news of the death of her brother, Lieutenant William Moore, Royal Canadian Air Corps. He was killed in action on Nov. 30th and had previously been reported missing. Previously wounded in action he had been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and Bar.

Lieut. Moore was a member of the Heart. His wife and two children reside in Ottawa. Another of the late officer, Mr. John H. Moore, Stowbridge, Maine.

Obituary

LATE MISS ELLA T. BLEECKER

The funeral of Miss Ella T. Bleecker, late residence, 15 Moira Street east, took place Thursday afternoon from the Campbell Funeral Home, Church Street at Bridge, Rev. Canon Wright officiated. Many were present at the service which was conducted by the Rev. H. W. Stapleford of Bridge Street United Church.

Interment took place in the Bleecker family plot at Belleville cemetery, the pall bearers were Messrs. Charles Bird, John Carter, Evan Bacher, Lloyd Bleecker, Harold Jones and Mayor Frank Pollwell.

The late Miss Bleecker is survived by two half brothers, Mr. William Bleecker, Belleville, Mr. Benjamin Bleecker, Sidney Township.

LATE VERNON SINCLAIR

The funeral of Vernon Sinclair, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sinclair, 33 Grier Street, late residence, the Grant Funeral Home, 68 North Front Street, on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock there and at Belleville cemetery. Rev. Canon Wright, M.A. officiated. The pall bearers were Messrs. Clarence Thompson, Richard Goodchild, Jack Bush, Charles Wagner, Georges Stewart and W. Latchford.

JAMES F. MCCAULEY

(Formerly of Tyendinaga)

James F. McCauley, who formerly resided on the McCauley homestead, Lonsdale Side Road, near Marysville, died suddenly in Windsor, Ont., Tuesday, Jan. 30th. The funeral announcement is made in this issue.

TABERNACLE U.C. REPORTS YEAR OF MARKED SUCCESS

Rev. Dr. Nyman Gives Sketch of Church's History at Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of Tabernacle United Church was held Wednesday, January 31st, when 150 sat down to dinner. It was a good year in every way for the church. There was an increase in contributions in every department and the year ended with a comfortable, surplus. Reports of their progress were given by all the various organizations and they gave an impression and a picture of the very great activities of the congregation and were full of human interest. The financial statement, multigraphed, was in the hands of the congregation. It was unanimously decided to undertake some repairs and improvements. Even in spite of the whole meeting was most harmonious and happy.

During the evening the ladies' Missionary Circle served a banquet in a very fine number and Mr. H. B. Moorman contributed two vocal solos.

Unanimous votes of thanks were tendered to the ladies and special gifts to the church through the years to the choir, organist and leaders for their instructive work, to the women of the congregation who provided the dinner.

History of Church.

Dr. Myers gave a sketch of the history of the church based on authentic records. The Methodist Episcopal Church in Belleville came to the "Bay of Quinte" area as early as 1791. Belleville was established as a separate circuit in 1817. They built their first church in 1819 which was a rough building 30 x 50 feet erected on government land by the settlers and was on the site where the Crown some years later. A new building was put up on this original site in 1831. This is now known as 132 Pinnacle Street. This property was sold in 1870 to the Wesleyan Methodist Church which is now the Methodist Episcopal congregation built on the property on Church Street, some of which is now occupied by the Coca Cola Co. The present church was bought in 1873 and the present church building was erected in 1874.

The Methodist Episcopal church had a Sabbath School before Rev. Albert College) in 1857. They established a Sabbath School in 1826. They bought a plot of land from Capt. Ketcheson for the Dundas Street (opposite Charles Street) which was sold by the City of Belleville for a park or open breathing space."

Members of the trustees who acted on all these transactions were also recorded.

J. J. Trudeau Elected President Of Chamber

The annual election of officers of the Belleville Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday afternoon immediately following the luncheon. Business was transacted, which took place as soon as the outcome of the election was known.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. G. H. Duff, past president. Dr. A. C. Lecks and Past President Mackenzie Robertson acted as scrutineers at the luncheon, performed the duty of scrutineers. The result was by secret ballot.

The scrutineers declared that Mr. J. J. Trudeau had been elected president and Messrs. W. Lorne Fitzgerald and John A. McIlmoyle vice-presidents.

Messrs. J. G. Hefkey and J. O. Herity were appointed respectively treasurer and secretary-manager.

The retiring executive is in charge of Past President Robertson. Brief addresses were delivered of the honor that had been conferred upon them, were made by President Trudeau and Vice President McDougall. President McIlmoyle was unavoidably absent. They were both heartily congratulated at the conclusion.

Mr. F. E. Shelton, of Peterborough, Ont., representative of agriculture of the Midland and Bay of Quinte districts, on behalf of the Ontario Department of Agriculture was a guest at the luncheon. He was complimentary in his references to the work that had been done this past Summer and Fall,

DEATHS

McCAULEY — Suddenly in Winnipeg, Manitoba, on Tuesday, January 30th, James F. McCauley, formerly of Tyendinaga Township.

The funeral will take place from the McCauley Homestead, Lonsdale Side Road, near Marysville, on Saturday morning, February 3rd., to the Church, at 10a. Holy Name of Mary, Marysville, for Mass at 9 o'clock. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

HUBBLE — On Friday, February 2nd, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Hay, in the first concession of Ameliasburg, David Wilson Hubble, aged 84 years.

Funeral Sunday, February 4, at 2 p.m. from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Hay, first concession of Ameliasburg. Interment Anson cemetery.

Meeting at the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street, until Saturday morning, then at the home of his daughter.

IN MEMORIAM

POLMANTER — Sherman Gordon Polmanter died February 1st, 1926.

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by the Belleville Chamber of Commerce. He stated that he had received many letters of appreciation in Belleville than at any other place in the whole district.

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FOXBORO

Foxboro United Church Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the United Church congregation was held in the Sunday School Rooms on Wednesday, Jan. 26, when proceedings were opened with a pot-luck supper. A very enjoyable and social time was spent around the tables and in clearing away the dishes before attending down for the business period. The chair was taken by the minister, Rev. E. M. Cook, and Mr. Murney Reynolds was re-elected secretary. Mr. Cook reviewed some of the events of the past year and made sympathetic reference to the loss of two members by death, Mr. Jonathan Wilson, one of the Elders who gave long years of service, and Mrs. John Gowsell, one of the brightest and willing workers in the congregation. Reference was also made to the recent sad illness of Mrs. Ross Chapman, the wife of the Rural Dean of Hastings, and Mr. Cook moved that a letter of sympathy be sent to her in the middle of life. It was again arranged to write to all the boys and girls who are on active service from the congregation which includes about twenty-four names.

Three of our boys have come safely out of catastrophes at sea, two of which were officially announced this week. Congratulations were tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wickett, the latter's parents, who were commemorating the thirty-ninth anniversary of their marriage.

Mrs. Walter Wickett reported for the W.A., of which Mrs. Walter Scott is again president, and showed an income of $280, which included a contribution of $25 to the Fred Victor Mission Home in Toronto, and $360 in the bank.

Mrs. Geo. Frost, W.M.S. president for 1943, reported for Mrs. W. Scott, treasurer, and also for the Mission Band a total of $235. The Sunday School has a membership of 106 and had an income of $194, of which $24 were for Missions. The Y.P.U., a newly-organized group with Miss Phyllis Dafoe, president, gave $30 to Missions, which is the same as before the many older young people left for the services and war industries.

The Church treasurer, Mr. J. W. Daniels, who has filled this position for nearly thirty years, reported an income of $1526 with a balance on hand of $114. Mr. R. Morton, treasurer of Mr. & Mrs. for the Charge, gave an incomplete statement of $778. The grass income of the church totals $2745. Stewards elected for three years were: W. E. Yunmans, Wm. John Read, Clare Pinkle and Wm. Cooke. Elders re-elected for three years were Harry Dafoe and Clifford Wilson. Missionary treasurer, R. Morton. Finance committee—Harry Dafoe, Walter Wickett and John Gowsell.

Mr. Murney Reynolds was thanked and congratulated for the excellent records he has kept as church secretary and J. W. Daniels for the efficient manner in which he has kept the financial records and Rev. and Mrs. Cook for their leadership and services. A very pleasant and successful gathering closed with the National Anthem and the Benediction.

Official Board Meets

On Monday evening the Official Board of the Foxboro Charge met and reviewed the year 1944 and planned for 1945. Mr. Ben Hoover was re-elected recording secretary and appointed as representative to the Charge. Rev. Church, Foxboro, Halloway and Marsh Hill, has maintained its work in a satisfactory manner and has an aggregate income of $4425, this includes about $400 from a special effort made by Halloway congregation for the renovation of their church.

Citizens' Forum Views Films

Foxboro Citizens' Forum met at the home of Mrs. Clare Pinkle on Thursday evening. A public period listened to the broadcast "What Happens Today on the Land", and Mr. Gray, of the Farm Co-operative showed three films of moving pictures, one on the Co-op., a second new modes of education, "The Rustlers of Grain", and one on "Rural Life". This last was especially beautiful. Lunch was served and a social time spent. Mr. Harry Wickett invited the group to meet at her home next month.

Halloway Church Holds Dinner

Halloway, Feb. 2 — The United Church congregation, who are in process of renovating their church, provided a most delightful supper dinner in the church on Wednesday which enjoyed a most pleasant event. About one hundred and thirty people gathered from the surrounding neighborhoods to partake of what proved to be largely a chicken chowder with many delicious dishes including a large variety of delicious pies. The evening is beginning to look bright and inviting with a complete replastering and the upper decorating in shades of pale green and gold. The minister, Rev. E. M. Cook gave a short address in which he thanked the people for their patience and told how the local families had given $200 and done a great deal of the work by voluntary labor. The church is nearly 100 years old and has one member, Mrs. G. Carson, who was a member for twelve years before this church was erected, having moved now approaching close to one hundred years.

The financial returns from this event were $130. It is intended to complete the work and rededicate the church as soon as possible.

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M'NAUGHTON LEFT ARMY 'NOT BY MY OWN DESIRE'

Makes Statement in Reply to Bracken's That He "Left Canadian Army Under Cloud"

Owen Sound, Feb. 2 —(CP)— Defence Minister McNaughton, former commander of the Canadian army overseas, said yesterday that he had not left the army by "my own desire or will."

Gen. McNaughton made the assertion in a prepared statement on the reinforcement question, issued in reply to a speech made here yesterday by John Bracken, Progressive Conservative leader.

He said Mr. Bracken had stated that "I left the Canadian army under a cloud."

"I left the Canadian army, and not by my own desire or will," said Gen. McNaughton. "I have been very careful that this should be understood by all insofar as it lay within my power to make the, situation known.

"I am well aware that it does not lie with me to give the details at this time, and so I have to wait until later on but, I have seen to it that every letter and document, including the Ralston memorandum which has any bearing on this matter has been found still those who will write the history of Canada's part in this war.

"For my part, there is no reproach, no bitterness, nothing at all so far as I can see to wait until the truth is given out as it will be some day."

Winter Just Half Over Now If Candlemas Day Signs Unfailing

Local residents would be advised to pull up their coat collars; get in an extra ton or so of coal and prepare to do some extra shovelling for despite pussy willows and crows there is still considerable winter in store.

At least there is considerable winter in store if Candlemas Day, as established by friends of the hibernating animal world are correct as are its superstitions. Mr. E. Yunmans, owner of the weather which has been experienced during early February.

For today is February 2nd., and therefore Candlemas Day when the bears, the groundhogs and other hibernating animals come out of their winter lairs to have a look at the weather. If the day is cloudy, Mr. Bruin supposedly takes it that the back of the winter is about broken and decides to stay out of his lair and forage for some food. If the day is clear and he sees his shadow, he returns to his shaggy coat and holes up for another six weeks.

Well, Mr. Bruin saw his shadow when the sun broke over the horizon early this morning and then promptly momentarily at noon and if local weather forecasts are correct as designated by Candlemas Day they are advised to act accordingly. And according to old Scottish tradition, "If Candlemas Day be fair and clear, there'll be two winters in the year."

Ground Hog Faithful Gather

Punxsutawney, Pa., Feb. 2 — (AP) —"The groundhog faithful gathered at Punxsutawney on Candee Ridge, at seven o'clock this morning to see what the "official weather forecaster" for the world" cast his shadow—and they did see it, so they claim.

They believe in the groundhog and his weather works, this means six more weeks of winter.

The groundhog club spave this version:

"Phil saw snow from the worst winter on record covered the knob and the going was hard for those seeking the little woodchuck. Finally they heard a faint bark, got busy with pick and shovel, and removed five feet of hard-packed snow from the mouth of the burrow.

According to the club's official liar, the chuck crawled out slowly, climbed wearily up a 25-foot snowdrift, sat down and cast a shadow 13 miles long! Then the old fellow slid down the drift to their midst and said with a yawn:

"You saw 'er boys. If the length of the shadow is any indication of the length of winter, we'll all be freezing on July 4. But if the weather listens and this snow is washed off with a warm rain, you'd better prepare to be plagued with present home on this mountain, or little pests at last."

With that he scurried back into his burrow.

The War Today—
Each Ally Knows What She Owes To Others of United Nations

By J. M. ROBERTS, Jr.
(Scholastic Staff Writer)

That old question, "Who's winning the War?" as recurrent as war itself, is making its annual bid for bidding fair to cause some trouble.

Russia has been publicly critical of the lack of help by her western allies almost from the beginning. She knows that she was left to fight most Germans and lost the most. Britain, although she was driven from the continent in 1940-41 stand, Hitler probably would have overrun the British Isles. America knows that without her neither Britain nor Russia could have made the grade.

Now a British magazine is scolding the Russian offensive during German casualty figures, saying other Russian figures "call Germans killed and captured, 30,-000,00 wounded. And a writer in Red Star, carefully edited official paper of the Russian Army, blames the Allies for keeping the western allies of dilly-dallying for non-military reasons, and the Allies are busy talk in Britain and America when they consider Russian offensive power during the American Roe River drive last Fall.

No Time for Argument.

This is not the time for argument on the merits.

Briefly it may be said that when the figures are retreating, which it was when the most questionable casualty figures appeared they envy, thought they needed such propaganda for the home front. (And that is the remembered in passing that utterly false stories on other things were put out by the Nazis by the United States officials to the American press and radio audience during the fast days of this unfortunately would weaken public confidence in the government's every real media for home front mobilization.)

Now the Russians are publicly critical of errors—failure of supply at the German border and failure to capture the fuel in Iran, regardless of the Russian offensive and the backcloth of a Hitler past, a Munich and a Pearl Harbor—that they know who she owes to the others. There is an unfathomable interdependence.

Picton Clouds of Smoke Cause Alarm

Picton, Feb. 3—Firemen were called to John St. about 9:30 p.m. when dense clouds of smoke filled the building. It was discovered that previous to lighting the furnace Mr. Dunnett had left a can of gasoline in the basement for the first time this winter, a barrel of oil had been upset in it. After the fire had been started, the oil ignited and produced dense clouds of smoke. No damage was done.

Presented with Gift

Harold Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Nelson who is stationed at Kingston, has been promoted to the rank of Warrant Officer. He is 24 years old.

Word has been received here of the marriage on January 8 in Hong Kong of Lieut. Isobel Jean Phillips U.S. Army Nursing Corps, to Major John Kirkpatrick Bell, of Ireland, England, and Hong Kong. The bride is serving in India and the groom is with the Burma Reserve. The bride is the daughter and niece of Mrs. Frederick Phillips of Buffalo, N.Y., the granddaughter of Mrs. Byron Phillips of Picton and of Mrs. Wilfred E. Scott, Picton. Lance Cpl. John Pullen, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Walton, who is with the Dental Corps, has been posted from Kingston to Brockville.

NORTHWEST PASSAGE VOYAGE

The most recent voyage through the Northwest Passage was made in 1944 by the power boat "Saint Roch" of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in 86 days.

Farm Group Hears Talk On Co-operatives

Melrose—The Farm Radio Forum met at the home of Mr. John Milligan on Monday evening with visitors present. After listening to the broadcast on Education and the general business being conducted, Mr. Milligan introduced to the forum group, Messrs. Fred Shapton, Carl Shelly, and Frank Tummon, of Foxboro.

Mr. Campbell spoke briefly on the "Co-operative way" among farmers and Mr. Gray gave a resume of one of the Foxboro Farmers' Co-operatives explained in detail how the business was carried on among the farmers at Foxboro and answered many questions of interest to the listening group.

Arrangements were made to hold a public meeting at Melrose in the near future when a speaker will be present to explain the Farmers' Co-operative to farm men and women and we will also show interesting films.

Lunch was served and a social time enjoyed.

Knee, Ankle Injured By Tractor Wheel

Slipping on the ice in the Smith Transport Company yard while assisting to couple a loaded trailer to a tractor, Bunnett Smith, 25, R.R. 3, Trenton, had his right knee and right ankle injured early this morning when the tractor wheel rolled onto his foot. The injured man was admitted to Belleville General Hospital where an X-ray disclosed that no bones were broken, despite the fact his limbs took the full weight of the heavy tractor wheels.

Bunnett is engaged by the Smith Transport Company as night maintenance man and in the course of his duties was assisting one of the drivers to back the tractor to the loaded trailer when the accident occurred, according to Constable Dr. G. M. Cronk stated Mr. Bunnett would be permitted to leave the hospital tomorrow.

SHARE-QUARTERS APPEAL

Toronto, Feb. 3 — (CP) — An appeal will be made to Toronto householders to share their quarters with those in urgent need of shelter, W. H. Rowley, emergency shelter administrator, said yesterday.

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Ability To Get Supplies to Front May Decide the Fate of Berlin

By JAMES M. LONG
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 2 —(AP)— Logistics—the military science of getting supplies to the battle-line—rather than a reinforced German defence, may decide the fate of Berlin as the present Russian offensive carries across the Oder river and the last 50 miles to the city.

That is the opinion of the best available unofficial military intelligence here, although admittedly not much is known here of the full capabilities of the Russian breakthrough or the exact intention of the Soviet command.

It is quite possible the Red army Wehrmacht to its knees, but it may well be because of this logistic problem.

The weather and the Polish mud are keys to that. The Russians have now reached that part of Germany where the road system changes with every mile — but behind them are the great supply lines of the Russian rail-line-rather than a reinforced German defence, are keys to that. The Russians have now reached that part of Germany where the road system changes with every mile — but behind them are the great supply lines of the Russian rail-line-rather than a reinforced German defence, may decide the fate of Berlin as the present Russian offensive carries across the Oder river and the last 50 miles to the city.

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Highways Reported Generally Open In West Ontario

Toronto, Feb. 2 — (CP) — Provincial highways generally were open to traffic in western Ontario today, the Department of Highways announced, although 10 of 14 highways listed as open were those which were open were heavy and narrow.

Most main arteries are open, but it will be tomorrow before we have complete information from a department official. The highways were blocked by a Wednesday night storm in which there was an average snowfall of about four inches.

However, country roads and township roads in western Ontario were reported to be badly blocked in many districts. Impassable conditions of the country roads were snowbound and two bulldozers and two snowplows which were being used to open up roads have broken down. George Unger, township road superintendent, said the equipment was being repaired and it was hoped to resume clearing away the snow soon.

TEN MORE ENEMY SHIPS SUNK BY SUBS

Washington, Feb. 2 —(AP)— United States submarines have sunk ten more enemy vessels in far eastern waters, the Navy announced today. The toll now includes a destroyer-escort, two medium tankers, three small cargo vessels, a naval transport, a medium transport and a small tanker.

The announcement raised to 962 the total of Japanese ships sunk by United States submarines.

U.S. SENATE VOTED TO DELAY ACTION ON APPOINTMENT

Washington, Feb. 3 (AP) — The Administration won a slender victory in the fight to salvage a controversial post for Adolf Berle when the United States Senate voted 42-41 to delay self-direct the nomination.

The Senate then voted 83-2 to take up the George Bill which would create the Government Lending Agency from the Commerce Department.

Through the delay on the nomination vote, which may extend into weeks, Wilson Compton, foe, won ultimate confirmation of the appointment of Berle to the post of the Commerce Department of its huge defence agencies.

GREAT INDUSTRIAL BASIN

The Saar region in Germany ranks as one of the foremost coalmining and industrial areas in continental Europe.

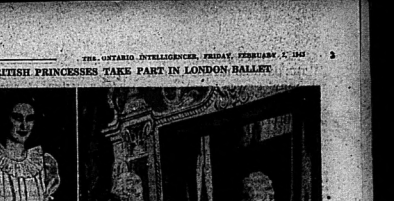
PO. Corey Spencer Presumed Dead

Picton, Feb. 3 — Among those in the official casualty list as being presumed dead is Pilot Officer Corey Spencer, member of the RCAF, he had been reported missing a year ago. He was the son of Mrs. Charles Spencer, and enlisted shortly after leaving Picton Collegiate, where he was a star scholar and athlete.

JUMPS INTO RIVER

TO RESCUE BABETTE

New York, Feb. 2 (AP)—A middle-aged man jumped fully clothed into the icy Harlem river to rescue a match from a coal barge captain and a fight ensued in which he was overcoat, hat, false teeth and necktie and jumped into the Hudson river, according to the cigaret, police reported. He did not reappear on the surface.



BRITISH PRINCESSES TAKE PART IN LONDON BALLET

Here British Princesses take part in a London ballet presentation. At the right Princess Elizabeth is seen with another performer, Anne Critchen, extreme right. In the left-hand picture is Princess Margaret.

Court-Martial Acquits Dahl Of 10 Charges

Montreal, Feb. 2 (CP)—Sqdn. Ldr. Carol (Wing) Dahl, internationally known flyer, was acquitted on 10 of 11 charges at a RCAF court-martial late yesterday with the courts announcing that its decision on the other four counts would be announced later.

The acquittal a majority of the charges was announced after a three-hour period, during which the court was closed, while it considered its decision. Flying Officer Dahl, then proceeded with the reopening of various pieces of government property while he was stationmander of a RAF Transport Command unit at Dorval.

All of the charges, the finding of Rooms is quickly stamped "Private" which he was found guilty, were laid to do with the disposal of the remains of crashed aircraft. It has been declared unserviceable. The other acquittal was on a charge of disposal of unserviceable motorcycle.

Charges on which decision will be announced later dealt with the disposal of a vacuum cleaner, a refrigerator and motor parts, an astro compass, signal lamps, and emergency life rafts.

The sum of money which the charges claimed had been paid Dahl by Brazilian merchants totalled 130,000 cruzieros (about $6,000) charges on which no decision was announced.

The finding of the court in these cases will be submitted to the Chief of the Air Staff, Ottawa, and subsequently will be announced there.

Flying Cmdr. V. Lynch-Staunton, summing up the defence pleas, claimed Dahl had been the victim of a Brazilian junk dealer who had failed to avoid payments for aircraft equipment which came into his possession by honest and legal documents.

The defence claimed Dahl had been approached by American officer to clear the field of crashed aircraft and Dahl had considered the junk dealer to make the best possible arrangements to get rid of the wreckage. He had been asked to sign documents to cover the transaction and the sums of money listed in the documents had been presented as an assurance of the proof of ownership legal.

It contended that natives had stolen equipment, such as life rafts, signal lamps, and other equipment, and had sold them to the dealer, who found Dahl would easily put his signature on documents without question, and had used him as a means of getting clear title to the goods.

The prosecution replied that the court would be unable to believe that a man would enter into agreement with strangers and sign documents without having a clear understanding of what he was signing.

SECOND LARGEST COUNTRY

France is Europe's second largest country, covering 212,600 square miles, with 40 world-wide empires spread over four continents, totalling 5,150,000 square miles.

Second V.C. at Arnhem Win Top Capt. Quentin

London, Feb. 2 —(Reuters)—The second Victoria Cross for outstanding gallantry in the Arnhem battle last September was won by Capt. Lionel Ernest Queripel of the Royal Ulster Regiment, 1st Airborne Division, the London Gazette announced last night. Queripel, now reported missing, remained behind at Arnhem to protect his men as they withdrew to safety, although himself three times wounded.

SPOTS NAZIS QUICKLY

Aachen, Germany, Feb. 2 —(AP) —Yesterday was behind some scleaning day in the Aachen city administration, headed by American military government. Twenty Nazis were dismissed from city or their services no longer wanted by the town's mayor Hugh M. Jones of Blockley, Pa., who defeats Nazis and removes them as fast as conditions permit.

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Symbol of Nazi Fall

It has been strangely symbolic that the fall of Tannenberg in East Prussia is so closely tied in what is going to be the impending defeat of Germany. Tannenberg in August 1914 was the scene of one of the great battles of history. There Von Hindenburg, the German, defeated the Russians in the days of the Czar a few days after the outbreak of the First World War, and not got into the stride of modern war and the Russians who had stretched over a wide front in their invasion had the tragic experience of finding their plans broken down and Hindenburg gained the victory. Hindenburg became a German hero, something like the figures of German folklore with which Adolf Hitler's strange mind has been toying for many decades in his wild dream of German domination. At Tannenberg after the rise of Hitler to power as chancellor Hindenburg was laid to rest with the typical German pomp. Hitler at the time of the funeral spoke of Hindenburg as entering Valhalla, the land of departed German heroes.

But Hindenburg's rest in that very material Valhalla has been interrupted for just a few days ago as the Russian armies were moving into the province of Tannenberg the Germans say German forces took up the caskets containing the bodies of Von Hindenburg and his wife along with German flags and took them in a waiting plane of safety, after blowing up the tomb which had been built to contain the body of the German military leader of the last war.

To the Russians and to other Allies the fall of Tannenberg in the land of the Junkers is a fiery symbol of the destruction of Nazi tyranny. It heralds the collapse of the enemy whose gods have been barbaric cruelties, lust and ruthless use of power for selfish racial aggrandizement at the expense of the rest of the world.

It is again symbolic that the modern Junkers and the Nazis could not defend the Junkers homeland which is now in the hands of the Russians.

For mankind it will be the greatest blessing when the Nazi regime is wiped out.

Allies From the Hills

The Nagas, mountain tribes, are now stout allies of Britain and America. Field-Marshal Alexander was pulling his army out of Burma in 1942, Nagas labored to keep the roads open despite the monsoon washouts. When the Japs moved occupied the country they tried very hard to win the Nagas over, because their services as interpreters, government officials and policemen would have been invaluable. But the Nagas are fierce patriots and the enemy efforts met with no success.

The tribesmen have enlisted freely in the Assam Rifles and the Assam Regiment, and at one time in the Burma Rifles. Last summer the Nagas captured more Japanese prisoners than the whole of the Fourteenth Army.

Intelligence work is the Nagas' specialty. They work right among the Japs and gather priceless information for the British Staff. Many of our air strikes were based directly on information brought by the Nagas. And besides giving such valuable intelligence to the Indian army they have also fooled the Japs by giving them false information. They have frequently harbored Jap deserters and guided them into our lines, and have aided British prisoners escaping from enemy custody, and their co-operation has been an important factor in preventing the infiltration of Jap agents into India.

Villages which have been in enemy hands for as long as three months have still maintained contact. They get contact with British troops and when possible have sent runners with information. They have brought in many wounded British soldiers and airmen, on improvised bamboo stretchers, for miles through Japanese-held areas, sometimes fighting off enemy patrols to get these men through.

Much credit for the co-operation of Naga tribesmen and for the establishment of observation posts in their hill country must be assigned to a thirty-year-old London, woman, Ursula V. Graham Bower, who has lived alone among the Nagas for six years, studying them, taking photographs and collecting material for a book.

Equally stout allies are the men of the Chin Hills. For many years past the men have enlisted in a battalion of the old Burma Military Police, of which six battalions now constitute the Burma Frontier Force. Recently the Chins have also developed a system of armed levies which makes every villager a guerilla fighter.

There is also a group of tribes in the Kachin Hills who have developed a defensive organization, similar to that of the Chins. Their stories constitute the biggest of the hill forces.

Another more or less guerilla group is the Lushai brigade. The Lushais and Chins have been traditional enemies for centuries but are now united like brothers against their common enemy, the Japanese.

All of this enthusiastic support for the Allied cause says a great deal for the devoted work of generations of British officers in the remote hill country, who have created a deep mutual affection between themselves and the people they have served. These hillmen are simple people who cannot be expected to grasp the profounder implications of Axis aims, and powerful inducements to betray have been offered them by the Japanese—generous bribes on one hand and brutal torture and death on the other. These inducements have been scorned, and the Allied cause has been immensely aided by these staunch and clever allies from the hills.

Snowdrifts

(New York Times)

A snowdrift is a beautiful thing if it doesn't lie across the path you have to shovel or block the road that leads to your destination. In the open a snowdrift is the sculptured figure of the wind done in crystal. In the woodland it is the path of the wind pirouetting around the trees and curling over stumps and stones. If there is a sudden lifting of the motion, surely it would be a snowdrift, new and gleaming and softly curved.

Big drifts are magnificent. They show how the wind will walk with giant strides across the land. But there is a simpler beauty in the little drifts, the feathery drifts that trail away from the veriest weed stems in an open field. There is the diligence of the wind, the fine detail of the snowstorm; and one must look close to see them unless the long light of the morning or late afternoon has drawn its long shadows across the snow. Then they stand out in all their fine-detailed beauty.

That, of course, is the best time to see the clean, sculpturing of any drift, when the sun is low and throws the crests and the shadows lie like pools in every hollow. Then you can follow the wind along the hilltop and down the valley and see the whole pattern of its path. Nowhere else is the record so clear. Sand dunes show it, but not with the fine detail of a new-fallen snow.

A snow, of course, that you don't have to shovel or struggle through with a smooth-tired car. In those circumstances a snowdrift is just so much snow, sleek and wet and very much a nuisance. In fact, too much snow to be beautiful at all.

Price Ceilings Are Not New

(John W. Murphy, in Your Life Magazine)

There's nothing new about price ceilings, according to Dr. David Moore Robinson, head of the department of art and archeology at Johns Hopkins University. Excavating in Asia Minor several years ago, Dr. Robinson's staff uncovered a third century tablet inscribed with an injunction prohibiting an increase of more than 100 per cent in the price of bread, following a famine. And that was approximately 1,700 years ago!

"Spitchered" New R.A.F. Word

(London, Eng., Spectator)

There is going to be trouble about "spitchered." The author of the recently published official booklet on Malta says the word is R.A.F. slang, and denotes anything completely smashed up: it even added that it comes from the Maltese word "spiccha." But a naval captain writes that the word was in common use when he was a midshipman in 1905, and it had probably been going some time then.

JUST FOLKS.

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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WHY

She was his mother! They,
His neighbors round about,
It seems to them but yesterday
They heard his merry shout.

But yesterday, she stood
And waited at the door,
Counting the long day good
That brought him home once more.

But now a star of gold
Shines in his place today,
And all the friends of old
Seek fitting words to say.

His mother and his friends
Stand round and wonder why
Man's liberty depends
On boys who dare to die.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"You poor dear, come right in and warm your hands in some nice hot dishwater!"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

Feb. 2nd., 1925

Major Bedford, M.P.P., East Northumberland, addressed members of the Rotary Club here today.

Adj. E. R. LaRoche will resign from the city council in order to accept the appointment as a member of the Suburban Road Commission.

Mr. E. J. Butler, barrister, has left Port Maryrolh, where he will act as judge in the Division Court tomorrow.

This city has now 58.4 miles of sewers, Alderman Greenwood, to City Engineer Campbell.

Manager Belnap of the Dominion Store, and Manager Ab. Wonnscott of the Printers' team have arranged to play a match early next week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bailey, Holloway Street, will leave shortly to reside at Moira.

30 YEARS AGO

Feb. 2nd., 1915.

William H. Campbell, chief of the Belleville Fire Department, died at his Home on the Bridge Street, last night. He was born in Marmora seventy-six years ago. When a young man he came to Belleville and lived here over sixty years. He held the position of Chief of the Fire Department for thirty-five years and was highly esteemed by all citizens.

In a fast hockey match last night the G.T.R. team defeated the Telephone team, the score being 3 to 2. It was one of the best games played in the city league this season. The following composed the teams: Grand Trunk—Baker, Fink, Goyer, Taillon, Arnott, Mills and Yott; Bell Telephone—Simmons, Marshall, Smith, McBride, Dueseberry and Smith. Referee Pinkett, timekeeper Morley Duff, Manager Jack Phelan and Captain Fink of the G.T.R. Club were very happy at the result.

40 YEARS AGO

Feb. 2nd., 1905

In a hockey match last night the Shoe Clerks defeated the Sinclair Store team, the score being 4 to 0. The game throughout caused considerable merriment to the large number of spectators. At times some of the players were inclined, to be rough, but Referee W. Hough soon sent them to the fence. The following composed the teams:Sinclair Store—Sinclair, Morey, Wallace, Thompson, Moore, C. Dulmage and Edmonds; Shoe Clerks—Brower, Wallbridge, H. T. Dulmage, McPherson, Haines and Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Pope have arrived home after spending some time in the Old Country.

The employees of the McIntosh Store had a sleigh drive party last night. They went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie at Sidnaka where an enjoyable time was passed.

50 YEARS AGO

Feb. 2nd., 1895

There was a large market this morning and buying was brisk.

A hundred years have now elapsed since a Methodist missionary first visited this place upon which Belleville now stands.

The bear no doubt saw his shadow today and that the old prophecy of, six weeks more of real winter weather will be tested.

At a meeting of the West Hastings Reform Association which was held last evening the following delegates were appointed to attend the convention of Young Liberals in Toronto: Messrs. John O. Wilson, William Wilkinson, E. Biggar, John Williams and Ab. Landenberger.

Whitehall Notebook

By JOHN DAUPHINEE

(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 2.—Since The Common Wealth Party has been running through hundred times and there are indications it may soon collapse.

Last October it appointed a committee to seek affiliation with the Labor Party but the move was turned down. As a result R. W. O. Mackay Common Wealth's chairman has resigned and two other members of the national committee are expected to follow his advice that "the only thing left for Common Wealth is to dissolve and for its members to join the Labor Party individually."

Sir Richard Acland, one of the party's founders, has taken over as chairman, as well as parliamentary leader of the tiny Common Wealth group. Its parliamentary membership and he says Common Wealth will carry on."

Already, however, one parliamentary member has resigned. John Loverseed, first to win a by-election for Common Wealth after its formation in 1942, has announced he will not contest the future will be planned around long bars. If he does not like the Labor Party's policy it may be determined its course.

Service Voters: The Home Office has disclosed that some 90 per cent of the service men and persons in the armed services who are eligible to be entered on the service voters' list have completed the necessary declarations.

Commons Veterans: Of the 615 members of the Commons, nine were members during all of the First Great War and five have held the unbroken service record of time. Before David Lloyd George became an Earl, the figures were 10 and six respectively.

"The nine are: Prime Minister Churchill, Earl Winterton, India Secretary Amery, Minister of Agriculture Scrymgeour, Sir Reginald Blair and Hon. Henry Channon, all Conservatives; Will Thorne, Labor; George Lambert, Liberal National; and Sir Henry Haydn Jones, Liberal.

The five with uninterrupted membership since the last election are: Earl Winterton (1906), Henry Gibbins, Labor, Sir Percy Courthope (1906), Sir Henry Jones (1910) and Mr. Amery (1911).

Corn Chowder

(New York Times)

A prudent man hesitates to take issue with the book through which Noah Webster, et al, established claim to fame. It is difficult to believe he has not had a bowl of corn chowder. To the countryman who rates corn chowder on the same high plane as baked beans, or fried salt pork and milk gravy, it is heartbreaking that Mr. Webster thus offhandedly defines it. Perhaps, however, in the history-proved, traditionally accepted method of making real corn chowder is an old iron kettle which has had its bottom burned out, and which is then used as a receptacle by one of the stove covers. Such folks, unfortunately, wouldn't know that a good, big, wood-burning kitchen stove has been a thing of two ends. But if you're going to make corn chowder that's something that has lost sight of the fact that the remainder of the calcium in the bones and teeth. We have too often lost sight of the fact that the remainder of the calcium of time in the bones and teeth. We have nerve tissues, muscle, glands, some organs and secretions, and they rarely exceed the amount of iron in the entire body—but there is a definite calcium or lime in the blood and other tissues is as important as the iron in the blood.

Here are a few of the functions of calcium in the body:

1.—Necessary for clotting of blood—if there is a deficiency the clotting time is lengthened and bleeding is more likely to occur or to be excessive.

2.—Necessary for vigorous action of the heart muscle, the force of heart beat.

3.—Helps to promote permeability of capillary endothelium—that is to say, seepage, instead of escape of fluid part of blood through the walls of the capillary blood vessels or from the capillary spaces, to tissue spaces, as in drops or inflammatory swellings) or upon the surface, as in weeping eczema, hay fever, nasal rhinitis, watery nose, itchy fever).

4.—Regulates excitability of nerve fibers and nerve centers, prevents neuro-muscular irritability—as in asthma, hay fever and bed-wetting in growing children.

It is my notion that calcium deficiency may have something to do with coronary occlusion, coronary thrombosis and angina pectoris. That is, I imagine—and please understand this is merely my theory —that an adequate intake of calcium and, of course, vitamin D, combined to lessen the tendency to coronary artery casualties regardless of the cause of the artery disease. I believe calcium tends to prevent spasm or constriction of the coronary arteries. I might like to make it clear that this is purely theoretical, that calcium and vitamin D in such cases is not an established fact, that I am merely trying to prevent attacks; at worst it can do no harm.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

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PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease, diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped self addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters of a more personal nature will be published. Owing to the large number of letters received only a few can be answered here. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address Dr. William Brady care of this newspaper.

BLOOD, BONES AND ARTERIES

When the diet is not rich in milk and green vegetables—a fault of the diet of most Americans—the calcium (lime) in the bones will be drawn upon, for a certain amount of calcium is used up and excreted daily in health even when the daily intake of calcium is less than the amount required for maintaining good health. Thus the aging adult whose diet has been poor in calcium for years, perhaps for most of his or her life time, has what physicians or pathologists call osteoporosis—absorption of bone so that it becomes porous and brittle or fragile. This state of the bones in the aged, it should be clearly understood, is due to deficiency of calcium in the bones and not to the imaginary increase in the proportion of mineral matter in the bones. Our quaint school physiology books told us when you and I were young.

Unfortunately many of us, laymen and physicians, have been all too much impressed by the fact that something like 99 per cent of the calcium or lime in the body is in the bones and teeth. We have too often lost sight of the fact that the remainder of the calcium or lime in the body is just as important. The nerve tissues, muscle, glands, some organs and secretions, and they rarely exceed the amount of iron in the entire body—but there is a definite calcium or lime in the blood and other tissues is as important as the iron in the blood.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

SNAKES SWALLOWING YOUNG

It is a common belief that young snakes can run down into their mothers throat for protection. Persons all over America bear witness to this. Even the scientific men of Manitoba, however, do not credit these reports. They believe the stories arise from the fact that newly developed young snakes are often found in the throats of adult snakes that have just been killed.

The fact is, however, well established that many species of snakes are viviparous; that is, they do not lay eggs but produce living young, which are active and able to look out for themselves from the moment of birth.

The general notion that all snakes lay eggs leads to many misconceptions about snakes. For instance, one often hears reports of rattlesnakes having only rattles—rattlesnakes do not lay eggs. Such reports are based on mistaken identity, because all of the dozen or more species of rattlesnakes in North America are viviparous, that is they eggs hatch inside and not outside the mother's body.

In the fall the female rattler usually produces from seven to nine young which are several inches long. They immediately exhibit all the traits of adult rattler and are dangerous from the moment of birth.

Likewise, all the numerous species of common garter snakes, which received their name from the custom of carrying about their stripped bodies to a garter, do not lay eggs but give birth to living young. The number of young in a single brood may range from a dozen to 40.

Stories of snakes swallowing their young are known to everyone from examining the bodies of freshly killed snakes. Frightened snakes about to produce a litter of young sometimes the young are extruded from the mouth of the parent and the slayer jumps to the conclusion that the young have previously swallowed her brood.

The fear of the mother, either the mother or the father snake of most species take any interest whatever in the offspring. Apparently young snakes, from the moment of birth, must shift for themselves from the beginning. What newly born and young snakes find Typhoid is the wide state feed upon remains to be determined by future study. Among the few egg-laying snakes that cover their eggs to protect and to incubate them.

U.S. Farmers' Gift to Chop Suey

From "Time" Magazine, New York.

In Oklahoma, hundreds of farmers are marketing the last of a fresh crop of bumper bean sprouts. Their ancestors came originally from China. For more than 100 years a few United States farmers had raised mungs in small quantities for fodder, but had found little market for them as a cash crop. But when imports of mungs from China were halted, owners of chop suey joints from coast to coast and as far west as Honolulu flashed sh S.O.S. The sprouts are limited there, and mungs were needed for Times Square's most popular dish.

In Enid, Okla., a smart grain dealer, Dale H. Johnson, bought mung seeds, found a few hundred farmers in Garfield county near the town (pop. 50,000) willing to try a test crop. Johnson believed that the bean would thrive there, grown and harvested during the end of the winter wheat harvest and the beginning of fall planting for next season's wheat. He was right. The beans grew well when they got sufficient rainfall in late summer.

By 1942 mung planting in Oklahoma was up to 30,000 acres, the yield was 270 pounds of beans an acre. Another record, 80,000 acres of mungs were planted, and estimated fresh crop value was \$12 million harvested.

Much of the harvest was trucked to Johnson's busy grain elevator. The fact, many farmers early suspect that Johnson cornered the mung market this year, is false. Johnson is killing. He denies it. But he bought all the beans he could get. By last May stores had cleaned up, too.

A typical mung grower is Victor Virgil Beard, 31, of Waukomis, who came home after 18 months in the army to find that Beard, discharged as an essential farmer. Early Oklahoma Panhandle rains left hundreds of wheat off 100 of his 600 acres for the first farmland, as soon as the wheat was in, Beard planted the 100 acres of whipoorwill to mungs, this fall harvested 17,000 pounds of beans. Last spring Beard planted 52.5%, the mungs 63.13%—and Beard still has 1,250 pounds of bean for seed.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Leonard Maracle, R.C.N.V.R., is home on leave.

Pte./A. James Delaney, R.C.A.F., Trenton, spent the past week visiting in Cananoque.

Miss Iola Bellamy of Picton, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hart.

Miss Betty Maracle, who spent the past week with her parents in town, has returned to Trenton.

Mrs. Donald Fleming, of Ivanhoe, underwent a serious operation in the Belleville General Hospital on Thursday.

Mrs. J. A. McCormick, North Park Street, received flowers for her birthday from her son, Gene J. McCormick, chief engineer artificer, R.C.N.V.R., at an eastern port.

In the report submitted to the paper of the St. Andrew's Women's Guild published in yesterday's paper, the names of Mrs. Charles Brown as 1st vice president and Mrs. M. Ward as 2nd vice president were omitted.

A very enjoyable card party was held in the Oddfellow Hall on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Avondale Neighbors' Aid. There were eighteen tables of euchre in play. The prize winners were ladies Miss Luella Morton; men's Mr. D. Cansdron; consolation, Mrs. E. Weaver, Mr. A. Clare; lone Hands, Mr. R. Andrews. The proceeds which were very gratifying are to be used for war work. Before refreshments were served by Mrs. O. Louch, Mrs. P. Denyes and Mrs. F. Wadsworth Three members from the war work committee for February and are to be commended on the both successful and entertaining evening.

The many friends of Mrs. Alfred Woolhouse, 50 Octavia Street, will be sorry to hear that she has been confined to bed since last Tuesday as the result of a fall down her verandah steps.

WEDDINGS

WEINMASTER—MAYNE

A pretty house wedding took place on Saturday, January 27, at three p.m., in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mayne, Smithfield, when their only daughter, Marion Hattie, became the bride of Flight-Sergeant Samuel Weinmaster of the R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weinmaster, of Yorkton, Saskatchewan. Rev. William Sunter officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of heavy white silk jersey made with sweetheart neckline, long fitted sleeves and full skirt. Her finger-tip veil was caught with a pearl caronet and she carried an all white arm bouquet of carnations, roses, and sweetpeas.

Maid of honor was Mrs. Betty Daws, of Toronto, whose dress was blue, with blue hat and veil and Tuliesian roses.

Junior bridesmaid, cousin of the bride, Miss Cela Ireland of this town wore shell pink in two shades and a halo of pink net caught with tiny pink flowers. She carried a nosegay of pink carnations and blue forget-me-nots.

R.C.A.F. Padgister Gordon Brabrook of Bala, Ontario, was groomsman.

A background of roses, baby breath and maidenhair fern in silvered containers, caught with loops of white ribbon and groups of white bells with two large ferns at each end, formed the setting for the ceremony.

At the reception which followed, the bride's mother wore a dress of lime green with black hat, cream gloves and corsage of yellow roses. Forty guests sat down to long tables in the dining room, where white streamers, pink carnations and tall lighted candles were effectively used in decoration.

For the wedding trip to Tally Ho Inn, Muskoka, the bride wore a gold colored dress with brown accessories and dark muskrat coat.

Out-of-town guests were present from Belleville, Wellington, Frankford and Toronto.

BURROWS—THOMPSON

The Rev. L. S. Wight officiated at the marriage ceremony at a pretty home, 183 William Street, Thunder Bay, Ontario, last, of Babe Phoenix Thompson, of Amelisburg, to Pilot Officer Andrew Burrows, of Belleville, formerly of Biggar, Saskatchewan. Following a trip to Montreal, the bridal couple will take up residence at Rossmore.

Women's Activities

PINE GROVE W.I.

The monthly meeting of Pine Grove W.I., was held on Thursday, Jan. 26 at the home of Mrs. B. Searles with a small attendance. The President was the presiding officer. Seven members were present. Letters of thanks were read from boys overseas.

A donation is to be made to the Central Fund, also 4 box for Bill Chapman, prisoner-of-war. Donations received amounted to $5.00 and one membership fee. Mrs. Tanner donated $6.65 from sale of cards which was all W.I.

Mrs. H. Detlor offered her home for a social evening on February 14. The February meeting is to be at Mrs. Campbell's or Mrs. Pinkle's. Current events were given by Mrs. H. Ouulier.

Mrs. A. Detlor gave the topic "War Activities", dealing with Red Cross and blood donor clinic.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem, followed by lunch.

Servicewomen Have Bright New Centre

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—(CP)— Servicewomen in Canada's capital now have all the comforts of home when they are on leave here—at the new Leave and Transport Centre of the late A. J. Freiman.

The large house on Somerset Street has been redecorated and now is a cheerful hostel for holidaying servicewomen or those convalescing from illness. Operated by the War Services Department, working through the Y.W.C.A., the centre provides sleeping accommodation for 78 girls.

The large mahogany panelled lounge has been furnished with cream leather chairs, coffee tables and chintz-covered chesterfields. Other small sitting rooms have been arranged in the corners of the landings of the second and third floors of the home.

Various color schemes have been carried out in the dormitories with print, gingham and chintz draperies in harmonizing with green and blue or green walls.

Three supervisors, Mrs. Richard Thomson, Miss Enid Thomson and Mrs. M. J. Tredford, live at the residence and are in charge of the centre which is similar to others in Winnipeg, Vancouver and Halifax.

Mrs. G. Miller New President Argyll Chapter

Year of Great Activity Indicated by Annual Report

The annual meeting of the Argyll Chapter of the I.O.D.E. was held in the Officers' Mess, Armouries, on Thursday afternoon. In reviewing the work of the Chapter for the past year, the following list of items were given. Two rummage sales were held, one in May and one in September. Boxes were sent overseas in May and December. The annual bridge and tea was held in November, Christmas cake, magazines and a washing machine donated to the ship in mid-Summer.

There were donations for the year from the Chapter to the Kinmen Peg Fund, Prisoners-of-War Fund, Sailors and Miners-repeat Fund, Polish Relief Fund, Blanket Fund, Overseas Canteen Fund of Salvation Army, Endowment, Fund of Argyll Chapter. A scholarship was presented at the Collegiate. On Remembrance Day, a wreath was placed on Cenotaph. The sum of one hundred dollars was donated to the Service Libraries Campaign.

The slate of officers for the New Year is as follows:

Regent—Mrs. Gordon Miller.
1st Vice President—Mrs. A. H. Ketchison.
2nd Vice President—Mrs. Shiels.
Secretary—Mrs. K. Scott
Treasurer—Mrs. R. Keel
Standard Bearer— Mrs. N. Wilbur.
Evacuee Com. Mrs. M. Davison.
Ship Convener—Mrs. H. Alford
Knitting Convener— Mrs. F. Lester.
Social Con.—Mrs. H. E. Marvel, Mrs. A. B. Gribble, Mrs. W. C. Morgan, Mrs. B. C. Dennis.
Press. Sec.—Mrs. N. Wilbur.

The Experts Say

(By The Canadian Press)

Ottawa, Feb. 2. (CP) — Onion Harvest Onion lovers have a pe-culiar reason today for indulging their taste for this flavorful vegetable, say the home economists of the Agriculture Department. A bumper crop has resulted in plentiful supplies and "making the best use of available foods" in the wartime eating slogan.

Applied to onions, this requires some knowledge of the characteristics of various types. Large, Spanish-type onions are mild in flavor and they are first choice for baking whole and for generous use raw, in salads and sandwiches. Other varieties of yellow and red onions are stronger. Their use for serving boiled, with a cream sauce, to "smother" a steak or liver, and for flavoring.

Shallots or spring onions cooked and served like asparagus are sweet and mild.

Cheap Nourishment

Housewives know that cereals and bread are the cheapest foodstuffs in Canadadian meals today, besides being excellent fillers-up for the hollow-legged members of the family.

Canada's Food Rules recommend one serving of the "whole grain" cereal every day. Reason for the emphasis on the "whole grain" is that the Nutrition Division, is that whole grain cereals are such excellent sources of thiamin and niacin, the B-vitamins which aid digestion and steady the nerves. They are also a good source of iron, the mineral necessary for making red blood cells.

In the process of turning whole grain into refined cereals many of the B-vitamins are lost.

Beef Hash

It may not sound like a romantic dish but in the past months beef corned beef hash has become glamorous, because, in different forms, it is a favorite with our fighting men overseas. When they have to cook a meal in a hurry, with the least possible preparation and the greatest return in delicious food they make hash. The main difference between theirs and ours is that they generally use bully beef as the basis for their hash where civilians use canned beef.

This basic recipe, which may be varied by using other meat or vegetables, comes from the Nutrition Bureau:

Combine two cups of corned beef, three cups of chopped cooked potatoes, one small chopped onion, and one-half cup of milk. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Cook slowly in a little fat or salted oil until browned, turning frequently. This serves four.

Soup Again.

Yesterday's gravy makes tomorrow's hot beef broth. . . but careful about making it too rich. Cut it with vegetable water, and vegetables and brew it a bit for good flavor.

Cool Off

The electric iron should be allowed to cool off before it is stored away. Starch may be removed from the sole plate by wiping it with a damp cloth. Experts suggest an occasional rubbing of the sole plate with paraffin, or beeswax, if available, followed by a polishing with a dry, soft cloth.

Attractive Suit Dress



By ALICE ALDEN

The collarless dress suit, one of the most sensible and pleasing of today's fashions, is especially liked by the young and slim, in this case, attractive Joan Leslie. It is fashioned of brilliant purple wool set off by a huge bow of purple and green striped satin. The jacket fits smoothly through the waist and flares out sharply at the sides somewhat in simulation of a peplum.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Asks if Loveless Marriage to Faithful Beau is Better than None

"Dear Miss Fairfax:

"A letter I read in your column recently interested me. A girl wants to know if she should marry her faithful beau because she thinks she'll never fall in love, being at the sad age of 26. I wonder why we women think that the "grand passion" only comes when we are 19 or 20, and if it hasn't, it never will. It must be a throwback from our Victorian grandmothers, who grabbed the first man that came along when they passed twenty-one.

"Why can't a person fall in love at 30, 35 or 40? It's as silly as saying all children should cut teeth at ten months or they won't have any, as it is to say one will never fall in love if one hasn't at 26!

"Take my advice and wait. I too was 26 and had never been in love. I thought I wouldn't fall in love, I married my faithful beau, and fell in love at 33 with another man. "It could happen to you," as the song has it. I've stayed married to my very dear faithful beau, and suddenly I found the one who was meant for me, at 33. Think it over carefully, dear. Before you decide to live all your life with a man who is good and kind, but whom you cannot respect, and for another's very glance sends you to heaven, too late. S. O."

Read the daily papers if you want to make up your mind at what period of life the "grand passion" strikes most and women and makes them dance like whirling dervishes. Isn't it the highly respectable paterfamilias who throws prudence, responsibility, welfare of wife and children to the four winds and pursues slim chit of a girl he had known in his heart is working him for a gold mine or a meal ticket—according to his resources.

The case of the elderly woman in the throes of a passion for a boy is too pitiful for amusement. Such material is indeed available in every woman, and of that unquenchable desire to be loved, her plight is nearer akin to tears than laughter. Mr. My correspondent was certainly right in her diagnosis that the devastating passions do not smile their victims at eighteen or twenty.

Pink For Resort Wear



By VERA WINSTON

THIS IS the sort of dress that is being worn in the sunshine spots of this broad land. Like so many of the new resort and early Spring clothes, this one is pink and the material is a rubby weave cotton that closely resembles raw silk in appearance and texture. A side-swept drape forms an unpressed pleat from a peplum pocket. The dark brown suede belt is studded with pink stone cabochons.

The Marry Go Round

When a Girl Feels Herself

If you are a business-girl, what have you been doing with your money lately? Have you been buying war-bonds, putting it in a savings bank or just hoarding some of your pennies so that you can let the income-tax collector take care of the dollars?

Or have you been buying a mink coat or a diamond wrist-watch or "investing" in gold mines or chicken farm or some other beautiful dream? Every successful working-woman has her dream!

My dream is of a big old house in the country and an ever-changing garden where I can just sit and relax, all day. I long neither the time nor the talent for making a garden, but I love to kid myself. Alas, I'm a woman!

That's the trouble with a woman. She is always kidding herself. She can make herself believe anything that she wants to believe. Her ability to hypnotize herself is positively amazing! That's why when I see a man trying to fool a woman, I always wonder why he takes so much trouble and goes out of his way to do it.

All you need, my brother, is to start her imagination working and she'll fool herself better than you can get sound to it. A clever salesman doesn't have to coax or bribe money from her. He can merely paint a rosy little picture for her and a "investiment" that will yield golden profits or perfect happiness—and she'll hand over her life-savings on a silver salver and beg him to take them.

Any smart promoter can convince her that a course of beauty treatments and personality development will transform her from plain Jane into a Hedy Lamarr; or that all she needs in order to be a movie star is "influence".

But it isn't in matters of cash or career, as much as for her sake. And many a girl has waited hopefully for years for a man to "make good" or to give up drinking or to divorce his wife and marry her, only to find that she has grown old and he has fiddled herself. For men have changed—and gurus have eaten them—but for the LOVE.

Of course, there are men of the wolf variety who deliberately set out to deceive women but most girls are too sophisticated these days to be fooled by this type. When a girl's life gets knocked into a cocked hat, it's her nerves go to pieces; it is more than half the time because she has deliberately deceived herself. And that's what no man can understand!



It's About "time to consider those summer outfit besides knitting! A round piece of wood to top of crate or barrel box. Covered with material to floor. Material can match curtains, bedspreads or chair in room.









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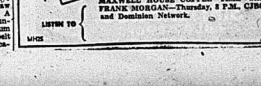
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BASEBALL FACES MOST IMPORTANT CONCLAVE YET

To Name Landis' Successor Over Weekend; Frick Rejects Proposals

New York, Feb. 2. (AP)—Baseball faces a momentous week-end — perhaps the most important of the last 24 years—with major league club owners gathered here today for a two-day session that may decide whether war-time manpower demands are sufficiently drastic to warrant suspension or delay the forthcoming season.

High on the list of important decisions to be acted on the 16 league moguls is the election of a successor to Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis, whose recent death terminated a firm and respected directorship which organized baseball needs badly now in its first real period of distress since Landis took control in 1921.

Developments in the last two months have fluctuated the baseball fever chart to such an extent as reported by Ford Frick, National League President, on his conference with Lieut.-Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, United States Selective Service Director, 60 days ago may be an important factor in the owners' decision whether to play this year.

Frick has persistently declined to reveal the answers he obtained to questions put to Gen. Hershey, explaining only that he was successful in getting a clear picture of the manpower situation as it related to sports and that he would unfold the true picture at the baseball meeting.

Indications are that Frick will be elected commissioner, if one is named, according to unofficial tabulations, the count stands 12-4 for the National League proxy with no other candidate having more than one backer.

JUNIOR TEAMS RATE HIGHLY IN THE WEST

Winnipeg, Feb. 2 — (CP) — With Western Canada inter-provincial junior hockey matches well underway, fans are narrowing their attention down to four clubs as playoffs in the three prairie provinces approach.

After eight exhibitions between the inter-provincial teams of all leagues, selectors were confident second winners would likely be Port Arthur Flyers for Thunder Bay, Winnipeg Monarchs in Manitoba, Moose Jaw Canucks in Saskatchewan and Edmonton Canadians in Alberta.

Monarchs, only undefeated Manitoba team in the big league setup, have lost an edge in games against Moose Jaw Canucks, Southern Saskatchewan titlists, 4-4 tie, and Port Arthur Flyers, top outfit in the Thunder Bay branch.

Edmonton Canadians, only other undefeated western Allan team, has yet to encounter Moose Jaw, Winnipeg and Port Arthur but has turned in impressive victories over Regina Commandos, Southern Saskatchewan champions, and Saskatoon Navy, Northern Saskatchewan loop winners.

Plans to round out teams in the prairies for Allan Cup play-offs were temporarily balked when the senior picture became clouded with doubt as to whether inter-provincial contests would be staged this season.

Frank Sargent, president of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association has announced definite plans would not be made until the association meets in Montreal and Toronto next month.

No senior leagues operated in the west this year.

Propose New Play-off For Pro Hockey

President Red Dutton Suggests Adoption of Different Play-Off System at Meeting

Montreal, Feb. 2 — (CP)—When the Governors of the National Hockey League settle down to a business meeting today, a new play-off system will be on the discussion agenda, with president Mervyn (Red) Dutton the exponent of the new system.

Dutton has not intimated what he has in mind, but it is expected the first-round series will be cut to five games. Last year, the first-place team played the third-place team, and the second met the 4th-place club in best-of-seven series, with the winners of these series being matched in a best-of-seven series.

Other matters which will be considered are ways and means of curtailing unnecessary train travel, and post-war expansion of the league.

Wallberg and St. Louis are reported as red-hot prospects for admittance to the loop, making the league an eight-team circuit. However, Maj. Conn Smythe of Toronto Maple Leafs is very much against this and is campaigning a 10 or seven team league.

Brooklyn is expected to be one of the first teams to resume operations in the post-war period, while there is talk that Montreal will once again become a two-team city.

Blackhawks Halt Canadiens' String Of Victories

By FRED KERNER
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Canadiens' fans will probably have a few sleepless nights before Chadwick for the rest of the season.

Bill ended a little controversy in front of Chicago's big net last night when he handled the goal-judging assignment and the Hawks succeeded in ending a five-game losing streak by grabbing a nine-gamer.

When it comes to Canadiens goals, the name of Maurice Richard always pops up, and it was Richard's disputed one of them—that caused the whole argument.

Sometime in the first period Richard had a go at Mike Karakas and Referee Chadwick gave goal-judge saw it was in. The elusive puck appeared to have been batted accidentally straight out again and the game went on though the little red light in the eye-glass over the Chicago citadel.

In spite Chadwick's no-counter decision, Richard coasted in on Karakas a few minutes later and scored—and good thing too, for Canadiens won the only goal of the night.

Elmer Lach and Bouchard were in on Richard's goal last night, while Speedy Bill Mosienko notched the tying and winning goals. Clint Smith and Joe Cooper taking honors on the play.

FOUR C.W.A.C.'S OVERSEAS INJURED, STILL ON DUTY

Ottawa, Feb. 1. (CP) — Defence headquarters announced today four overseas C.W.A.C. casualties.

Twenty-four others remaining on duty' The C.W.A.C.'s are Pte. Jean Evelina Abbe, Halifax; Pte. Gertrude Adams, Winnipeg; Pte. Alice Mary Aitcheson, Tofino, Sask., and Pte. Gertrude Abbie Allen, Calgary, Alberta.

There were no details on the nature or cause of the injuries.

FIVE MORE JAP SYMBOLS FREED

San Francisco, Feb. 1 (AP)—The death of five more Japanese spies was announced by the Japanese Domei Agency in a broadcast reported by the Federal Communications Commission.

These six deaths brought to 111 the number of Japanese generals and admirals who have died of natural causes or been killed in action during the past eight months.

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MIDWEST LEADER — By Jack Sords



Five Students Who Accept Bribe for Throwing a Cage Game Are Banned for Life

Viewing his first N.H.L. fixture since 1942 at Montreal last night, Maj. Conn Smythe of Toronto Maple Leafs declared it appeared he would have to learn his hockey all over again. Conn suggested that the old rule applied—the team with the most players was the winner.

Smythe admitted that Canadiens' Maurice Richard resembled the late Howie Morenz with his speed but thought the comparison ended there.

Touching on baseball, Maj. Smythe expressed the view the New York Yankees had been sold as a bargain at $2,200,000, saying he thought it had been classed as a $10,000,000 organization.

Reflecting confidence in the return of horse-racing in the United States was the announcement at New York last night that 1947 Belmont Futurity had drawn the heaviest nomination list in a decade with 1,309 names named by 198 studies or owners, indicating a gross nifies value of $80,000 including $25,000 added by the track. There were 1,077 nominations for the 1945 Futurity.

The five students of Brooklyn College who admitted accepting a $1,000 bribe to throw a basketball game against Akron at Boston this week were banned from intercollegiate sports last night on the unanimous vote of the faculty-student athletic committee of the Brooklyn, N.Y., school. College officials have yet to determine if the players are to be expelled.

Pitcher L. N. (Buck) Newsom yesterday was turned down in his $150,000 bonus claim against the St. Louis Browns by the Major League Advisory Council at Chicago. Both Newsom and the Browns are criticized for violating a major league rule prohibiting side agreements in contracts.

Pro Johnny Revolta of Evanston, Ill., and amateur Ed Furgol of Detroit, captured first prize in the 36-hot basketball competition with a 60 in a field of 190 golfers at Miami Beach, Florida, yesterday. Low man for the day was Claude Harmon, Winged Foot Mile, in an even par 70.

Victory in the western Ontario Colts Association's bonspiel at Detroit last night was added to Geord Murray's rink of Galt, Ont., with a 11-6 decision in the final against R. E. Hudson's four from Chatham. Murray defeated O. C. Brisack of Chatham rink 19-7 to reach the trophy round.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 2 — (CP) — One of the rising stars in Canada's ice skating world, Doreen Dutton of Drumheller, Alta., can really say she's a self-made woman.

Youngster who won the Canadian junior-ladies' figure skating championship in Toronto the other day had to build her own rink to get her start in the world, as the legend has it.

It seems that pert Miss Dutton was a child of tender years indeed she wanted to figure skate, so bundled-up her shovel and scraped off a patch of ice in the back yard put on her first pair of skates, and began practicing. Later she changed her field to the Drumheller arena, and got professional coaching before she started out and up in the world.

Like the child Hollywood stars, she studied while she worked, her books and her mother going along with her on numerous trips hither and yon. Incidentally, she graduated from high school with honors.

Insurrection!—

Reports from Ontario's Niagara area say the Hamilton district lacrosse league will break away from the Ontario Baseball Association if the latter bars entry of American professionals from south of the border. Last season, if we remember correctly, the boys had a great time squabbling over the importers, and civil war nearly resulted. Baseball is a red-hot issue in Canada, but the country — almost as much so as hockey used to be in parts of the Maritimes and the west, good feuding material.

N.H.L. Gossip—

Right now, the fans are all ears to learn what comes out of the National Hockey League meetings in Montreal. Rumors are flying thick and fast about changes in playoff systems, possible suspension of the league, and the like, but as intgr-esting as any is the speculation what Conn Smythe will say or do. Conn is reported anxious to get a bit at kicking around the circuit before he settles down to the more prosaic task of shaking up his Toronto Maple-Leafs.

Far-off Fans:—

No matter how far away from home Canadians still love an argument over hockey doings. Somewhere in Holland a bunch of boys in No. 3 Canadian Public Relations Group got into a dispute over which Canadian city had won the Memorial Cup the most times. Bets and side bets piled up rapidly and Cpl. A. L. Vickrey wrote to The Canadian Press in Toronto for a decision. Incidentally, the answer is Winnipeg with seven wins and Toronto next with five. St. Boniface, across the river from Winnipeg, won the cup once, which probably can be accepted as a 'Peg victory.

LARGE NUMBERS OF PRISONERS FREED

London, Feb. 1 (CP) — The Moscow radio, quoting a press dispatch, said today that a "large number" of prisoners had been freed from the Prokowe concentration camp.

The camp, said the broadcast was "established by the Germans when they smashed the Warsaw uprising last year."

"Between 2,000 and 16,000 War-saw people" were packed daily into the camp, said the dispatch, many were tortured by the Gestapo and certain members of the home army."

CITY OF LIEGE

The Belgian city of Liege, was attacked and occupied by the German armies during the early days of the Great War, and was one of the major points to fall before the German drive May, 1940.

ALBERT COLLEGE AND ST. MIKES WIN AT HOCKEY

"Irish" Win 13-0 in Senior Game While Albert Downs B.C.I. 5-0 in Junior Contest

INTERSCHOLASTIC

St. Mikes seniors and Albert College juniors remained undefeated in the Bay of Quinte C.O.S.S.A. hockey conferences when the whitewash brush was applied in both games. The "Irish" trounced the Albert seniors 13 to 0, while Coach Pepper's Albert College juniors applied the same brush to the Belleville Collegiate Juniors to win 5-0 in one of those weekly Thursday afternoon pleasing Interscholastic doubleheaders at the Home Arena.

In the junior game Doug Christie put the Albert kids well in front with a first goal in the initial period while Claude Lemay added a third. In the middle session Johnny Merkley added a fourth Albert goal and Lemay scored his second counter in the final stanza to give Pepper's charges No. 5 and victory at Mackintosh, in the junior semi, stood out as the star of the game with his sensational stick-handling throughout the game.

The line-ups—Belleville Collegiate: defence, Bradshaw; defence, Thompson and Byrne; centre, Young; wings, Lockyer and Mac-Donald; subs, Waite, Campbell, Pepper, Thompson, Mackay and Sedlorchick. Albert College — goal, Mackintosh; defence, Head and Kilpatrick; centre, Merkley; wings, Taylor and Lemay; subs, Christie, Isley, McCullough and Peck. Referee: Bill Louis.

In the senior game it was pretty much of a parade as Coach Jack Doran's St. Mikes sextette used a fast passing game to completely baffle Albert seniors within their own defensive zone during the early going and to tag tune of 13 to 0. While all of this was going on Dick Fitzpatrick, Irish goalie, was enjoying a holiday from tending goal for the Belleville juniors, fired home the first counter of the night early in the first period on a wide open passing game.

The line-ups—Albert College seniors: goal, Lindsay; defence, Ferguson and Cook; centre, Lem'ry; wings, Lane and Rivers; subs, Mac-Donald, Soloman, D. Lindsay and Stanton. St. Michael's Academy seniors — goal: Bunton; defence, Green, Duffy; centre, Moher; wings, Mackey and Coach Doran; subs, a wide open passing game.

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"Y" ALLEYS

AFTERNOON

Y Ladies, 1 Pt—E. Ford 410; H. Christie 396; Mrs. Hall 387; Mrs. Kyle 315; F. Short 370. Total 1805

Bevers, Handicap 210, 3 Pts—Mrs. Bevers 441; Mrs. Hall 437; T. Moreau 539; P. Rawson 608; J. Short 581. Total 2606

EVENING

Just Us, 4 Pts—C. Richards 319; G. Ramsay 461; L. Holdsworth 663; Mrs. Short 499; E. Houcher 519. Total 2481.

Amateurs, 0 Pts—V. Savage 352; M. Johnston 315; A. Hays 383; F. McFarland 367; L. Drummey 277. Total 1694

Bofors, 2 Pts—L. Thomas 330; P. White 377; L. Bowerman 384; E. White 536; C. Maybee 401. Total 2101.

Bluebirds, 2 Pts.—V. Woodcock 457; B. Wheeler 348; E. Gladder 378; R. Talmour 341; T. Bell 401. Total 2118.

Recreation Alleys

SACO LEAGUE

Elevators 0 points; C. Bovay 306; W. Frain 563; E. Mahler 326; R. Cooney 426; A. Jenkins 566; G. Hollister 384—2263.

Crushers 4 points; E. Deleeuw 518; Cpl. Cornell 499; E. Houcher 549; J. Dunlop 369; D. Batchelor 341.

Sealmaster 1 point; A. Evans 320; P. Lang 340; Mrs. Hollister 312; Bennett 360; S. Thompson 349; L. Jones 367—2661.

Bulldogs 3 points; A. Hilchon 701; W. Hopping 637; M. Dickens 478; Mrs. Hilchon 441; Mrs. Hopping 447; W. Ashley 518; F. Thomas 112—2134.

Reducers 2 points; M. Peoples 518; W. Bly 264; H. Brooks 462; S. Marsh 412; E. Dunn 455; J. Yeres 522; P. Dixon 350—2541.

Slippers 1 point; Mrs. Hollister 480; C. Walmsley, 340; M. Peoples 32; M. Frain 515; D. Grills 517; E. Dixon 138; M. Donovan 283; Handicap 378—2408.

MAPLA A LEAGUE

Kinsmen 4 points; W. Berry 563; C. Holsey 546, 546—1655; Mrs. Loyd 532; L. Barrett 553—2340.

Belleville Gold; J. Kirkwood 527; R. Miles 480; P. Drumm 640; C. Bryans 577; J. Leguin 619; Handicap 234—2650.

Bell Cleaners 2 points; A. Crull 536; J. Whalen 533; E. Colebourne 630; G. Anderson 706; Handicap 180—3185.

C.N.R. 1 point; D. Garipey 562; W. Kiser 755; C. Hardwick 566; W. Moore 502; W. Jackson 640; Handicap 141—3606.

Corbins 4 points; O. Smith 545; P. Graham 467; J. Graham 653; C. Erskinson 607; C. Brown 444; Handicap 312—3062.

Lawn Bowlers—McLaughlin 483; Pauley 450; Hanton 300; Boyd 771; Wonnacott 486; Price 173; Handicap 243—3002.

They'll Do It Every Time — By Jimmy Hatlo



CASUAL COMMENT
by K.J.C.

A young Judge was trying his first case, that of a Negro charged with a malicious assault. He wanted to make sure that the prisoner had a fair and impartial trial, so he took the questioning out of the hands of the prosecutor at one point. Leaning down from the bench he began the following cross-examination:

Judge—Now, you have a very fine reputation here and I want to see it retained by this case. I want you to tell me exactly what happened and why you tried to kill this man.

Tom—Judge, y' honor, suh, he done call me a black ——— and I done hit him with a brick. Now Judge, suh, y'sonin' he calls you a black ——— what you' goin' to do about dat?

Judge—Hold on here! I am not a ———

Tom—Yessah, I knows dat. But y'sonin' he calls you the kind of a ——— what you is?

Who'll Decide?

Under the President's conditional green light for the Big Four conference, arises, "Who's going to decide how healthy is 'perfectly healthy?'" comments Ray Cronin, sports columnist of the New York Daily Mirror.

"Will a man who is able to run out a triple, or even two, be considered well enough to be further concerning himself with the fabulous horseplay known as baseball?" asks Cronkite.

"It is easy to envision a player who, after performing some batting feat which in other days would have rocketed him into the top ranks to the roaring approval of the crowd, now slinking across the home plate, obviously protesting: "Honest, ladies and gentlemen and members of the Manpower Commission, and General Hershey, that six-foot home run was just a fool accident. Some enemy of mine must have put rubber in my bat. I'm really as weak as a cat."

Hockey Round-up—

With all six teams in the "Little Six" in action tonight the game of interest to local fans is the Belleville at Trenton affair. Stan Jackson's kids blew hot the other night when they trimmed 9 to 2 and rumbling home nine pucks behind Mc-Intryre, the Combines' goalie, is the key task, however, Holway's charges seem to have found their scoring mark of late and should give a good account of their night's effort to beat the Trenton lads on surface. Incidentally for those interested in the period scores tonight, the Jacks are available by phoning 74 or 666.

And there'll be another of those popular RCAF doubleheaders at the Home Arena Monday night when Trenton meets Desoronto and Trenton take on the fast-skating Kingston team, who boast of one of the best players in the loop, Randy Ellis, the former Oshawa junior star. Ellis really gave the fans a treat in his last showing here. Another good player in the league is Ross Hunt, regular centreman with Stacedon. Hunt gets in a lot of hockey in a night and pivots on a mighty fine line with McInnis and Pfaff. In that second game Monday Trenton must win to regain first place, now enjoyed by the Mt. View Bombers.

Interscholastic News:

Around the Bay of Quinte Interscholastic circles a great deal of interest is very much the Albert College for the junior honors and St. Mikes to repeat as senior title winners. Coach MacIntosh guarding the twine the Albert juniors have the whitewash brush on the B.C.I. kids trapped to the tune of 5-0 while Coach Pepper's charges are busy keeping the 'Collegians' clean from the score sheet. At the Home Arena, St. Mikes "Irish" merely fattened their scoring average beating Albert 13 to 0 and incidentally enough Dick Fitzpatrick, who boots 'em out for the junior O.H.A. setsters, rapped home six of the Irish' 13 goals. Maybe Skipper Holway is making a scoring threat after all. After yesterday's stonday school weekly hockey game at the Home Arena, St. Mikes lead the senior parade with two wins, while Coach Pepper's Albert juniors have yet to be defeated in two starts with a win and a tie.

Remember when?

Pirotlla La Guardia, now mayor of New York City, but then a member of the United States Congress, tried 20 years ago today to introduce a bill to put a wedding ring on the price of professional baseball players with a view to limit on the price of players sold for more than $5,000. The bill was promptly squelched.

High heep news:

Ed Shortt is taking his Belleville "Y" girls to Peterboro on an exhibition game with the Littlock City Y.W.C.A. lassies tonight. Next Thursday there'll be a doubleheader of girls' basketball at the "Y" here when the Mountain View (W.D.) lassies meet the "Y" girls in the feature attraction with the Deacon girls playing the "Y" Juniors in the curtain-raiser.

Last Call—

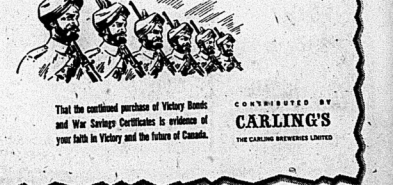
Secretary Joe Shortt of the Y.M. has announced today entries to the three Ki-Y leagues would close tonight. We have been told by several what by the lack of playing facilities, but the green light flashed earlier in the week so we'll draft schedules over the weekend," said Secretary Shortt. The group operated by the local Ki-Y groups include Bantams 11 and under, Midgets 14 years and under and Juveniles 17 years and under.

Former Employer Establishes Trust Fund For Blinded Soldier

Toronto, Feb. 1.—(CP)— When Pte. Jimmy Robertson, blinded in action, returns home his spirit he will have enough money to secure a Seeing-eye dog. Thanks to a friend of the corner store where Jimmy used to buy candy as a child.

Arthur B. Clancy, proprietor of an Eau York store, has established a trust fund for Jimmy with money collected by a local paper, on his counter for that purpose. He and other county residents plan to raise $2,000 so that the junior golfer will be able to receive training at Seeing-eye, in the handling of a Seeing-eye dog.

SNAP
MAKES BLACK hands WHITE

YOU OUGHT TO KNOW...
There are over 2,000,000 men in the Indian Army today—Indians are serving in every branch of the services.

That the continued purchase of Victory Bonds and War Savings Certificates is evidence of your faith in Victory and the future of Canada.
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Horse Sense Bridge

By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

LESSON NO. 597

A bridge monstrosity is not always your partner in a bridge game. It could be the kind of a hand you are holding. Like this partial freak:

♠ A K Q 6
♥ A K 3
♦ 2
♣ A K 10 9 3

A hand like that could increase the blood pressure of a cold-blooded fish. Anybody who would not get excited at a hand like that probably has an isolated brain.

It is too good for an opening bid of one. That might show, among other things, as few as five tricks. This hand containing nearly twice that many.

For an opening bid of three in a minor suit, it is too good in other strengths and not good enough in the minor suit. That would show a solid seven card suit with nothing outside.

For an opening of four in a major or five in a minor, it has much too splitty strength and not enough length. That would show a long suit and not a sure trick outside.

For an opening of three in a major or four in a minor, it is plenty good in general strength, but not enough length. That would show a nearly solid seven card suit or longer with a sure outside trick.

It is an opening of two in a suit for anybody's money. That says "Partner, I have a whopper of a hand with at least nine tricks. Let's not stop bidding until we reach at least game."

It goes on to say: "You may not have a thing, partner. Things may go wrong. But if I fail to make a game of some kind with this hand of mine, I hope to kiss a pig."

Open with two clubs. Why clubs instead of spades? Always with two different length suits, first bid the longer. Strength has not a thing to do with it.

Pop out with two clubs and see what happens.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sports Writer)

New York, Feb. 2 — (AP) — The Southern Association's proposal to end the minor leagues should have a hand in naming the new baseball commissioner probably won't have any effect, but it does show which way the wind is blowing . . . when they come to rewrite the major-minor agreement this year, one change that may be demanded by the minors is that the commissioner should have the deciding vote in all cases where the majors and minors disagree . . . As it is, when the major leagues say "No" to a proposition, that ends it . . . but it's a certainty nothing can be done in that line until there's a commissioner to vote and one minor league executive adds: "We certainly wouldn't object to anybody the majors might select now and if they don't like their selection there will be so many "favorite son" candidates that they will have a hard time picking anybody."

Queste, unquoste—

An unnamed member of the betting fraternity, as quoted by Joe Val of the N. Y. World Telegram:—"Some guys never learn. Just name 'em and I've got an opinion. And I don't care what the 'fix'. Let's keep gambling honest."

LEAGUE LEADERS

By The Canadian Press
Standings—Based on four games won, 26, lost 5, tied 3, points 55.
Points—Ezah, Montreal, 15 goals, 41 assists, 56 points.
Goals—Richard, Montreal, 27.
Assists—Ezah, Montreal, 41.
Penalties—Egan, Boston, 56 minutes.
Shutouts—McCool, Toronto, 4.

CURLING NEWS

Toronto, Feb. 2 — (CP) — Rinks from Toronto, Toronto Victoria, Guelph, Hamilton Thistle and Thornbury curling clubs scored victories last night in the second playoff round of the Governor-General's Trophy play at Oshawa, Kitchener, Hamilton and Toronto.

In Oshawa Tankard play winners in the last night's curling were Brampton, Oshawa and Toronto Granite Curling Club rinks. Semi-finals in the Governor-General's play will be held this morning at the Toronto Granite Club, while winners in the Tankard play are on Victoria Club ice.

Detroit, Feb. 2 — (AP)—George Murray's rink from Galt, Ont., captured the championship last night in the Western Ontario Colts Association bonspiel at Detroit Curling Club by defeating the G. E. Hudson rink of Chatham, Ont., 11-6 in the finals.

The champions moved into 2-1 lead after playing the first end and never were threatened thereafter.

In the semi-finals the Murray ring eliminated G. C. Brisco of Chatham, 10-7 and Hudson ousted R. Bruce Cummings, Chatham rink, 15-7.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Montreal	26	5	3	55
Boston	23	13	1	47
Toronto	17	14	2	36
Detroit	13	17	3	29
New York	7	19	7	21
Chicago	6	25	2	14

Thursday: Chicago 1; Montreal 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Eastern Division

Buffalo	31	18	7
Hershey	23	17	7
Providence	16	30	5

Western Division

Indianapolis	20	13	11
Cleveland	20	19	9
Pittsburgh	17	19	6
St. Louis	7	24	5

Thursday; Indianapolis 1, Buffalo 0.

Man Inter-Services St. Winnipeg H.M.C.S. Chippawa 5, Winnipeg R.C.A.F. 3.

Thunder Bay Jr. Port Arthur Flyers 10, Port Arthur West Ends 4.

Toronto Jr. Juvenile
Goderich 5, Seaforth 1.
Toronto Intermediate
Central Airmen 15, London Navy 9.

Exhibition
Ottawa All-Stars 9, Boston 1.
Northern Alberta Inter-Services
Red Deer 19, Wetaskiwin 5.

Basketball

Scores in the Y.M.C.A. ladies basketball league were kept at reasonably high figure Thursday night as the Blue Flashes beat the Black Shirts 21 to 12 while the Red Devils were winning 26 to 18 over the White Streaks.

Mary Lee was the principal marksman of the night with 10 points each for the Red Devils. Marion Salisbury chalked up seven for the Blue Flashes while Janet Gilbert and Helen Garrow picked up six each.

The lineups:

Blue Flashes—Garrow 6, J. Lecore, Thompson 2, Diamond, A. Gilbert 6, Demosley 2, Salisbury 7 and Lecore.

Blackshirts: Stoliker 6, Burkholder 4, Bishop 1, Belmont 2, Oliphant 2, Dobbs and Delong.

Red Devils: A. Lepard 16, Bush 4, Hovbothani, Ronsky 6, Tomaso, Wright and Allin.

White Streaks: Bennett 4, Allison, 6, Chapelle 4, Costhup, Asselstine 2, W. Lepore 2, Liddle and Griffiths.

Referee: Ed Shortt.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Philadelphia: Dorsey (127), 136, Philadelphia, outpointed Dave Sycamore (130), Philadelphia (8); Billy Jones, 174, Philadelphia, outpointed Billy Pappas, 175, Reading, (8).

Camden, N.J.: Lee Jones, 138, Philadelphia, outpointed Joe Peralta, 134, Tampa, Fla. (8); Phil Bloom, 146, Newark, T.K.O.'d George Holden, 153, Philadelphia (2).

Miami: Manny Gomez, 146, Tampa, T.K.O.'d Lou Greenberg, 158, Newark (4).

Pittsburgh: Al Gomtz, 134, Chicago, knocked out Billy Bates, 133, Pittsburgh (3).

LAST NIGHT'S STARS

By The Canadian Press
Maurice Richard, Montreal and Bill Mosienko, Chicago, who provided the only goals of the game as Canadiens tied Black Hawks2-1.

PLEAS TO SCRIBES

New Orleans, Feb. 2 (AP)—President Walter C. Smith of the United States National Collegiate Athletic Association issued an invitation today to sports writers to assist the N.C.A.A. in checking gambling on college athletic events.

The plea came after five Brooklyn basketball players admitted accepting money to "fix" a scheduled game with Akron, College.

"Few newspapers have ever quoted gamblers' odds on college sports, but it will be make this plea to those that do that this practice be discontinued in the interest of sports," Dr. Smith said.

Would Fine Voters For Not Exercising Their Franchise

Sudbury, Feb. 1 — (CP) — Mayor W. S. Beaton of Sudbury has suggested that municipal voters who fail to exercise their franchise should be fined $5 unless they can produce satisfactory evidence they are unable to vote because of illness or some other valid reason.

"The old idea of candidates furnishing automobiles and spending a lot of money to get people out to vote should also be frowned," he said in a service (Rotary) Club address. "It is a lot of hooey to expect a man who can conscientiously give public service at a financial loss to spend money to get people to vote."

Candidates should be limited by law to one campaign address and the publication of their platforms once in their local newspaper, the mayor said.

Prairie Chicken Has Run of Town

Wood Lake, Neb., Feb. 2. (AP)—Wood Lake's fraternal order of chickens, known affectionately as Old Biddies, today for formal proclamation became a privileged character, privileged even to start runs in ladies' stockings.

Mayor James L. Hanna issued the proclamation in defense of the wedding bird after two ladies protested Old Pete had run them. Their good hose by pecking at their legs on separate occasions.

"The town will not be responsible for any damage to ladies' hose", declared Mayor Hanna.

Pete, ignorant of the scarcity of ladies' stockings, attributed his beak on the hose because the ladies paid no attention to his overtures to the bird's supporters. They claim Pete's principal purpose in coming to town is to make friends.

Mayor Hanna said he also is instructing police to arrest anyone annoying Pete.

Mayors Have Their Joke

Toronto Feb. 2. (CP)—Mayor W. S. Beaton, of Sudbury, who recently spurned the "big neighbor advances" of Toronto yesterday sent the following telegram to Mayor Robert H. Saunders: "Dear Bob, please arrange hotel accommodation for me in Toronto with feather bed".

The wire sent by Mayor Saunders to Mayor Beaton in reply read: "Dear Bill, feather bed arranged in Royal York. Please ignore hoseshe calls I have spotlighted in mattress".

BIG SEVEN

(By The Canadian Press)

Montreal's two top scorers, Elmer Lach and Maurice Richard, ran hot collected 3 points each as Chicago Black Hawks battled Canadiens to a 2-2 draw. That team-mate The Blake, brig scorer last night outpointed Joel Price, third place with Bill Cowley of Boston. Other scoring leaders were as follows:

Leaders	G	A	Pts.
Lach, Canadiens	23	41	64
Richard, Canadiens	27	18	45
Blake, Canadiens	20	23	43
Cowley, Boston	19	21	40
Howe, Detroit	19	21	40
Bruneteau, Detroit	20	18	38
Demarco, New York	16	22	38
Gavin, Detroit	12	24	36

CAPITALS ON TOP

Indianapolis Capitals took a one-game lead in the American Hockey League last night by whitewashing Buffalo Bisons 1-0. Capitals will be out to increase their margin to-night when they visit the Flyers at St. Louis.

Johnny Sorrell scored the lone goal early in the third period on a pass from Cliff Purpur. Both sides exhibited a tight defence throughout the fray as the referees in goalie Connie Dion's first shutout of the season.

ORDERS VOTE IN KINGSTON PLANT

Toronto, Feb. 1. (CP)—The Ontario Labor Relations Board ordered a vote to be taken in the Kingston plant of the Aluminum Company of Canada to determine the wishes of the employees in an application for certification as Collective Bargaining Agency.

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DANCE
OLD and MODERN
TONIGHT
Belleville YACHT CLUB
Admission 35c

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SWING SESSION
Jump to Your Favorite Platters with
TOMMY DORSEY — DUKE ELLINGTON — HARRY JAMES and all the rest
ONLY TEEN-AGERS FROM 13 TO 19 YEARS ALLOWED.
PERSONALLY SUPERVISED KAYE MARTIN, Master of Ceremonies.
ADMISSION 25c

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HOME IN INDIANA
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WALTER BRENNAN - McCALLISTER
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ALSO: COLOR CARTOON, "TIGER WOMAN"
ON THE SAME PROGRAM
Extra Added Attraction
SWING to the SADDLE
with
CAPITOL
MATINEE SATURDAY 2.15
SAT. EVE. FIRST SHOW at 6.30 P.M.
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AT THE McCARTHY — Sherlock Holmes (Basil Rathbone) and his friend Doctor Watson (Nigel Bruce) in "The Pearl of Death," with Evelyn Ankers, starring next at the McCarthy Theatre. Second feature is "Three Little Sisters," with Mary Lee, Ruth Terry and Cheryl Walker.

AT THE BELLE
"Arsenic and Old Lace"

The poisonous pranks of two sweet little old ladies are hilariously recounted in Warner Bros.' lethal farce, "Arsenic and Old Lace" starting Cary Grant coming this weekend to the Belle Theatre.

With a brilliant supporting cast including Raymond Massey, Jack Carson, Priscilla Lane and Peter Lorre, the film is based on the stage success of the same name by Joseph Kesselring, which ran for more than four years on Broadway under the production aegis of Howard Lindsay and Russel Crouse.

"Arsenic and Old Lace" is concerned with two Brooklyn Borgias, whose consuming passion is to murder their lonely male boarders. This they accomplish with the unwitting aid of an equally daft nephew, who thinks he's "Teddy" Roosevelt. The result is a second, and criminally insane nephew (wanted by the police) who has a penchant for burying his victims in the cellar, grim things matters to a head. Nevertheless, it all works out beautifully in the end.

Produced and directed by Frank Capra, the screen play was written by Julius J. and Philip G. Epstein.

Baby Halts Marine Although Men Fall

Somewhere in the Pacific, Feb. 2 (CP)—When Lauranne R. McCloy of Indianapolis and his buddy started into a Japanese shelter they saw a woman with a crying infant in her arms, they were attacked by an enemy soldier. Mrs. Cann's companion was cut on the hand with a saber.

After the Americans ran from the shelter, McCann was about to hurl a grenade when the baby cried again "I can't do it", he said in an interpreter was summoned. Two Japanese soldiers, two women and the baby were persuaded to become prisoners rather than be killed.

Read

Read—The snow plows are kept busy trying to keep the roads passable.

Mrs. D. H. Coffey spent a couple of days this week at Lonsdale with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coffey.

Mr. Bill Durkin spent Monday in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Parrel and baby, of Belleville spent Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jas. F. Brennan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lally of Corbyrville, spent Sunday at Mr. Mike Hanley's.

Five-Member Board To Redraw Borders

London, Feb. 2 (CP)—Prospects of a "feminist" controversy are seen in the government's announcement that a five-member board will redraw the map of England, and Wales after studying the various divisions of local government.

The White paper on municipal reform doesn't specifically say the five members are to be men but the wording of the paper seems to be: "Well, after all, these problems have been studied mostly by men. Let's ask the women".

The possibility of a woman being among the "big five" doesn't seem to have been considered.

But the plan will be discussed in parliament next month and women members are expected to raise the matter. It will be argued, presumably that women have nowadays are playing a much greater part in local government than when the reforms of a number of British towns— and that women live in local surroundings much more than men.

Another contention will be that the redrawing of municipal boundaries may ultimately influence things which concern every woman, such as bus and tram services, electricity and water supplies, housing, schools, hospitals and other public services.

THE BACH FAMILY

Four branches of the Bach family were known at the beginning of the 18th Century. They remained important in music for 200 years.

Little Benny's Note Book

I forgot to get my hair cut again today, thinking, G rootten pop's going to get mad as the goose he's been wearing me to go to the barber's every day for about 5 days. Oh well, if I get hair in it, it will stay on it and brush it eater good, maybe he might not notice it. Anyway if he's thinking of something else, I thought.

After supper I brushed my hair as flat as it would go, and sliked my flat, but it was no sooner brought it.

Which I hope to do.

HALIFAX NEWS VENDOR HERE TO $50,000

Halifax, Feb. 1. (CP) —Charles Burns, 56-year-old newsboy who has been selling papers on Barrington street here for eight years, yesterday felt heir to $50,000. The fortune came down on him when they recently left England. Burns had not seen his uncle for 36 years.

The legacy cannot be brought out of England until after the war, but that doesn't bother Burns. He says he is going to stay on the job selling newspapers until he drops in the stew and pop started to eat with a absent minded expression, saying, Mairie is really wonderful.

In what way? ma said, and pop said, She provides the tender lamb with a fine fleecy jacket of wool, but think enough to be a suitable protection against our moderately severe winters.

Sometimes as if he was getting on the subject of hair, and ma said, Now William, this isn't lamb stew at all, it's veal stew, your favorite dish. What's a use of my going out of my way to get you what you like if you're going to confuse it with something else or different? she said.

But Jerry it's veal and I appricate it, thank you my dear, pop said. But to get back to nature, she grew the polar bear a heavy fur coat that defies the latest blasts, and the scientists reminded that even man, if thrust back to his primitive state, could develop an almost unbelievably bushy, bristly and wearin weather, he said, and me, ma said, Now William dons anybody in the world except yourself know what you're talking about?

I hope so, pop said.

Meaning what? I said, Well G. pop, tomorrow's Saturday, so I'll get some extra day to remember it.

Which I hope to do.

THEATRE FEATURE TIMES

B-E-L-L-E
The Great Moment
Joel McCrea
Betty Field
Ellen Drew
Plus Latest Issue
Richard Travis
4.40 — 7.20 — 9.55

McCARTHY
CAN'T HELP SINGING
Deanna Durbin
Robert Paige
Akim Tamiroff
1.55 — 7.35 — 9.40

CAPITOL
SWING TO THE SADDLE
Jane Frazee
Milton Berle
HOME IN INDIANA
5.40

Tomorrow!
Three Gorgeous Gals . . .
Talkin' for them Doin' G.I.'s . . . in a rhythm-romantic riot!
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MARY LEE • RUTH TERRY • CHERYL WALKER
"Three Little Sisters"
WILLIAM TERRY • JACKIE MORAN
CHARLES ARNT • FRANK JENKS
WILLIAM SHIRLEY
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Last Day
"THE GREAT MOMENT"
"THE LAST RIDE"
STARTING TOMORROW
THE F-U-N-N-I-E-S-T SHOW OF THE LAST 5 YEARS
BECOMES F-U-N-N-I-E-S-T PICTURE OF THE NEXT 5!
It's the Nuts — AND SO IS EVERYONE IN IT!
CARY GRANT in FRANK CAPRA'S ARSENIC AND OLD LACE
RAYMOND MASSEY • JACK CARSON
PETER LORRE Directed by FRANK CAPRA
PRISCILLA LANE • JOHN EVERETT HORTON • JAMES GLEASON
JOSEPHINE HULL • JEAN ADAIR • JOHN ALEXANDER
WARNER BROS. PICTURE
ON THE SAME PROGRAM
CANADIAN NEWSREEL
MERRIE MELODY CARTOON
SAT. MAT.: Chapter No. 7 "THE BLACK ARROW"
CONTINUOUS SAT. from 2.
BELLE
A FAMOUS PLAYERS THEATRE

BASIL RATHBONE • NIGEL BRUCE
Crack the MYSTERY of...
The PEARL of DEATH
"20 Men die For Gems"
"A Girl takes her life"
"The CREEPER"
"Murder for Hire"
EVELYN ANKERS • DENNIS HOEY • MILES MANDER • MARY GORDON
Based on "The Six Napoleons" by SIR ARTHUR CONAN DOYLE
Screen Play by Bertram Millhauser • A UNIVERSAL PICTURE • Produced and Directed by ROY WILLIAM NEILL
McCARTHY
AN ODEON THEATRE
TODAY—In Technicolor
DEANNA DURBIN
in "CAN'T HELP SINGING"

"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 1

She looked hastily at her dress to make sure it was all right. What could it be? What had she done wrong. Her heart sank and she walked slowly toward the director. "Livia," he said sternly, "Do you think—Now Livia was a faint smile in his eyes. "Dye think you could say a couple of lines for me?" The re-action from fear to happiness was too much for Livia. Her lips trembled, and it was several seconds before she was able to speak.

"I'll try," she said, smiling gratefully.

Livia was aware of a new hospitality in the eyes of the extras on the set. A line to speak would mean $25 for the day's work. But more than that, the line might open the door—to anything.

"What's the got that we haven't?" one sharp-voiced extra demanded. Livia flashed and looked swiftly to where Johnny Elnfeld stood. But he had not heard. He was planning the set-up for the next sequence.

"What do I have to say?" Livia timidly asked the assistant director.

"I don't know," he said and walked away.

No one seemed to care that she, Livia Clarkson, was actually going to speak a line in a picture. Ah, there was the script girl. She would ask her.

Trixy, a gnome-like female, who had been in pictures since the silent days, was going over the script with the star of the picture—Alice Delavera.

"Be with you in a minute," Trixy smiled at Livia.

"No hurry," said Livia hastily. She moved a few feet away, and was soon joined by the script girl, who whispered:

"Sorry to keep you waiting—but you know what Alice is." Livia's extra in Hollywood could have answered that question. They all knew Alice Delavera was notorious for her tantrums. She seemed to delight in making those who worked with her as miserable as possible. But she was even a good actress when she wanted to be charming, as she was now on the set. And she was powerful—her husband was the biggest producer in Hollywood. She had been a star for ten years now and her reputation was still strong enough to sell her mediocre acting. Most people made a point of being polite to her —or of keeping out of her way.

"This is what you have to do," said Trixy. Livia had to bump into Alice while they were dancing with the respective partners, then she had to register surprise at the sight of the partner, whose role was that of a heartbreaker, Trixy said. "Who, hello, there, you didn't know you were."—Then stop short at the bewildered look.

It seemed simple enough as Trixy explained it. Livia repeated the words aloud, so that they were graven forever on her memory.

"All right, Clarkson," yelled the assistant director.

Livia was nervous and bumped into Miss Delaware with too much force.

"What are you trying to do—knock me out?" Alice screamed.

Johnny Elnfeld grinned and said, "It's not a football tackle, Livia."

Everyone laughed, and Livia felt foolish. "All right, this is a take," said Elnfeld. "Camera—action."

But now Livia was too gentle.

"No, no. Bump into Miss Delaware," Elnfeld called, when the expression of exaggerated, patient suffering on the star's face told Livia want to slap it.

The next "take" was no good. Miss Delaware's fault this time. She blew up—and blamed it on Livia.

"That fool of a girl has upset me," she said. "What is this—a school of acting?" Again that hateful laugh from some of the extras greeted Livia. She had slept very little the preceding night. She lost her head, and her temper. There was a gasp of astonishment when she said slowly, but clearly to Elnfeld:

"I'm not the fool of a girl, she-is and she blames me for forgetting my lines. Why doesn't she blame her own stupidity?"

"Say, that's it," said Elnfeld. There were smiles on all the faces —excepting Alice's. She looked around swiftly and decided to have hysterics. She flung herself to the floor, kicked her heels, and screamed. Livia was among those who rushed to help her to her feet, but Alice threw off her arm and yelled: "Get away from me, you—you—" She could think of nothing else to say, in her fury.

It was half an hour before Miss Delaware was able to continue acting once more. And it was no surprise to Livia when Elnfeld told her: "Better forget about the line, Livia." But she was still too angry to take it philosophically. Two months she'd worked hard, hoping for just such a chance, and now it was to be taken from her because of a temperamental clothes-prop who couldn't remember her lines.

"Im leaving," she said She's right, I am a fool, thinking I could get anywhere as an extra. We haven't a chance. We're just as many pieces of scenery, and we're fools to think we'll ever be anything else. Well, here's where this fool's getting wise to this racket. I'm going home."

She was half-way to the exit before Elnfeld caught up with her.

"Don't be silly, Livia," said Elnfeld, "There's nothing more to be said." He had a picture to make, and if one foolish girl chose to destroy her livelihood—that was her business. But he was angry with Miss Delaware and not all her "Darling, Johnny" this and that, could banish the incident from his mind.

Livia went to her room at Hollywood House. She telephoned Bruce —and was answered by the Chinese boy. "Mr. Clarkson not home."

"Ah, Mister Clarkson," said the boy, "I have message for you. Mister Nolan go on location. He get call very late."

"Where?" asked Livia.

"He no know, tell he away few days. He say he call you tonight."

Livia hung up the receiver. What should she do? Should she go home, admit she had failed in Hollywood? Should she stick it? Look after a home? Have peace?

"Oh, but I'd never be satisfied with that," she must be a place for her in Hollywood. She had become known, way, that was all. How did stars become stars? Once they, too, were nobodies. Most of them credited the first break to luck—or they came from the stage with a big reputation.

She stared moodily. The sky suddenly darkened and rain fell. Why, of course! Why hadn't she thought of that before.

With feverish haste she packed the clothes she had hung in the closet only the day before, paid Mrs. Sayles for the week.

"But, Livia, you going?" stuttered Mrs. Sayles. This was most unexpected. Livia's coms to Hollywood House one day and leave the next. Livia wrote her new address on a piece of paper.

She was still laughing at the recollection of the extras' astonishment when she arrived at her new home.

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They were filming a new adventure story, heavily interspersed with the love of the leading man for the daughter of his commanding officer. The skin of the said leading man was too precious to risk in a plane or in the water. Besides, he could not swim, nor pilot a plane—except on the process stage back in Hollywood.

Livia smiled three times over the lake at Arrowhead. He waved to the group around the camera in the boat, braced himself, and tilted the plane steeply. The plane brushed the water. But there was an hand-to-at this stunt, and after a momentary shock, opened the aperture-didn't dive underneath the plane from which he was hung to safety. He reappeared in the water swimming with long, say strokes despite the handicap he wore. He was picked up by a waiting boat.

"That was fine," the director declared.

"I was hoping you'd want another take" Bruce grinned. He received $250 for each "take" of this stunt. For the first time in life, he wanted to make money.

"Oh, Lord," Bruce groaned as the boat neared land, "Do you see what I see?"

Livia tried to tell you," the director said apologetically. "But I thought you'd dined with her. She begged so hard to come here today. And you know what she's like when she wants anything."

"Yeah, I know," said Bruce. His mouth closed in a thin line. The Countess Sashi was famous in Hollywood for her parties and her relentless seeking out males who pleased her fancy. She was Austrian and still good-looking—in a harsh, aggressive manner. The title had disappeared from her life several years ago.

A stuntman was something new for the Countess. She usually collected young leading men in pictures. To date, Bruce had evaded the pressing invitations to her parties. Now he was caught.

Her slightly - protruding eyes widened with admiration as she stripped forward on ridiculously high heels to greet him.

"You were wonderful," she said. "Yes," replied Bruce.

"Is he told you?" Countess Sashi indicated the director, who suddenly found something to attend to, "I'm staying up here for a few days."

"If you'll pardon me, I have to change my clothes," said Bruce politely.

They went back to the hotel, the Countess insisting on a ride in her car with Bruce.

"She left her card this afternoon," Mrs. Sayles told him.

"What? . . . Where did she go?"

"To the Beverly Hotel."

To the Countess, who was hovering outside the telephone booth Bruce said, "I must get back to Hollywood tonight."

"I have my car outside—we can make it in two hours," she told him happily. Bruce considered a moment. Then accepted her offer.

What had happened? How could Livia get on a salary of an extra. She lived at the luxurious Beverly Hotel?

The drive seemed interminable. But the Countess left him at the hotel. When Bruce asked for Miss Clarkson at the desk, the clerk shook his head.

"There is no one of that name here."

"There is no one here by that name," repeated the desk clerk.

"Where is the manager?" Countess Sashi demanded.

Presently the manager, all bows and smiles, arrived and looked through the book of reservations.

"There must be some mistake." he told the Countess. "The lady is not registered here."

"A drink for us both good. Let's go to the bar," the Countess said to Bruce. He followed her slowly. "We'll have that table in the corner," she said loudly to the waiter, and turned to Bruce for approval.

He was staring in mingled bewilderment and relief at a girl with auburn hair in a clinging white evening gown, and a white ermine coat over her shoulders. With her was a tall, dark-haired man in full evening dress. Bruce walked past Livia, followed closely by the Countess.

"Livia, did you weren't registered here," Bruce said, Livia started, then recovered quickly and looked at Bruce. His eyes wandered from her ermine coat, ten back to her elegant eyes, then to the escort, who seemed uncomfortable and was eyeing the table.

"Won't you introduce me to your friend," said the Countess . . . Livia hesitated. The man with Livia looked up at that and murmured:

"Sashi."

The Countess ignored him and said, "Livia, Livia?"

"What will you have to drink?" Livia said haughtily.

"I have to talk to Livia alone. Will you both excuse us?" Bruce said.

"You must settle whatever you have to in nine minutes," said the Countess with forced gaiety, "Another lady will entertain me." And she glared at the uncomfortable escort. Livia followed Bruce into the lounge. They sat down silently in two arm-chairs with a low cocktail table between. Bruce rolled a cigarette with slow deliberation, and waited for her to speak.

"I've changed my name," Livia said. "I'm now Veronica Weston." She paused waiting for his comment. But he said nothing. "I'm going to crash into the movies from the top," she continued with a note of defiance. She told him of the humiliating scene with Alice Delavera. "I'm through working as an extra."

"Where dye get the coat?" he asked. Livia stroked the ermine and giggled.

"It's all part of my plan. I hired it; it cost me $25 for the evening."

"I suppose you also hired that—" Bruce nodded his head in the direction of the bar. She laughed.

"Yes—he was a little cheaper—$10 for the evening. Oh, don't be so shocked, Ily all very respectable. The agent bureau fires them if they get fresh or anything."

Bruce's jaw set in a hard line. But Livia refused to be offended.

"It's my money, isn't it?"

"I'm leave?"

"Yes. What was the use of $1,500 in the bank? It all vanishing the back riches, I can get it to get a good movie job."

"Maybe."

"Yes," she continued lightly, "for as long as my money holds out I'm wasting absolutely girl from the East. I have a car—they gave me a very generous salary, and it's a beauty. I have a good wardrobe—furs I can hire, and the jewels—she shook the jewelled bracelets on her wrist—they're phoney."

"You're crazy," said Bruce.

"What have I got to lose?"

"Fifteen hundred dollars. Where are you going with that gimlet?"

"To the Spotlight restaurant first. That's where the big-shots go, isn't it?"

"I wouldn't know. My salary as a stunt-man—"

"Please don't be like that, Bruce. He stood up. "Antonia must be getting impatient."

The Countess brightened again at sight of Bruce.

"Well, Miss Clarkson—or is it Miss Weston? Well, anyway, good-bye — and good-bye Antonia," said the Countess. "Come and see me some time—both of you." She brushed Bruce's cheek.

"You're having dinner with me?" she pleaded with him.

"If you don't mind, I'd like to be excused." Bruce shuddered at the fate of her escort when the Countess home," he told the chauffeur and grinned at the picture of indignation.

He walked toward Hollywood. Livia—she needed spanking. But she was able to take care of herself, and anyway, it was not it to him?

He stopped at a drive-in and ordered a chocolate malted. She decided to drive back immediately to the Beverwood. There was nothing for him to do in town anyway.

He went to his apartment and changed his clothes. It meant going out of his way, but he drove to the Spotlight restaurant.

There was the usual photographers and the usual crowd at the door. He searched the green and silver restaurant. Livia was dancing with Antonia. She seemed happy enough and was laughing at something Antonia was whispering. But Livia looked across the floor.

He ordered some beer and drank it slowly, watching professional motion picture people come in. An agent, paused and said to Bruce:

"I thought you liked only the great open spaces?"

(To be continued)

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—6.55 p.m.—
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7 p.m.—
WBEN—NBC—Supper Club.
WGR-B—Ed. Wynn Show.
—7.15 p.m.—
CFRB—Musical Review.
WBEN, WGN-N—Vanderook news.
—7.30 p.m.—
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WKBW-C—Friday on Broadway.
—8 p.m.—
CFRB-CBS—Aldrich Family.
CBL—"Romantic Pictures".
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WGR-Blue—Stars of the Future.
—8.30 p.m.—
CFRB-CBS—The Thin Man.
WBEN-NBC—Radio Tavern.
—8.50 p.m.—
CBL-NBC—Waltz Time.
WGR-Blue—Famous Jury Trials.
WKBW-C—It Pays to be Ignorant.
—8.30 p.m.—
CFRB-CBS—That Brewster Boy.
WGR-Blue—Famous Jury Trials.
WBEN-NBC—People Are Funny.
—8.55 p.m.—
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CBL—National News.
CJBC—Rhythm.
WJR, WKBW—Moore and Durante.
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WGR-Blue—Doctor Talks It Over.
—9.15 p.m.—
CHL—The People Next Door.
—9.30 p.m.—
WJR, WKBW-C—Stage Canteen.
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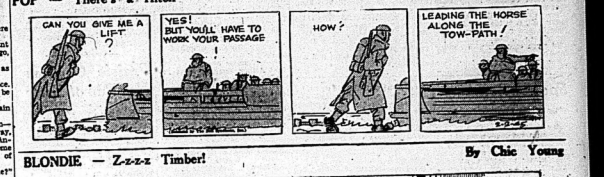
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STIRLING

Spinsters' Ball Held by I.O.D.E. Colorful Event

Stirling — The dance hall at Stirling Community Hall was a mint of Spring with the colorful decorations of flowers and pastel streamers on Tuesday evening when the Hon. J. R. Cooke, daughter of the I.O.D.E. held its annual Spinsters' ball. The hall was filled to capacity and presented a very attractive picture with the ladies in their colorful evening gowns. Several from the various branches of the armed forces in their uniforms or navy, khaki and air force blue were in town for the occasion. The Acre orchestra, of Belleville, provided music for the event. The honorary regent, Mrs. Earl Lorry, the regent, Miss Rosa Spry and members of the executive and their committees are to be congratulated on the success of one of the outon the success of one of the out-standing events of the season in this district. A lunch was served during intermission by the ladies of the I.O.D.E. assisted by their husbands members of the executive are very pleased with the financial success of the dance.

St. John's W.A. Meeting.

The January meeting of the W.A. of St. John's Anglican Church was held on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Melvin Tanner, Mill Street, with a good attendance.

The President, Mrs. H. Rodgers, opened the meeting with prayers followed by choristers in connection with the World Day of Prayer on Feb. 16th. Minutes of the annual meeting were read and approved. Plans in connection with a tea sale were discussed.

Mrs. H. Cooke gave a reading "A New Year Garden" and the study book synopsis was given by the recorder, Rev. C. Brazill. Arrangements for the February meeting were made to be held at the home of Mrs. A. S. McConnell. Rev. C. C. Brazill took charge of the closing prayers.

Mission Circle.

The Mission Circle of St. Paul's United Church for the January meeting was held at the home of Mrs. David Gray. Following the business portion of the meeting, the circle were invited to hold the next meeting at the home of Miss Shirley Francis in the form of a Valentine Box Social for the members and their friends. Miss M. Armstrong read the scripture lesson and Mrs. R. B. Murray led in prayer. Miss Margaret Gray gave the study lesson and Mrs. Harold West rendered a solo.

Laurel Rebekah Lodge Card Party.

The Laurel Rebekah Lodge held a very successful card party in the lodge rooms on Tuesday evening of last week. Mrs. Walter Ellard captured first prize for the ladies and Mr. Mahon was successful in winning the first prize for the men. Mrs. R. Finkle won the door prize. This event was well attended and all did justice to the lunch served at the close.

Pte. Leonard Waterfall has returned to Camp Borden after spending a furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waterfall and James at his home here. Mrs. Waterfall and James recently returned after an extended holiday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson, London, Ont.

Mr. E. Finkle and Betty spent Sunday last guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKenzie, Belleville.

AB. Jimmy Armstrong of the R.C.N.V.R., is spending leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Armstrong.

Mrs. A. F. Strickland has returned home, after spending a few days with Mrs R. Johnston of Tuncrib.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright and Jimmy spent the weekend with the former's daughter, Miss Catharine Wright, who is attending the University of Toronto.

Mrs. G. Armstrong of Glen Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ashby of Wooler spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Armstrong, Front Street.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. Geo. Pollard in the loss of his father, the late Geo. Pollard of Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jeffrey and Miss Helen Jeffrey and friend of Belleville attended the I.O.D.E. Spinsters' Ball on Tuesday evening last.

Miss Harriett Smythe of Rochester, N.Y., U.S.A. is the guest of Mrs. Gerald Baker.

Among out-of-town guests at the I.O.D.E. Spinsters' Ball were Mrs M. Bateman and Mrs. Don Bateman of Trenton also Miss Irene and Laurason Ketcheson of Corbyville.

Deepest sympathy is felt by Stirling and district for the family of the late Angus Farrell who passed away in the General Hospital, Belleville early Wednesday morning. The late Mr. Farrell was a member of St. James the Minor Church, Stirling, and was highly esteemed by all.

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Bruce Thompson of the R.C.A.F., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson.

Miss Ilene Carlton, Ruff's Island, spent the weekend with Hesels Mrs. Brownlee and Mrs. Russell spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Asa Brickman, Port Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollett have returned to Toronto, after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. G. Bisdee.

Miss Josephine Pierson, Belleville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. Bisdee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Roote, Jack and Jerry, Belleville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Roote.

The Ladies' Aid met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. May Belnap with a good attendance. Mrs. Roote opened the meeting and Mrs. Chas. Redden read the minutes of last meeting. Mrs. G. Bisdee won the Aid prize and Mrs. C. Moy the door prize. A lunch was served by Mrs. Belnap, assisted by Mrs. Bisdee.

The Weekly Euchre was held by Mr. and Mrs. Bon Gerow on Thursday evening. The prize winners were Ladies, Mrs. J. Yome, men's, Mr. J. Yome, consolation, Joy Belnap, Mr. J. Impey, lone hand prize Mr. B. Gerow. The winners at the seven up table were Mrs. M. Belnap, Mrs. Brownlee, low score, Mrs. Roote, Mrs. Russell, traveling prize, Mrs. Russell.

Donna Cassin,' Roblin's Mills, spent the weekend with Elinor Williams.

Mrs. L. Pollitt has returned home from Belleville hospital much improved in health.

Albury

Albury — Mr. and Mrs. George Young and Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Weese, Mrs. Lovett, Mrs. R.C. Peck, Mr. Albert Bowerman, Mr. and Mrs. Rexford Peck and family attended the birthday surprise party for Mr. Roy Williamson on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Weese spent a few days in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weese, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Weese and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Weese, spent the tea hour on Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Weese, Other relatives and friends gathered in the evening to honor Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weese on their 40th wedding anniversary. They were presented with gifts. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Owing to the blocked roads the Red Cross Euchre and Institute was postponed until next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rexford Peck and Linda spent a few days in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. R. Walken.

Mrs. Don Dempsey spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Laird Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lloyd, Hillier, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Onderdonk.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Peck received word from their son, Wayne informing them of his arrival in Belgium.

Says Himmler Errorists Or Sends to Rear 1 Marshal, 6 Generals, 240 Officers

London, Feb. 2.—The Morocco Radio quoted Ankara reports today that Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler had arrested or sent to the rear another marshal, six generals and 240 other officers from the eastern front because they were suspected of sympathizing with the Free German Committee in Moscow.

Total Casualties Of 3 Services 84,808 to Dec. 31

Ottawa, Feb. 2. (CP)—Canadian Army casualties were 3,611 in December, slightly lower than in November although since the invasion of northwestern Europe, the November total per day by the three services showed Tuesday's total was 3,629. There were 84,808.

Accompanying the army figures were December, November and December totals for the Navy and Air Force. The former had 25 in the Navy suffered 35 casualties in Oct., 105 in November and 25 in December while the Air Force suffered 430, 403, and 366, respectively.

A breakdown of the figures showed that since June 6—six days before D-Day—there were 47,955 casualties in the seven-month period the Army had 42,793 casualties, the Air Force 4,049 and the Navy 1,113.

The heavy casualty period for the Army was during the Italian campaign of crushing and clearing the Sicilian bridgehead closed. From then until the end of the year they were reported as participating mostly in patrol activity along the Netherlands-German frontier.

The war totals for the three services for the period ended Dec. 31, 1944, were Army 61,253; Air Force 18,191; Navy 2,055.

In the six years of the First Great War, Canadian casualties totalled 190,092, including those on the Canady totals for the war period ended Dec. 31:—

	Killed	Wounded	Missing & Prisoners	Total
Navy ..	1,468	260	347	2,055
Army ..	17,601	40,356	3,716	61,253
Air Force	11,048	1,955	1,201	18,191
Totals ..	30,976	41540	12,264	84,808

868,982 Germans Taken Prisoner In West Since D-Day

Paris, Feb. 2. (CP)—Following are latest figures on prisoners taken by the seven Allied armies in the battle on the western front. Since D-Day last June 6, 868,982 have been captured, and of these 64,886 were taken since Field Marshal Von Rundstedt opened his ill-fated Ardennes counter-blow last Dec. 16.

	D-Day	Since Dec. 16
1st Canadian ..	11811	401
British 2nd	100,825	2,113
U.S. 1st	241,217	27,176
U.S. 3rd	152,811	22,632
U.S. 9th	61,706	1,378
U.S. 7th	85,586	5,101
French 1st	77,742	5,003
French Air Force		
Army Group	20,000	
Totals	868,982	64,886

Forecasts New Era in Flying

London, Feb. 2. (CP)—Lord Brabazon, pioneer aviator and former minister of aircraft production who headed a British committee on civil aviation design, has advised aircraft model-makers and experimenters to study the boomerang.

Opening a model aircraft exhibition of model aircraft, he said the weapon of the Australian aborigine combines the principles of the autogiro and the helicopter.

"You with your models may discover new great contributions to flight", he said in an address. "In addition, to use an Irishism, is still in the air.

"We don't know whether we are going to pull the airplane in the future or push it, or whether it will fly tail first or be all wing or all fuselage. The introduction of the jet has changed everything in flying.

"In the past we have been a race of sailors. Now we have got to be a race of airmen. It is in the use and direction of air policy that the future peace of the world lies. Britain's youth must take a part in this policy and shape it for good".

6th Sidney

6th Sidney — Owing to the condition of the roads there was no preaching service in Scott's church on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Sanborn of Frankford were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lott.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rose attended the funeral of their friend Mrs. Mary Rikley in Belleville on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Clayton Murray is spending some time in Thomasburg with her daughter Mrs. James Arnold who is ill.

A number of ladies from this line attended the special farmers' meeting in Stirling on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Frost entertained a number of friends at a dinner on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Rosa Dafoe spent Tuesday afternoon in Belleville and attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Rikley.

POSSIBILITY OF INVASION BY JAPS REMOVED

Chungking, Feb. 2 (Reuters) — Allied military pressure in Burma had removed any possibility of a Japanese invasion of China from the southwest, Dr. Wang Shih-Chien, Chinese Minister of Information, stated yesterday. "Now this back door has been secured we have to fight virtually on only one front," he added.

Subic Bay Naval Base Found Abandoned by the Japanese

Southwest Pacific Advance Command, Feb. 1. (AP)—Subic Bay and its naval repair base of Olongapo, dotted with pillboxes but inexplicably abandoned by the Japanese, were back in American hands today while to the east advanced American elements rolled clear of a dangerous bottleneck passage only 28 road miles from Manila.

Well-fortified Grande Island, guarding the entrance to Subic Bay, was abandoned to the enemy and taken Tuesday by 5th Army troops. Units of the United States 38th Fleet then steamed into Subic Bay.

Other elements of the 5th Army moved by road along the inner rim of Subic Bay to capture the Olongapo naval base.

Today's Allied communique said that "we are now using its excellent anchorage, and development of this base is already underway".

Sixth Army troops 35 miles to the east meanwhile reached the town of Calumpit, 26 road miles from Manila, in a drive down an easily-defensible strength of highway flanked by huge swamplands.

Failure of the Japanese to put up a fight in this natural defence zone was a puzzling as the enemy's lack of opposition in Subic Bay.

The Americans crossed the Pampanga river just north of Calumpit to swing free of the swampy corridor and slim down the eight Manila - Lingayen highway. They were approaching Malolos, 22 road miles from Manila.

18-Mile Advance.

One column of 6th Army troops, which has been moving southward from Lingayen, turned westward on the Bataan peninsula road from San Fernando and captured Lubao. This represented a 10-mile advance to within 25 road miles of a junction with the 8th Army pressing eastward from the Zambales coast beachhead, established without bloodshed Monday.

Such a junction will seal off the Bataan peninsula, which forms the eastern edge of Manila Bay. Japanese troops have fled into Bataan from San Fernando and other sectors to the northeast, and some are reported to have sought refuge there by boat from Manila.

The communique announced severing of the Cagayan valley road, only highway of the central Luzon plains left in Japanese control, with the capture of Munoz and Talavera.

Motor torpedo boats, with fighter plane support, destroyed 81 Japanese coastal vessels in raids on Batangas Bay, south of Manila, and Lingayen Bay to the north.

Heavy bombers pounded the Cavite naval base with 97 tons of bombs which caused heavy explosions and fires.

Escorted heavy bombers swept across the China Sea to bomb Hsilo airdrome on southwestern Formosa. Twenty aircraft were destroyed and five were knocked off in assembly and repair shops.

Four freighters were sunk and two others set afire in a raid by patrol bombers on the Sakishima Islands just east of Formosa.

Nearly 200,000 Veterans Already Re-established

Ottawa, Feb. 2. (CP)—The speech from the throne prorouging the fifth session of the 19th Parliament Wednesday said that nearly 200,000 veterans of this war already have been re-established in civil life and this was interpreted by veterans officials here as meaning that this number had actually returned to civilian occupations.

Officials said the re-establishment program which includes the payment of gratuities, re-establishment credits, college and vocational tuition, land settlement advances and other benefits is only beginning.

The mustering out gratuity on which credits and other benefits are based have been paid to nearly 85,-000 discharged veterans. Applications have been received from about 98,000.

The job-finding agency, however, has put thousands or more to work each month. For instance, in November jobs were found for 11,200 veterans, bringing the number placed to 184,777. December placements were not available, but they were understood to bring the total to nearly 200,000.

DESIGNED TO RELIEVE TAX ON REAL ESTATE

Toronto, Feb. 2. (CP)—A memorandum to the Toronto Board of Education from Premier Drew, who also is Ontario Minister of Education, says the increases in provincial grants for educational purposes are designed to relieve heavy taxation on real estate. This objective could be attained only by co-operation of trustees and they should avoid any increases in school maintenance costs, the premier wrote. The Memorandum was made public yesterday.

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Big Battle Rages Four Miles East Of Frankfurt

Germans Claim Russ Lose Bridgehead Across Oder

London, Feb. 3 — (CP)—Marshal Gregory Zhukov's vanguards were reported by the Germans today to have won and then lost a bridgehead across the Oder in the Kustrin area 46 miles east of Berlin as the Nazi capital was battered again by Allied bomber fleets.

Hard counter-blows yesterday wiped out a spearhead of the 1st White Russian Army which had won a lodgement on the west bank of the river line, according to a broadcast by Col. Ernst Von Hammer, German military commentator.

"The western bank of the Oder has now been mopped up of Russian forces," he said. "East of Kustrin, all Russian thrusts were repelled."

Berlin Bombed

Explosives from hundreds of fighter-escorted bombers from British crashed at noon upon the Reich capital, already teeming with refugees frightened by the sound of Russian guns as the Germans said a big battle was raging in the area four miles east of Frankfurt, itself 36 miles from Berlin.

From German divisions entered the line.

While Zhukov sought to exploit 15-mile gains achieved yesterday through the Kustrin-Frankfurt defence arc, units of his right wing pushed to within 11½ miles of the shipbuilding city of Stettin, Berlin's last port and capital's gateway to the Moscow radio announced.

Moscow dispatches said Soviet artillerymen and tanks were pumping shells into Kustrin, 40 miles northeast of Berlin, and into Frankfurt from the last major barriers before Berlin.

15-Mile Gain.

South of Kustrin other Russian vanguards plunged forward from captured Drossen, 14 miles northeast of Frankfurt and 15 miles due east of Berlin. The fall of this communications hub represented the greatest gain yesterday for the Russians with a 15-mile plunge punched through the heavily reinforced German lines.

The German radio, which has consistently placed the Russian advance several miles ahead of gains announced by the Soviet High Command, said the Red Army was also attacking Kustrin and had reached the Oder River at new points only 26 miles from the heart of the Frankfurt area.

The midnight Russian war bulletin said the Nazis were consistently replenishing their shattered forces east and northeast of Frankfurt, but despite a stubborn resistance were losing one position after another under blows.

May Outflank Kustrin.

Another column of Zhukov's men, rolling northwest around Drossen, reached the Oder river at a point

Settlement Likely In Greek Crisis

Athens, Feb. 3 (AP)—The conciliatory spirit that marked the opening conference between Greek Government Representatives and Left-ing EAM-ELAS delegates spurred hopes today that a settlement would be reached in a dispute that flared into civil war after Greece's liberation.

The first meeting of the two factions last night ended without a clash. The government announced that taking up arms with the ELAS had been removed from the list of punishable offences, but individual acts contrary to rules of war or the criminal code will be punished.

30 miles from Berlin, the Germans announced. This advance threatened to outflank Kustrin and take it from the rear.

Moscow's communique did not mention that fighting was in progress at Kustrin itself but announced the capture of Alt Lietzmirtin, only 10 miles east of the city.

Eight miles south of Alt Lietzmirtin Drossen, in the capture of which the Russians by-passed Zielenzig, is another German position protecting Frankfurt.

In another 15-mile advance the Russians seized Maiow, 24 miles east of Frankfurt and four miles south west of Zielenzig, driving ahead at the lower end of the curving-35-mile bulge pointed at Berlin and Stettin.

The 1st White Russian Army captured more than 150 places yesterday despite the stiffest German resistance and an unseasonal thaw which hampered mechanized movement.

In the drive on Stettin Soviet forces captured Soldin, 20 miles northeast of Kustrin, placing the Russians officially within 36 miles of the big Baltic port. Berlin said they were even closer.

NO INFORMATION ON RELEASE OF ANY BRITISH PRISONERS

London, Feb. 3 —(Reuters)—The War Office announced it had so far received no information of the release of any British Commonwealth prisoners of war by the advancing Red army. An announcement will be made as soon as reliable information is available, the War Office said.

It is known, however, that the German authorities have been moving to the west, prisoners of war and civilians from camps which are likely to be overrun.

BOMBERS RAIDING BERLIN STRETCH NEARLY 300 MILES

Night Raids Against Wiesbaden, Karlsruhe And Synthetic Plant At Wanne-Eicket

London, Feb. 3 (CP)—The German radio said waves of Allied heavy bombers were hitting Berlin today.

The enemy report came after great formations of heavy bombers, shielded by hundreds of fighting planes, swept into Germany from over northern Holland.

These planes went out after more than 1,200 R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. bombers attacked rail and other German communications last night, and the target of the heaviest stream is still flying eastward, making it seem, on the first speculations, here are already leaving Berlin heading northwest," the Berlin broadcast said.

The daylight blow at the German capital appeared to be one of the heaviest assaults in months. The Berlin radio said the procession of bombers stretched more than 300 miles from Berlin to the Dutch frontier.

United States air force headquarters announced that the accorted heavy bombers of the United States 8th air force were over Germany as the Nazi radio kept up a running account of their threatening.

The night raids, from which four R.C.A.F. bombers are missing, were against Wiesbaden, 30 miles southwest of Frankfurt-on-the-Main; Karlsruhe, just across the northern entrance of the Belfort synthetic oil plant at Wanne-Eickel, in the Dortmund region, R.C.A.F. Mosquitos also carried out intruder patrols over western Germany.

Berlin apparently was given a night's rest after the heaviest R.A.F. Mosquito raids of the war Thursday night when heavy blows were struck at two other Rhine transportation centres, Ludwigshafen and Mainz, by British and Canadian planes.

R.C.A.F. Lancasters bombed Wiesbaden last night while Canadian Halifax and Lancaster of the Pathfinder Force, which led the attack, said he saw two huge explosions lighting the clouds over the oil plant while PO. J. K. Smith of Toronto, a Lion squadron member, said "in my opinion we have what we were after."

Yesterday's afternoon-flying R.A.F. Mosquitos struck at six railroad yards shot up and bombed 13 trains, 540 railway

Weather or Terrain Should Not Delay West Front Attack Says Moscow

London, Feb. 3. (CP)—The German press and radio sounded the theme of "Remember 1916" in appeals today to Germans to stand firm against battlefront setbacks and any Allied calls for surrender.

Promising nothing, German newspapers declare, "all enemy aims cannot be achieved if the German people have the firm will not to capitulate".

Dispatches from neutral capitals and Allied broadcasts said anti-Hitler posters and slogans were appearing on walls in large German cities. Moscow radio said "there is no doubt of panic-mongering in many sections of Germany".

Berlin was reported in various dispatches as teeming with refugees with armed guards trying to shuttle them hurriedly from the capital. One Swedish newspaper's Berlin dispatch said the city was threatened with famine due to overcrowded loss of huge food stocks to the Russians in the east. Another, it added, is "hourly becoming more and more the capital of the Reich".

A Moscow broadcast called for an Allied attack on the western front, the ground is right for a blow at the Germans in the west that would crush the tattered banks of Hitlerism once and for all, now, and the time is also ripe", the Soviet commentator declared.

GUESSING DATE OF THE ELECTION IS NEW PASTIME

Parliament Will Not be Dissolved Until By-Election Monday

Ottawa, Feb. 3 — (CP)—Parliament Hill and many parts of rural Canada, too, is taken these days with a new pastime — guessing the date of the forthcoming Federal election.

There is one thing definite about this election-guessing business and that is that the voting cannot come before April 9.

This is because parliament will not be dissolved until after Prime Minister Mackenzie King has made public his unalterable for the government to carry on any length of time without a parliament by setting the date of the election far in advance of the dissolution or expiry of the present parliament.

In previous years election day has seldom been more than two months (always between the end of the life of parliament, as if Mr. King follows precedent a two-month interval from April 17, when the five-year parliamentary term automatically ends, would make the election date about mid-June.

Can Be Held Later.

As the election laws require that voting be on a Monday the earliest range of dates would appear to be April 9 to June 25.

Legally, the election could be held long after June 25, providing another session of the present parliament was held between now and April 17, when the five-year parliament dies. Under the law, parliament must meet at least once a year and, thus, if there has not been one before April 17 the new parliament need be elected at any time for a session in 1946.

While there are plenty of guesses in political circles here as to the election date, few will venture to speculate on the outcome of the Grey North voting Monday, when Defence Minister McNaughton will be opposed by Garfield Case, Progressive Conservative, and Air Vice-Marshal Earl Godfrey, C.C.F.

That by-election campaign might have much to do in deciding the date of the general election. Some political quarters have even suggested that if Gen. McNaughton wins there will be a short session of parliament within a few weeks, to be followed by the main session later. But if Mr. McNaughton is defeated, however, they look for almost immediate dissolution and an election 60 days hence.

Says S. S. Guards Try to Drive Refugees Out of German Capital

London, Feb. 3 (Reuters) — A Swedish eyewitness was quoted by Moscow radio today as saying that refugees were being driven from one Berlin station to another by armed S. S. guards who were trying to clear them out of the capital.

"Berlin is in a terrible state," he said, "this is the beginning of the end."

RUSSIAN WOMEN HELD ON HUGE NAZI SLAVE FARM

Employers Came to Farm to Pick Out Strongest for Heaviest Work

Moscow, Feb. 3 —(AP)— A distinguished Russian correspondent in the Nazi said today Soviet troops who captured a huge slave farm in Silesia had discovered a huge slave farm where Russian women are held in readiness for Nazi employers.

A large group of the women, crying with laughter over their liberation, told the Red army soldiers the operation of the farm had fled with other Germans to a safer area, Ossip Gusarow said.

Several thousand girls and women were placed in a large barbed wire enclosure as landowners, factory managers and representatives of Nazi officials came to select their slave workers, Red Star related.

"They felt our muscles, arms and legs, and also looked at our teeth," "trying to find out who was the strongest and who was able to do most work. They made us open our mouths and looked at our teeth like horse dealers."

The liberated women added the Nazis sent girls to work as maids in factories and farms, and the strongest were sent to domestic service in homes.

British Troops Making Progress On Burma Front

Kandy, Ceylon, Feb. 3 —(CP)— British troops driving on Mandalay have completed occupation of Ywathitgyi, on the north bank of the Irrawaddy river 15 miles west of the city.

South East Asia Command announced today that stubborn Japanese resistance was overcome and after the village had been penetrated in strength yesterday.

Ywathitgyi is the north west coast a furious fight is still raging for Meiktila, supply base of Akyab, as the Japanese attempt to keep open the land route to their Burma army.

A communique said 1,000 Japanese have been killed in the fighting there and 20 guns have been captured.

West African troops have occupied Minbya, strategic town on the Taungup road in that sector.

ENGINE STRIKES FENCE JURY BRINGS IN VERDICT

Brantford, Feb. 3 —(CP)— Occupants of a car caught a locomotive in the path of a plunging locomotive at Paris, as was related on Thursday night Arthur Smith, Negro, figures he's lucky to be alive.

Smith was in the car that was plunged down the nearby embankment after striking the side of the car, board fence immediately behind the car.

The startled Smith hurried outside, saw the approaching locomotive, one of them in flames and realized what a close call he'd had.

FORTUNES AWAIT FREED MEN

Washington, Feb. 3 — (AP) — There's a fortune awaiting the soldiers freed from Japanese captivity in Luzon. For nearly three years the 500-odd officers and men have been in the enemy confines and their pay has mounted. War Department finance officers said it represents a staggering sum as yet untotalled but up into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

THRUST SEVERS JAPANESE FORCES ON LUZON ISLAND

Strong Indications Philippine Capital Will Be Liberated Without Major Fight

Southwest Pacific Advance Command, Feb. 3 — (AP) — Two powerful United States armored columns have driven through Siegfried Line defences southeast of Aachen toppled two more towns today within 32 miles of Bonn on the Rhine, but German resistance stiffened along a 40-mile sector of the besieged west wall.

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Crack West Wall And Drive 10 Miles Inside Germany

Fighting Heaviest Since Nazis' Break-Thru in Dec.

By JAMES M. LONG
(AP Staff Writer)

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Military Occupation of Germany Gaining Support in U.S. Circles

Washington, Feb. 3—(AP)— In United States government circles there is a feeling of keeping of a unified military occupation forces in Germany for many years after gaining unconditional surrender.

Information trickling Washington about conditions inside Germany is generally interpreted by officials as holding little hope of a unified enemy surrender.

Instead, the belief is that German military forces will disintegrate under pressure of converging Anglo-American armies, leaving the country in a state of chaos.

Since this prospect, if realized, likewise means the complete disintegration of Germany politically, there is increasing discussion here of the possibility that the defeated people may have to be ruled by an Allied commission for an indefinitely prolonged period.

There is some belief that discussion of a plan along this line may have taken place at the conference of Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Marshal Stalin at their meeting. The possibility is not entirely dis-

counted that Marshal Stalin may suggest eventually building up the German economy of London, have agreed on broad policies and most of the machinery expected to be required for the initial stages of military occupation of the Reich. These policies include a three-way split of the country for occupation by the Russians and the Western Allies and the creation of a military control commission in Berlin to provide for joint uniform administration and uniform justice for the entire country.

Tank-Supported Infantry Attacks Along Senio River

Rome, Feb. 3 (Reuters) — The British 8th Army today made tank-supported dawn attacks across German strongholds along the Senio River in the Po Valley.

One of these attacks, launched south of the Faenza-Bologna highway, the area where the 1st Canadian Corps has been operating with the 8th Army, rolled some German prisoners and cut up a number of other Germans stubbornly defending these posts.

Eighty army patrols along the Senio River frontline were finding the river banks cunningly wired mined.

The Germans everywhere along Field Marshal Albert Von Kesselring's winter line were nervously alert to Allied scouting patrols searching out their positions along both the 5th and 8th Army fronts.

On the 5th army front, patrols clambering about the misty Appenine ridges were making contact with Germans in the mountains, according to an official report by Field Marshal Alexander. Inflicted casualties on the Germans at several points.

A headquarters statement said a number of Silesian Poles from the German 146th division has deserted to the Fifth Army lines.

Despite unfavorable flying weather, medium bombers of the Mediterranean Allied tactical air force attacked rail bridges on the Brenner route into Germany and bridges in north Italy.

LINDSAY HUNTERS GET WOLF

Lindsay, Feb. 3 (CP)—Bill Ford and Fred Bisette, young Lindsay hunters, will collect $40 in bounties for a wolf they shot near here—but they have lost their dog. The hunters wounded a second wolf which ran off. The dog set out in hot pursuit and has not been seen since.

Coming Events

TONIGHT — DON'T FORGET Kinsmen weekly Bingo, Conservative Club Rooms, 8.15. $100 in cash prizes. 2 free Coverall games, 25 prize. Weekly hockey ticket draw. Proceeds Kinsmen Service Work. J30e5lf

BELLEVILLE LECTURE AND Concert Club Rooms, Front. Synod of Toronto University: Illustrated topic, "Conservation", at 8.15 p.m., in Collegiate Library, Monday, Feb. 5. J27-F5

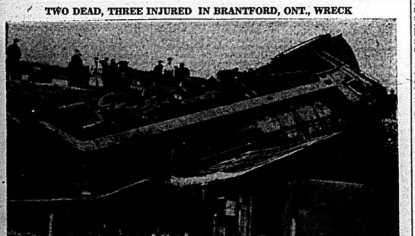
THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETing of the Hastings Christian Association will be held in the board room of the hospital Tuesday, Feb. 6 at 3 p.m.

BRITISH ISRAEL FEDERATION— Rev. R. W. W. Bromwich will speak at Oddfellows' Hall on Tuesday, Wednesday, Feb. 6 and 7 at 8 p.m. Subjects: "Prophet—The Master Key of the Bible" and "Promised—One Thousand Years of Peace". F1-5-8

A SUNDAY MORNING CLINIC for Blood Donors will be held on Sunday, February 4, from 9 to 11.30 a.m. Plasma is more urgently required than ever. All donors and those whose appointments are overdue will be welcomed. Refreshments will be obtainable from fat during Sunday breakfast. We respectfully solicit a large turnout from Belleville this Sunday.

IN VICTORIA AVE. BAPTIST Church, Thursday, February 8th, 8 p.m., outstanding Missionary address by the Rev. Eric Quint, B.A., of India. All are invited. c.

BELLEVILLE MUNICIPAL BAND will present concert in St. Andrew's Auditorium, Sunday, February 11th, 8.15 p.m. Silver collection. F2,5,8



TWO DEAD, THREE INJURED IN BRANTFORD, ONT., WRECK

The engineer and fireman of one engine were killed and the crew of the second engine was injured when two locomotives, on a Canadian National passenger train from Toronto, Ont., jumped the track at Brantford, Ont., and rolled down a 20-foot embankment. Picture shows locomotive rolled over below bank.

City and District News

LARGE OWL SHOT

There is at least one barred owl who won't give a hoot how long the winter lasts.

For when Thomas Ogden, Colville, drew a bead on the big bird with his trusty .22 rifle, the plumed raider of chicken houses had all hoots and no flies.

The owl weighed approximately five pounds and had a wingspread of five feet. Its plumage was barred, making it difficult to say how would have no difficulty in making off with a full grown chicken.

Mr. Ogden preserved the bird sitting on top of his barn.

WRONG FINANCIAL STATEMENT PUBLISHED

By mistake the 1948 financial statement of the Albert Cheese Factory was published in the Ontario Intelligencer as being report for the past year. It has been brought to the attention of the management of the secretary of the factory that the annual meeting for Albert Cheese Factory has not yet been held.

ROTARY TO ASSIST TEEN-AGE WORK

The Belleville Rotary Club will add to its many social services part sponsorship of the new Teen Age Movement that is now getting under way in the city. A committee consisting of Rotarians Jack Deacon, Jack Marshall, Stan Ragsdale and Alex. Nathan, has been appointed by President Ed. Ketcheson to decide what form of activity in the movement the club will assume.

At a recent club assembly meeting held at the American Hotel Rotarian Pinkston a concert committee was named to arrange entertainment for a concert to be held in the near future.

REPORT CORRECTED

As result of a typographical error in the amount of the donation given by Mr. Mack Robertson to the Y.M.C.A. Red Door, the amount indicated in Friday's issue of the Ontario Intelligencer as the amount of the donation wag noted as $5, but should have read $25.

ACCIDENT CAUSED BY ICE STORM

Considerable damage resulted to automobiles driven by James Dick of Bloomfield, and a Belleville taxi cab driven by F. Fitzgerald on Highway No. 14 ten miles east of Belleville when the ice storm struck the latter's vehicle skidded on the ice highway to be in collision with Mr. Dick's car. Fitzgerald was operating another taxi and as he broke over a knoll retarded the speed of his car upon approaching another automobile proceeding in the same direction. Fitzgerald told provincial constable Ernest Driscoll, who investigated, his car skidded and collided with a northbound car driven by Dick.

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City Salvage Collection—
Monday, February 5th
SALVAGE will be collected from the ENTIRE WEST SIDE OF THE CITY, including Front and Streets west of the River, north to the City Limits and south to the Bay of Quinte.
PLEASE HAVE SALVAGE READY AT THE CURB FOR SPEEDY PICK-UP AT 9.00 A.M.
AND YOUR MAGAZINES TIED IN SEPARATE PARCELS AS THEY ARE TO BE GIVEN TO THE BOYS IN THE NAVY. The Government is in urgent need of Paper, Rags and Metal. Salvage All These You Don't Need NOW.
DO NOT PUT BOTTLES, GLASS, TIN CANS, SHEET METAL OR OLD SHOES IN YOUR BAGS, AS THEY ARE OF NO VALUE.
C. B. CLAPP, Chairman of Salvage.

Fishing Trip Turned Into Big Headache

(By E. W. B.)

Bancroft, Feb. 2—Fishing through the ice is often considered a few recreation to those engaged in business whereby due to the individual but in some cases a fishing trip is terminated in a final headache as in the case Tm about to relate:

Wednesday noon, Rev. H. A. McLauchlin, the United Church minister at Bancroft, company with Mr. C. C. Ellerbeck, a local business man, set out by motor for a few hours' fishing off Mink Lake. This lake is situated in between a number of hills and is about some 35 miles northeast of Bancroft. Arriving there the Marmora Whitney made by Mr. D. K. Card, of Portwood one turn over the ice and the wife, who is hauling timber from the lake. "Jerr" and "Bert" as they are known, about three o'clock Wednesday afternoon and failed to return home at the time they started for home—with no fish, but here is where the grief commenced.

Narrow Read.

As mentioned before, this winter road, over the ice from the lake, is built up on packed snow whose tracks are narrow as the sleigh is big a car and no one need not deviate six inches either way without being precipitated into the snow to the ground and that is what happened to Rev. McLauchlin. After various efforts to put the car back on the packed track the car leaked backward a distance of some three miles, gouging their way through the snow and ice and it was a settler's home to secure a team to pull their car out.

Is Trouble Again.

After their car was hauled from the ditch and the teamster and team back to their home, the rest of the day went everything was smooth sailing from there on, but after a visit to Gooding, to and behind, if the car didn't once more get stuck in the stately snow. Night now settled in and a blizzard set in with a home becoming alarmed that their husbands had not returned. At 10 o'clock, contacted Provincial Officer B. W. Cranston and got in touch with the writer, set out shortly after ten in search of the lost fishermen.

A little after eleven the officers in company with other searching fishermen vainly attempting to place the car on the right track on the road, which was accomplished with the help of a team from a settler's home, but the next problem was how could the car be driven in the deep snow and ice, and no cut-outs along the way. He and his party were left to return to the vehicle back, but this was too great a strain on the latter's neck, so after accepting the officer's finally after accepting the officer's kindly suggestion the heavy car was left bodily right where lifting one end and then the other until after a few hours' hard work finally freeing and lifting the car was heading once more for Bancroft.

Finally Reach Home.

One feature in favor of the fourscore was that the skies cleared and the moonlight enhanced the wintry landscape and made the situation easier. So boy and boy the team reached home at three o'clock Thursday morning, tired but grateful that all were safe and finally. During the evening's episode the boys at a well equipped home at the several spectacle staged some fourteen miles from any main assistance.

Price of Eggs Slightly Easier On Local Market

Price of eggs was slightly easier on the local produce market Saturday morning with fresh eggs quoted at 75 cents the dozen or two dozen for 75 cents. Medium eggs were quoted at 70 cents and pullets at 30 cents the dozen.

The fowl offering was slim although good specimens were offered with prices ranging from 30 to 40 cents the pound. One vendor offered milk fed fowl ranging in size over seven pounds at the price being $2.60.

On the outside market supplies were limited with grade McIntosh, Spy and Delicious bringing $3.50 the bushel. One vendor offered special grade Mace at $1.50 the half-bushel hamper. Thirteen sheaves brought by cents the dozen or $1.20 the hamper for domestics.

The usual winter vegetables brought current prices while sauerkraut sold at 15 cents, dried apples at 25 cents the quarter-peck and beans at 25 cents the quart.

One vendor offered dressed beef by the quarter with hinds selling at 21 cents and fronts at 13½ cents the pound.

Obituary

MRS. RUTH I. (DANFORD) SPRY (Benarlaw)

Stirling, Feb. 3 (Special) — Mrs. Ruth Irene Spry, wife of Mr. Carl E. Spry, of Bonarlaw, died in the Belleville General Hospital on Friday after a brief illness. She was in her twenty-first year and was born in Rawdon Township, her parents being Mr. James Danford and his wife, Maud McMaster. She attended school in Brighton. Sixteen months ago she was married and besides her husband and parents she is survived by her baby son Malcolm Conversant Home, Stirling, and by two sisters, Mrs. Lorne Cole, of Brighton, and Mrs. Ivan Hall, of Consecon. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon from the United Church and leaves to mourn her passing her husband, Mrs. Danford, Peterborough, and three brothers, Elmer, Donald and Lloyd, all of Rawdon Township.

The sympathy of many friends throughout the district is extended to the husband and parents in their bereavement.

The funeral announcement is made elsewhere in this issue.

WILLIAM STODDART

(Formerly of Deseronto)

William Stoddart, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stoddart of Deseronto, died in Oshawa on Friday. The funeral will take place at Deseronto on Monday.

MRS. IDA CAROLINE FOX (Murray Township)

Consecon, Feb. 4 (Special)—The funeral of Mrs. Ida Caroline Fox, wife of Mr. Walter Fox, took place on Monday from the late home to her late residence in the first concession of Murray Township, and the service in the home and at Stockdale cemetery was conducted by the Rev. W. T. R. Deive, pastor of Wooler United Church.

The pallbearers were Messrs. J. Mc-March, A. Payette, G. Flynn, D. McDonald, E. Hagerman and L. Nancekivell.

Mrs. Fox late Mrs. Fox, who died after a lingering illness on Tuesday, Jan. 30th, was in her 58th year. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gunter, of Ameliasburgh and lived here for some years. For eighteen years she lived in Wooler and was a member of the United church there.

Surviving her are her husband, Mr. Walter Fox; one son, Louis Fox, Wooler, who has been serving with the armed forces overseas for five years; two daughters, Mrs. Cecil Radway, Trenton; one sister, Mrs. Annie Wilson, Wooler and one step-sister, Mrs. William Wylie, Wooler; nine grandchildren.

FREDERICK ALLAN WINDOVER (Formerly of Frankford)

Frankford, Feb. 3 (Special).—The funeral of Frederick Allan Windover was held at Stockdale, Trent Hills, on Sunday, Jan. 28, took place on Monday afternoon, Jan. 29, to the Frankford United Church where service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. D. B. Lackey. Many friends were present and during the service the choir sang "Abide With Me" and "Somewhere".

Interment took place at Frankford Cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. Lorne Windover, Ross Windover, Ray Turley, Ross Turley, R. D. McDonald and Charles Ashley.

Mr. Windover, who was born 53 years ago in Frankford and was a son of the late Sam Windover and his wife Melissa Garrison. All his life was spent in Frankford and he engaged in the furniture and undertaking business for 31 years. In addition he was a member of the United Church and fraternally he was a member of Maple Leaf Lodge, No. A.M., Frankford, and the I.O.O.F. Lodge at Frankford. In the community he was well esteemed and his sudden death brought much regret to many friends.

Surviving him are his wife, the former Flora Dulmage, his half brothers, S. Garrison, Sidney Township; Albert and Ernest Garrison, one half sister, Mrs. Lorne Badgley, Sidney.

Engineer Officer on Hospital Ship Says Wounded Given Every Comfort

Pistol in hand, the Gestapo officer edged himself between a young Norwegian and his wife on one of the main streets of Oslo, Norway. With a threatening gesture, he motioned the young man to go on, and his wife to remain. "You go to Berlin—the morning," he said.

The young Norwegian hesitated. His jaws set in a grim line. Then he strode quickly to the dock where a small cargo craft from a small German harbor to the south-east reaches of the North Sea. Some later, the young patriot was picked up by a British destroyer.

That is one of the stories told of Wartime occupation of Norway by Second Engineer Carl Lindemann, of the "Lady Nelson", cargo Canadian hospital ship, husband of a Belleville lady who at present is spending a brief leave with relatives in the city.

"That young man," he said, "was one of my best friends. He has not seen his wife since that fateful day in Oslo, but at present is accounting for plenty of Nazis with the British Army on the western front."

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Capt. Rawson Tells Kinsmen of His Experiences on Recent Trip Overseas

Members of the local Kinsmen might have been no D-Day.

Club were entertained by appreciation to wives and to lady friends for assistance in the club's program during the past year as they played the host at their annual Ladies' Night banquet held in the Hotel Quinte on Friday evening.

Guest speaker for the evening was Captain the Rev. Norman Rawson, Presbyterian chaplain from Hamilton, who with his characteristic touch of humor, kept his audience in convulsive spasms of laughter as he related some of his experiences overseas during a recent trip to England and of France. Climaxing his address with a sermon note he appealed to Canadians for the realization of the real privilege that today's being bought at a terrible price by the boys in the services.

Enjoyable Evening.

It was a night of complete enjoyment for guests of the Kinsmen Club attending the evening banquet and the dancing at the Club Vanity Fair Ballroom after the per party. Kinsmen President Milton Wilson was in rare form as he kept the program rolling along. The assembly enjoyed community singing to the leadership of Kin Geoff Marvell and Kin Ernie Counsell, and a solo number by the latter ended to the silvery voice of Miss Betty Wilson, who also gave her per per touch of feeling she sang "An Irish Lullaby," following with an Irish jig number. Kin Phil Huddleston acted as Miss Smith's accompanist.

Toast to the ladies was proposed by Kin. Lorne Wilson to the guests, President Rollins asked the ladies present to rise, and toasted them with applause as compensation for assistance during the past year. A pleasant evening was spent by members of Kinsmen now in the armed services.

Visits Son.

Introduced by Kin Richard Arnott, Captain Rawson humorously described hurried preparation for his trip overseas to visit his son and the fighting fronts. He with his wife, made a sightseeing tour with the National War Finance as public speakers in support of the Victory Loan campaign. Kinsmen appreciation was expressed by Norm Garbutt, when the Kinsmen artists were expressed by Ted Pollard.

Given a free hand to go where he pleased and to talk with anybody he cared, the speaker told of his sight-and-one-half hour flight across the Atlantic in a converted Lancaster; of his visit to London during the light of a flying bomb attack; of his talking with wounded in Canadian hospitals, of a flight over Calais aboard a "jitterbug" piloted by his own son and of his trip to Europe aboard a motor torpedo boat.

Describing Britain as a mass of airports from which daring pilots take off for the short trip across the sea of the earth with the nonchalance of a taxi ride around the city, the speaker intimated the worldly outlook of Britons far surpassed that of Canadians.

Rebomb Destructive.

The robomb was termed a "deadly" weapon, more destructive than would be indicated by the reports of modest Englishmen. Its blast could seriously injure within a distance of 400 yards unless precautions were to the pavement in a special crouch.

"It is my considered judgement," stated Mr. Rawson, "that the robomb launching sites in France and Belgium had been put out of operation by the Germans there and after a lengthy voyage to the Indian Coast, landed back in Europe with Engineer officer in the British engineer on the "Lady Nelson" early in 1940.

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NazisOut-Thought And Out-Fought Says Air Marshal

By NOLAND NORGAARD
(AP War Writer)

Rome, Feb. 3 — (AP) — Adolf Hitler lost the European war, Britain because he failed to build up a strategic air force and concentrated instead on "the latest type of "technological development weapon," Lt.-Gen. L. C. Baker declared here.

The Mediterranean Air Force commander carried out the first corps inspection on the third anniversary of the day he landed in British-held Sicily to begin the campaign that ended in the Reich.

The address was definitely defeated when bombers cut her oil supply to half the minimum requirements of her armies.

Gen. Baker said. In modern warfare, he said, the "air battle must be won first and was won by the Allies, has been accomplished by the Allies.

"If the Germans had our long-range bombers the landings in North Africa, Sicily, Italy, Normandy and Southern France would have been impossible, and the German armies would be in Russia or Stalingrad," Baker said.

The fact that the Nazis had no strategic air force, the commander declared, was proof that Hitler was not intelligent, but that he was out-thought.

Absorbs Out-of-Date

Virtually all German aircraft today is obsolescent, he said, but production of obsolescent planes, but even enemy jet-fighters "have not the range to accompany our attack on better fighter types such as Mustangs, Thunderbolts and Lightnings, he added. In fact, he added, the German jet-plane is inferior to the new American ones.

Germany, he said, was producing 2,000 fighter planes monthly and was ready to step up the output when British and American air might was turned loose on her aircraft plants. The bombing of the Germans had been practically soon was allied to less than 200 fighters a month. However, Gen. Baker said, subsequent bombing could restore production to 1,000 a month and that as a result "we shall undoubtedly be required from time to time to knock down rebuilt fighter factories."

HUNDREDS RABBITS DAMAGE ORCHARDS

Port Hamilton, Feb. 3 —(CP)— Rabbits, deprived of food by the deep snow, have been causing extensive damage by eating bark off young trees in fruit orchards in the Niagara district, it was reported here today. Hundreds of rabbit carcasses are stripped from trunks in some cases.

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Assail Proposals To Separate Power Seaway Phases

Albany, N.Y., Feb. 3 — (AP) — The New York state power authority, seeking to prevent a separate the power and seaway phases of the St. Lawrence project, said today development of power on the "dual purpose" basis envisaged the whole trend of river development in the United States over the past quarter of a century.

In addition, the authority stated in its report to the state legislature, the development of the power project by itself would cost $50,000,000 to $75,000,000 more than if it were constructed in conjunction with the seaway and waterway phases.

The authority has been attacked bitterly by a New York State Republican legislator, headed by Assemblyman Wilson C. Van Duzer of Cambyman Wilson C. Van Duzer of Cambyman Wilson C. Van Duzer, who charged Governor Dewey's proposal that the state develop the St. Lawrence power and seaway project in conjunction with the government of Canada and the province is "a sell-out to the Dominion if the Federal government is "unable or unwilling to proceed with the seaway has introduced a bill to abolish the authority on the ground that it was created contrary to the interests of the state.

Governor Dewey has also announced this week they would seek to amend the Republican platform to delete all reference to navigation.

Asserting recent proposals to separate the navigation "overlook the fact that the St. Lawrence, from the standpoint of navigation, is one of the great navigable rivers of the world and that the major part of the project is "practical obstacles which stand in the way of ... the St. Lawrence seaway and power project solely for power purposes."

Claxton to Broadcast On VD-Prevention Day

Ottawa, Feb. 3 — Hon. Brooke Claxton, minister of national health and welfare, will join in a broadcast to be sponsored by the national "Social Hygiene Day" by addressing a broadcast from Montreal on Sunday.

Mr. Claxton will be heard over the national broadcasting facilities of the C.B.C., at 4.30 p.m., E.D.T., on that day.

The minister of health and welfare is honorary president of the Health League of Canada which is sponsoring the broadcast on the "day" throughout the Dominion in co-operation with health departments.

Object of "Social Hygiene Day", or "Venereal Disease Prevention Day" as it also is known, is to emphasize to Canadians the seriousness of the problem of venereal disease in Canada today and to also will mark the opening of another intensive league campaign against the continued spread of syphilis and gonorrhea, which are among the most serious physical and moral fibres of the nation.

BIRTH

ONDERDONK — At the Belleville General Hospital on Friday, Feb. 2, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Keith Onderdonk, R.C.A.F. Trenton, a son, John Jay, a brother for Marilyn.

DEATHS

CRAWFORD — At the Belleville General Hospital on Friday, Feb. 6, 1948, Ernest Crawford, of Crawford, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert C. Crawford, 3 Bridge Street.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street. Burial at Sioco Monday morning.

SPRY—At Belleville General Hospital, on Friday, February 6th, 1948, Irene Danford, beloved wife of Carl E. Spry, Bonarlaw, in her 21st. year.

The funeral will be held from her late residence, 13th Concession Hawkin Township, on Monday, February 9th, at 2.15 p.m. for cremation at Springbrook Until Interment at 3.00 p.m. Interment Mount Nebo cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

RIDLEY—The family of the late Mrs. Mary K. Ridley wish to extend their sincere thanks and appreciation to their many relatives, friends and neighbors for acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes extended to them during the recent loss of a dear mother. Especially to Dr. Ida A. Dita, Dr. J. J. Robertson and the Victorian Order of Nurses.

THANK YOU!

ON MARCH 5th., MR. WALTER WALLBRIDGE will be taking over the business now conducted by me and I would like to take this opportunity to thank my customers for their kind patronage of many years standing.

Mr. Wallbridge would appreciate a continuance of your business and I feel confident will endeavor to give the best in service and merchandise.

Mrs. W. B. Davidson
35 MURNEY STREET

McNaughton Says NRMA Discipline "Satisfactory"

Owen Sound, Feb. 2 —(CP)—Defence Minister McNaughton said here that the discipline at the ports in this country and on the ships during the recent movement of home defence troops overseas had been "satisfactory and the men had made a very good impression on arrival."

Gen. McNaughton was commenting on a statement made in Montreal, Oct., when Progressive Conservative Leader John Bracken, addressing a political rally, said home defence troops had thrown their rifles and ammunition overboard while on the High Seas.

A prepared statement issued on behalf of Gen. McNaughton said:

"In answer Gen. McNaughton states that the accusations which have been made by John Bracken have been investigated by the officers of the Department of National Defence.

"The authorities at the ports of embarkation report that there had been rumors that some crates had been thrown his rifle and kit overboard. It had been stated that the man's kit was recovered and the rifle lost.

"There was no confirmation that this incident in an individual case had happened. Inquiries have been made to London."

"Gen. McNaughton stated further that he now had full reports on the embarkation, the voyage and the arrival in the United Kingdom of the troopships which had carried the N.R.M.A. men as well as others.

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"Gen. McNaughton observed that if Mr. Bracken had in fact made the statement attributed to him, it was another example of careless utterances which have come to be associated with his name. He had made serious charges. He would be given every opportunity to substantiate what he had said."

U.S. Order Armies To Conserve Natural Or Mixed Gas

Washington, Feb. 2 —(AP)— Amusement places in the 20 eastern and central states were ordered abruptly to turn off all gas jets at 4 p.m., E.D.T., yesterday if they use natural or mixed gas.

The ban, which does not apply to purely artificial gas, will remain in effect until 4 p.m. Monday or "further order," the War Production Board said.

Theatres, restaurants, picture houses, night clubs, bars and other entertainment places in Washington, D.C., were covered by the edict as well as those in the affected parts of the 10 states. The test of application of the ban is whether natural or mixed gas is used.

The order was accompanied by an appeal to householders, schools and institutions to conserve gas.

Precipitation of prolonged cold weather, the emergency action affects Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Kentucky and parts of Maryland and Virginia, and Washington, D.C.

STALINGRAD GREATLY RESTORED SINCE WRECK

Moscow, Feb. 2 — (AP) — The second anniversary of the last shot fired in Stalingrad found that war-ravaged industrial city on the Volga river greatly restored today. The Stalin tractor plant — in which some of the bloodiest fighting of the war took place — turned out the 500th tractor since the restoration the Moscow press said.





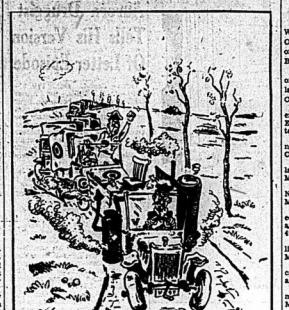
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You'll surely be glad you insulated when you find out how much warmer and more comfortable your home becomes! Heat won't escape; cold air won't get in! A good brand of insulation, like our Johns-Manville, hoards your heat—actually pays for itself in fuel savings! Stop in this week and find out more about this year 'round comfort-insurance!

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"Get That Charcoal Burning Weapon Outta Here!" — Cartoon by Ricky, R.C.A.F.

Canadians Share In Air Attacks On Hun Targets

By JOHN DAUPHINEE
(CP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 2 — (CP Cable) — Aircraft from the Canadian Bomber group based in Britain shared last night in two almost simultaneous attacks on railway yards needed desperately by the enemy to transfer troops from the western front to the defence of Berlin.

Halifaxes marshalling yards at Mainz while Lancasters attacked industrial communications centres in Ludwigshafen, farther along the Rhine. Planes from the Bluenose and Tiger squadrons took part in the latter operation.

A third raid Thursday night — an all-R.A.F. show — struck similar targets at Saigen. More than 1,000 British and Canadian planes were in action between dusk and dawn.

All Canadian craft returned to base safely.

R.A.F. bombers hit Berlin twice during the night, wreaking further havoc on that refugee-clogged, panic-stricken capital.

Ludwigshafen and Mainz were hammered yesterday by 700 United States navy bombers, covered by 300 fighter-bombers. One bomber and one escort plane were missing.

R.A.F. Lancasters late Thursday hit a rail junction at Munchen Gladbach west of the Rhine and 16 miles northeast of British 2nd Army Roer River positions.

The Ludwigshafen attack was made through extremely heavy clouds and enemy flak was negligible. Fires as the bombed area were visible 75 miles.

R.C.A.F. Mosquitos of the R.A.F. fighter command on intruder patrol destroyed one JU188 last night.

PEACETIME TRAINING URGED

New York, Feb. 2 — (CP)—Only a "perpetual army of occupation" would be able to prevent Germany and Japan from rearming eventually, says Harry L. Hopkins in the March American magazine, in urging compulsory military training for the United States after the war. He urged Congress to provide one year of compulsory military training in peacetime for every 18-year-old boy.

Russians Uncover Slaughter Factory At Oswiecim

By DUNCAN HOOPER
(Reuters Staff Writer)

Moscow, Feb. 2 —(Reuters)— Special investigators are uncovering the secrets of the captured German factory at Oswiecim in southwestern Poland.

Every day while the camp was in full operation, between five and eight locked trains arrived at the camp with intended victims from the occupied regions of Russia, Poland, France, Yugoslavia and Czechoslovakia, the trains always left the camp empty.

Prisoners were sorted on arrival into two sections—those fit to work before going to the slaughter chambers, and the aged, extremely young, and invalids, who were destroyed immediately.

When the Germans started the camp in 1941 they killed "primitively"—shooting through the back of the head and carrying the bodies to mass graves.

Then they introduced mechanized slaughter with gas chambers, and electrically charged conveyor belts which simultaneously killed the victims and took their bodies to the furnaces, and special devices for killing young children.

Thousands of prisoners were liberated by the Red army's advance. They are described as "people so exhausted that they shake like shadows in the wind."

RESCUED FROM JAPANESE PRISON CAMP OF RANGERS

Southwest Pacific Advance Command, Feb. 2. (CP)—First Lieut. Robert Gordon Burke, listed army records as from Quyon, Que., was among the United States army prisoners of war rescued from a Japanese prison camp by American Rangers.

Mrs. Harriett Burke of Quyon, Que., is the wife of Lieut. Burke and is his next of kin. Born in Chicago the American officer is 42 and lived for a time in Noranda and Timmins, Ont. He was employed in Manila at the time of Pearl Harbor and enlisted with the United States Army.

London, (CP)—Vice-Admiral Sir Campbell Tait, 58, has been appointed governor of Southern Rhodesia, succeeding Hon Sir Evelyn Baring.

3rd Thurlow

3rd, Thurlow — Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doxtator and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Beer and Glen were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Beer of Belleville, on Saturday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stevenson, of Madoc, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mayhew.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Easton on Thursday evening for tea.

Rev. J. R. Trumpour was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Casey on Sunday.

Miss Joy Osland spent a few days last week at the home of her uncle, Mr. Clayton Paul, Wallbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wright, of Napanee, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clarke on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pound and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker, 4th. Line, on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jeffs, of Stirling, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Brownson called on Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clarke and family on Sunday afternoon.

Bethany Y.P.U. held its weekly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker on Friday evening with an attendance of 17.

Minto

Minto—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hagerman and Joey of Miss Alta Hanna visited at Mr. Delbert Sine's on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brough and Glenn spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brough.

Mrs. Chas. Morgan spent last week visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. Verne Shaw, Ridge Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Bedell spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Belcour and children visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Irvine, Holloway.

Mrs. Thos. Clements and Ralph spent a few days visiting relatives at Odessa.

The annual Congregational meeting of Minto Church was held on Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones with a good attendance. All reports showed a successful year; all the officers were re-elected for the coming year.

Thomasburg

Thomasburg — Able Seaman Claude Thompson, of the RCNVR, returned on Thursday last to Cornwallis after spending a two weeks' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thompson.

Mrs. John Clark has returned to the home of her sister, Miss Phoebe Kerr, after spending several months with her son, Mr. John Clark and his wife and family at Winnipeg.

Mr. Clifford Adams and Mr. Clare Carter spent several days last week in Toronto.

Miss Irene Hall, of Plainfield, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morton (nee Sharon Bateman) of Toronto, on January 17th., a son.

Marmora

Marmora—Group 3 of the Ladies' Guild sponsored a euchre party in the Parish Hall on Wednesday evening. Five tables were in play. Mrs. Chas. Leonard and Mrs. Donald McInroy were prize winners.

The A.Y.P.A. held a business meeting on Tuesday evening in the Parish Hall to make arrangements for a skating party on Madoc rink on Wednesday evening. They also made plans for a' pancake supper to be held in the Parish Hall on Shrove Tuesday.

Marmora Community War Workers held an all day quilting in the Council Chamber of the Town Hall on Thursday. Twenty-one were present and nine quilts were quilted. A pot luck dinner was served at noon and also at supper and the weekly bingo was held in the evening.

Miss Frances Quinn held the lucky ticket in the draw for a chenille bedspread held at a bingo in Sacred Heart School on Monday evening, sponsored by the Sodality.

GERMAN GENERAL KILLED

New York, Feb. 2 —(AP)— A Free German National Committee broadcast, sponsored by Moscow, said Gen. Jonas Blook, commander of the Germans' 66th Armored Corps, was killed with his entire staff on the East Prussian front while fighting as an isolated group.

DOLAN
THE DRUGGIST
Open Sunday
HOURS:—10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

GRACE CHAPEL
Corner of Dundas and Albert,
Affiliated with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada.
After an Inspirational Period of Gospel Singing Which All Folk Enjoy, Beginning at 7.30 p.m. Sunday
PASTOR WICKS WILL SPEAK ON
"BELIEVE IT OR NOT"
COME AND ENJOY SPIRITUAL FEAST
Sunday School ..... 9.45 a.m.
DEVOTIONAL and COMMUNION SERVICE ..... 11.00 a.m.
TUESDAY 8 p.m.—UNANSWERED PRAYER. Come and listen in this truth.
THURSDAY 8 p.m.—Young People's Meeting.
FRIDAY, 8.30 p.m.—Ladies' Prayer Meeting.
"The Peace of God which passeth understanding, and Sanctifies the heart which it fills."
REV. ERNEST A. J. WICKS, Pastor.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH
59 Dundas St. East REV. J. S. A. SPEARMAN, Minister
11 a.m.—THE DIVINE PURPOSE OF SANCTIFICATION
(CONTINUING FROM LAST SUNDAY.)
7 p.m.—LEBBAEUS—THE MISSIONARY.
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Children's Hour. 8 p.m.—Prayer Service.
Friday, 7 P.S.—218 Coleman Street.
SUNDAY, 8.30 p.m.—CONVERSATION under the direction of the Y.P.S. Mr. Cyril Kent, song leader in charge.
MEMBERS OF OTHER SOCIETIES INVITED.

THE STANDARD CHURCH
(Coleman Street at Footbridge)
11.00 a.m.—MORNING WORSHIP.
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School.
7.00 p.m.—EVENING WORSHIP.
REV. J. C. NUSSEY, Pastor
TUESDAY AND THURSDAY NIGHTS 8.00 P.M.

BETHEL HALL
Corner Church and Station Streets
MORNING WORSHIP ..... 11.00 a.m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL ..... 3.00 p.m.
EVENING SERVICE ..... 7.00 p.m.
— Speaker —
EVANGELIST JAMES LYON, of Toronto.
Subject
"HELP OFFERED, HELP ACCEPTED, HELP REFUSED."
THURSDAY, 8.00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.
FRIDAY, 7.00 p.m.—Children's Meeting.

ALLIANCE TABERNACLE
Cor. W. Moira and Coleman. REV.-C. V. FREEMAN
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—"THE LIFE OF FAITH."
7.00 p.m.—"THE TREASURES OF THE SNOW."
TUESDAY, 8 p.m.—Prayer and Fellowship.

TABERNACLE UNITED CHURCH
(THE FRIENDLY CHURCH)
Church Street — One Block North of Victoria Avenue
REV. DR. A. J. WM. MYERS.
11.00 a.m.—"THE ARCHBISHOP'S LETTER."
Nursery care is provided for young children while their parents attend morning service.
11.30 a.m.—JUNIOR CONGREGATION.
2.30 p.m.—CHURCH SCHOOL and KINDERGARTEN.
7.00 p.m.—"THINGS THAT REMAIN."
The Good Companion Fellowship Hour After Evening Service.
Mrs. M. F. Duff, Organist

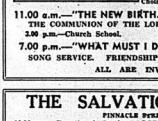
HOLLOWAY STREET UNITED CHURCH
(Corner Dunbar and Holloway)
REV. J. A. DILTS, Minister. Residence 44 Hillside St.
11.00 a.m.—RELIGION AND HEALTH.
11.30 a.m.—JUNIOR CONGREGATION.
2.30 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
7.00 p.m.—THE GOSPEL IN SONG AND SERMON.
A STUNG CONSCIENCE TRIES TO STING BACK.
Choir Leader, MRS. F. HOUSTON. Organist, WM. CONNOR.

BRIDGE STREET UNITED CHURCH
REV. E. W. STAPLEFORD, B.A., D.D., Interim Minister.
THE CONVICTION WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY OF HEARING AT BOTH SERVICES
REV. CLIFFORD PARK, M.A.
the Minister of the United Church at Whitby, Ontario.
11.00 a.m.—Nursery School. 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—"WORDS WE SPEAK."
7.00 p.m.—"DISCIPLINE—THE PRICE OF FREEDOM.
8.30 p.m.—FIRESIDE HOUR under the auspices of the Y.P.U. of the Tabernacle, Holloway Street and Bridge St. Churches will be held in the Sunday School rooms of Bridge St. Church. All young people including students of Albert College and the young men and women of the Armed Forces cordially invited. Social Hour. Refreshments.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Corner Church Street and Victoria Avenue
REV. J. G. HORNSBY ..... Minister
DIVINE WORSHIP
at 11.00 a.m. and 7.00 p.m.
2.30 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
DIRECTORS OF MUSIC — MR. AND MRS. JOHN DEACON

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
ST. THOMAS CHURCH
Rev. A. Beauchamp Hynes, Rector.
SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY
8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Choral Eucharist.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
7.30 p.m.—Jr. Confirmation Class
7.30 p.m.—Evensong.
CHRIST CHURCH
Rev. J. Grant Spatting, Rector.
SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY
8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Choral Communion.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
4.00 p.m.—Holy Baptism
7.00 p.m.—Evensong followed by Adult Confirmation Class.

EMMANUEL REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH
REV. TELFORD S. RUSSELL, Rector.
52 Victoria Ave. Phone 3072
SUNDAY—
HOLY COMMUNION—SERMON ..... 11.00 a.m.
"The Manifestation of the Spirit."
Bible School ..... 2.30 p.m.
EVENING PRAYER and SERMON ..... 7.00 p.m.
"The Present Time."
WEDNESDAY:
Mid-Week Prayer Service at 8.00.



VICTORIA AVE. BAPTIST CHURCH
REV. H. O. EASTMAN
Minister.
Organist .... DORLAND HOUSTON
Choir Leader ..... FRED JOBSON
11.00 a.m.—"THE NEW BIRTH."
THE COMMUNION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER.
2.00 p.m.—Church School.
7.00 p.m.—"WHAT MUST I DO?"
SONG SERVICE. FRIENDSHIP HOUR.
ALL ARE INVITED.

THE SALVATION ARMY
PINNACLE STREET
11.00 a.m.—Devotional Service: "GOD'S SUPPLY SYSTEM".
2.15 p.m.—Sunday School. (L.O. p.m.—Station St.)
7.00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service: "GOD'S RESCUE SERVICE".
Band and Songsters will render appropriate music and song.
ALL ARE WELCOME!

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
(I.O.O.F. TEMPLE, 215½ FRONT STREET)
SERVICE 11 a.m. SUNDAY SCHOOL 11.00 a.m.
SUBJECT:
LOVE
Testimonial Meeting First Wednesday of Each Month at 8 p.m.
THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND THESE SERVICES

"THE ONE DAY THAT WILL BECOME A SNARE TO MANY"
WILL BE THE SUBJECT SUNDAY, 7.30 P.M. AT THE
APOSTOLIC PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE
BRIDGE and COLEMAN
Sunday School ..... 10.00 a.m.
MORNING WORSHIP ..... 11.00 a.m.
TUESDAY, Young People's Service ..... 8.00 p.m.
THURSDAY, Studies in Revelations ..... 8.00 p.m.
A WELCOME TO ALL.
PASTOR J. L. ABBOTT. Phone 6713W

NOTICE TO PUBLIC
New Coach Stop and Information Located at London Lunch
Coaches Loading Directly Across On McAnnany Street
Collacutt Coach Line

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"Health is a Priceless Asset"

The general acceptance of the phrase—"Health is a Priceless Asset"—is manifested in the greatly increased attention being paid to health habits throughout civilization. Departments of Public Health, national and local, are busy in improving conditions of sanitation, pure foods, immunization, and other phases which contribute to better health.

Newspapers, the periodical press, posters and radio advertise what to eat, and drink and wear, and in general how to conduct ourselves that we may be well and happy to a very ripe old age.

One striking fact shows the efficiency of these admonitions. In Canada in 1921, there were 71,350 men and women reported in the 75-79 age class. In 1941 this number had increased to 135,606. In other words, 75-year-olds had almost doubled in number in 20 years. Continued and improving good health habits, communal and personal, should see this figure doubled in the next 20 years.

HEALTH WEEK, beginning Sunday, Feb. 4, is being promoted by the Health League of Canada as a means of driving home the fact that "Health is a Priceless Asset." Messages concerning health will be delivered through churches, schools, service clubs, home and school clubs, women's and other organizations.

It is the aim of the League, a voluntary organization interested in health education, that the "Week" will help bring Canadians to the realization that it is imperative that they become health conscious. The future will demand good health of the Dominion's citizens who are now urged to get interested in the public health problems of their communities and also of the nation at large.

Canadians must remember that health is not a parochial problem alone.

Right to Triumph Over Nazism

For more than the twelve years since the rise of Hitler to the chancellorship of Germany the millions of people of the earth have seen the most evil force of the world throwing itself against every principle of right and justice and every charter of human ideal. That force is German National Socialism or Nazism.

It had its foundations in a hatred of those high principles of democracy and brotherhood which despite tyranny of such as Hitler and Mussolini and the warlords of Germany and of Japan continues to expand across the earth. Nazism is seen in a broader look to be the most sinister and brutal forces of primitive life. It was born in the hearts of evil men like the Nazi and Fascist leaders and had as its aim that of supremacy to thrive and grow by means of the results of the labor and vision and idealism of other peoples. Nazism had no place in humanity except in foul minds of degraded beings for it is in its essence wrong and sin. It had to rob and murder to start and carry on. At first it grew strong upon German soil and mentality; but meeting modern ideals in others it was much for it. It has met nations in the shock of battle which have demonstrated that good is greater than evil and that for a nation to go down into the pit it is only necessary to follow the teachings of such haters of mankind as Hitler and Mussolini who hated everything good and whose hand was raised against everything that stood in their way of taking by robbery and murder the products of the labor and love of others.

Now it having been shown on the wide battlefronts of this vast war that the Nazis must go down and that Nazism is to be destroyed by fire so that the earth may be cleansed, how many will do what Hitler asks Germans to do, die for what has come to the point of destroying Germany for a second time in the art of war? Nazism has had to use a long-fallen-into-disuse system —that of the spy system on the German people as applied by the emperors of ancient Rome where spies were maintained in families of the leading citizens—it to keep Germany under the thumb. Of course Himmler has built the reflection of the fear that is in the hearts of the Nazis for they know it is evil. Now will even all Himmlerites be ready to die for Hitler?

Nazism has been stronger than Fascism was in Italy, but both came from the same root of evil, hatred and envy. Fascism fell and its fall foreshadowed that Nazism must go.

Hitler must know that the Gestapo is hated for it has had to be busy in Germany especially in the latter half of the last year and of course it is feared.

No Allied leader has had to appeal to his people as Hitler has had to do with the Germans, threaten them if they dare "stab" Germany in the back. The very threats of Hitler are a proof not only that he is evil and his system with him but that not only tyranny within Germany has been necessary but also his tyranny outside Germany by force of vast armed forces.

A crisis faces the German people, they stand between the revenging or cleansing sword of the United Nations which will cleanse Europe of Hitler and the brutal force of Himmler's Gestapo which domineers over Germany but the vast hated not only Germany but the vast hordes of foreign labor slaves whom Nazism has brought in captivity to the Reich to try and bolster its inherent weakness,—which is this, that it is evil and offends every right-thinking nation and human being on earth. Whether the Germans dare defy Hitler or not, in the not distant future, the Nazi curse will be lifted from Europe and its plagues cease to be. Justice in the hearts of men and women to overthrow such organized evil as German Nazism.

Still Up to the Driver

(Christian Science Monitor)

The "safe driver" is the most patriotic one today. The efforts made by railroads to avert catastrophes at grade crossings should encourage even lax motorists to do on the alert. The Illinois Central, for example, has analyzed crossing accidents and has summarized the causes under ten distinct headings. Foremost is the fact that the motorist misjudges the speed of the oncoming train, and, second, he waits for one train to pass and then is struck by another from the opposite direction.

Among other reasons are those of "being fascinated by the passing and hence exercising no caution whatever," his judgment is clouded by alcohol," and factors involving the mechanical condition of car or brakes. The once familiar sign, "Stop! Look! Listen!" has been replaced at many rail crossings by the most modern electrical appliances and signals, but the burden of safety is still the most part on the shoulders of the motorist.

Reconstituting Dehydrated Foods

(Newsweek Magazine)

Food industry officials predict that devices for "reconstituting" dehydrated foods are destined for wide post-war distribution. Early in the war there was a huge demand for home dehydrators. But when the dried food was rehydrated it had lost much of its fresh product's appeal. Housewives also find present methods of rehydrating commercially dried foods not altogether satisfactory. Stirring such as food with cold milk usually results in discovered jars does effectively eliminate lumps. Now several contrivances have been developed to overcome such difficulties, and they'll be on the market when normal production is resumed.

In a newly discovered infra-red tunnel process, food which have received their coat of paint are dried in one sixtieth of the time occupied by the normal method. A military general purpose car can be dried in 30 minutes after being spray-painted with two coats of enamel.

To choose time is to save time.—Bacon.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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PREJUDICE

He eats his meals each day, as I;
Like me, is fond of apple pie,
But 'twould not bother him at all
Were I for mince or peach to call;
Nor would he mind it if I said:
"I'd rather have fresh fruit instead.
'Tis my belief, though pie is sweet,
'Tis something man should never eat."

He would not shake his head at me
Did we o'er music not agree,
Or books or art or games to play,
Or bitter word be moved to say
Did I his special drink refuse.
My people he would not abuse.
Nor turn on me a scornful eye
Did I his favorite shop go by.

But, since unto his God I pray
In just a slightly different way,
And would the self-same Heaven achieve
By paths in which he can't believe,
Although the creeds he views with scorn
Teach, just as his, we're brothers born,
He turns in prejudice from me
And thinks my motives base must be.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"How can you even think of school work when the Indians have this house completely surrounded!"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

February 3rd., 1926.

During last night the thermometer registered seventeen degrees below zero.

Mr. Ed. Chalmers has returned home from Toronto where he spent a few days.

The annual meeting of the St. Julien Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire was held last evening at the home of Mrs. R. A. Bacque, West Bridge Street, and the following officers were elected: Regent, Mrs. A. E. Symons; First Vice President, Mrs. R. A. Bacque; Second Vice President, Mrs. John Neate; Secretary, Mrs. P. E. Jenks; Treasurer, Mrs. Ruth Snell.

Fire Chief W. J. Brown stated in his annual report to the council last night that during the year the department answered seventy-eight calls and the loss from fire during the year was $26,966.25, compared with forty calls the previous year with a loss of $41,728.

30 YEARS AGO

February 3rd., 1915.

At the inaugural meeting of the Board of Education, which was held in the council chamber at the city hall on W. N. Ponton was unanimously reelected chairman for this year. The members present were: Messrs. T. E. Ketcheson, C. Pascoe, F. E. O'Flynn, C. Pascoe, C. M. Reid, F. Sharpe, A. J. McCoubrey, Geo. F. Woolley, Fred S. Deacon, S. S. Moore, L. R. Terwilligar, H. Storey, W. C. Reid, Arthur Mosier, J. Elliott and P. J. Wine. The following were appointed committees: Finance, John Elliott; School Management, F. E. O'Flynn; Sites, Buildings and Repairs, B. Mallory; Printing and Supplies, Fred S. Deacon; High School, C. M. Reid; Queen Victoria School, C. Pascoe; Queen Alexandra School, Arthur Mosier; Queen Mary School, C. E. Bailey; Grley Street School, S. T. Harris. J. Clarke was reappointed school inspector and S. A. Gardner was appointed supply officer.

40 YEARS AGO

February 3rd., 1906.

Mr. W. P. Dempsey, an old Belleville boy, arrived yesterday here.

Mr. Wilmot Vanderroort of Brandon, Manitoba, a former resident of Rawdon Township, is visiting relatives and friends in the district.

Mr. A. G. Duncan of London, Ontario, son of Mr. Thomas Duncan, who for many years was assistant postmaster in Belleville, has entered the service of the Bank of Montreal in London, Ontario, where his father now resides.

Messrs. E. Guss Porter, M.P., and W. B. Northrup, M.P., are home from Ottawa to spend Sunday.

At the adjourned annual meeting of the Faculty of Belleville Law Association the following officers were elected: Hon. President, John Bell, K.C.; President, W. N. Ponton, K.C.; Secretary, H. S. Morden; Treasurer, J. F. Wills; Secretary, J. Osmond; Curator, W. C. Mikel; Trustees, F. E. O'Flynn, John Williams, J. Parker Thomas, E. Guss Porter and W. B. Northrup; Auditors, S. Masson and R. J. Butler.

50 YEARS AGO

February 3rd., 1881.

The thermometer registered thirteen degrees below zero last night.

The County Orange Lodge of South Hastings will meet in the Orange Hall, John Street, tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. George Walbridge of Walbridge & Clarke, has purchased the Sills' Building on Front Street at the entrance to the footbridge and will have it modernized and improved in many ways.

Mr. Warwick Bowell of Tweed was a visitor in town last week.

The skating rink is being well patronized and all the skaters seem to have a grand time.

Capital Closeups

By JACK BRAYLEY
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 3 —(CP)— Slim, mild-mannered Francis Aubrey Hardy takes in his stride the trustfeeds of half a million volumes in the parliamentary library but he hopes that a new department building program will relieve his groaning shelves and crowded racks.

The library proper is actually designed as a mammoth reference for the nation's legislators and since the time Mr. Hardy had dug out material for one argument one day and found material supporting the opposing view, the next.

One of Mr. Hardy's tasks is to answer nearly 1,000 mailed queries a year on a wide variety of subjects from members, government officials, "bet settling" questions.

Recent reading trends? Well, Mr. Hardy finds his clients are reading pretty much what they always have. However, he has noticed an emphasis on books surveying post-war settlements and the hardcards of peace-making.

Foreign Relations Today found the library corridors once more quiet with the last member gone back to his riding after Wednesday's short prorogation session.

The ceremony provided him in the way of news but there was at least one point established. He has always been the custom for the Prime Minister and government leader of the Senate to stand stiffly at either side of the Senate Chamber as the Throne is being read in English and French.

However, this week Prime Minister Mackenzie King's colleague prevailed on Him to sit it out during the speech, which took long, occupying about 40 minutes.

Another incident performed a hitch in the usual smooth-working of the Hansard staff. The gowns of the chamber are locked while the members are at the opening speech. But somebody forgot the Hansard men and doorkeeper Glen was busy along with routine business before they were admitted.

So the official transcript of the early part of the proceedings—concerning the announcement of the vacancy in Grey North riding—had to be picked up later by the Hansard men.

Aurora Druggist Tells His Version Of Letter Episode

Owen Sound, Ont., Feb. 3 (CP)—J. E. Wills, the Aurora, Ont., druggist who became a figure in the Drew-Conant election campaign when the Liberal party paid $1 published a letter to the Owen Garfield Case, Progressive Conservative candidate in York North, told the campaign yesterday what the letter contained.

The Case letter, written last November 2, proposed to conscription as soon as Drew entered the cabinet and ordered the mobilization of resources.

Wills, who stood as a Liberal advertisement, Mr. Case said it was not news, since he had read it in the local meeting 10 days earlier.

The Progressive Conservative party then published an advertisement asking the Liberals to publish the whole letter, not excerpts once, and in a public speech Mr. Conant charged Defence Minister McNaughton, Liberal candidate in the election, with writing the letter that "Mr. Wills wrote to me in which he gave me his opinion of Mr. Case."

Mr. Willis' letter, appearing as an advertisement in the press, was addressed to the editor of the Owen Sound Sun-Times, and dated Jan. 30 and said Mr. Willis and Mr. Case were friends and had never corresponded prior to last November.

The letter said: "I wrote him as the Conservative candidate for York North, giving him my political background and I did not want him to misrepresent me in the present campaign. His letter back to me was, for the present, entirely confidential."

The letter stated Mr. Case was not for conscription. In the last war and that his family, Conservative for generations, was opposed to conscription and Mr. Case became a Liberal.

When he learned of Mr. Case's candidature, Mr. Wills said, he was servative in the present election, Mr. Wills said, but that the question of his stand when he was of age to be conscripted and whether he would be willing to be conscripted himself and had no views as to the principle of conscription, not to be a hypocrite."

Navy Minister Says U-Boats' 'Activity Has Increased

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PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

MONGOLIAN IDIOCY

One out of every five cases of mental deficiency is Mongolism or Mongolian idiocy. The condition takes its name from the facial resemblance of the patients to the Mongolian race, but Mongolism has anything to do with it we must find something more definite to support the theory—four family trees and nine are by Mongoloids to every 1 Mongolism or two as is the family tree of the Mongoloid idiot. Mongolism cannot be foreseen or prevented. It just happens here and there, now and then, in any family. So far as we know, circumstances and influences during the course of pregnancy have nothing to do with it. Nor has the treatment of mother and child during and immediately after childbirth.

In some instances a Mongolian baby or idiot may be the first born in a family of otherwise perfectly normal children; in others the Mongoloid idiot is the last born in which he gave me his opinion of Mr. Case."

Mr. Willis' letter, appearing as an advertisement in the press, was addressed to the editor of the Owen Sound Sun-Times, and dated Jan. 30 and said Mr. Willis and Mr. Case were friends and had never corresponded prior to last November.

The letter said: "I wrote him as the Conservative candidate for York North, giving him my political background and I did not want him to misrepresent me in the present campaign. His letter back to me was, for the present, entirely confidential."

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About 200,000 persons filled the streets of Sofia shouting "death to the traitors" as death to the murderers of our people," while the executions took place, Berlin said.

Previously the Sofia radio, as heard in New York by the Federal Communications Commission, had announced that death sentence for treason had been imposed on the three former regents, 22 cabinet ministers, nine king's counsellors and 67 former members of parliament by the Bulgarian People's Court.

YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

INFORMATION ROUNDUP

Howard R. Stettinius has been the first secretary of state to proceed from Virginia in more than a hundred years. Most Secretaries of State before him was Abel P. Upshur, who served in Tyler's cabinet from 1841 until he was killed by the explosion of a gun on a warship in 1844.

The United States has had only one secretary of state born in the 20th century. Stettinius. He is Edward Reilly Stettinius, jr., of New Jersey, who served in Arthur's cabinet.

A remarkably large number of American Secretaries of State have been comparatively short names—Hay, Rush, Clay, Cass, Day, Hay, Root, Knox, Hughes, Colby, Hull.

William Hickling Prescott, the historian, wrote a history of The Reign of Ferdinand and Isabella, "The Conquest of Mexico," and "The Conquest of Mexico," never visited Spain, Peru or Mexico.

The name Prescott is derived from the surname of Thomas Bowdler, an English physician who published

an expurgated edition of Shakespeare in 1818. It means to expurgate by omitting or modifying parts considered indecent. Secretary Reading by paraphrasing passages regarded as objectionable.

When President Taylor died in 1850, Millard Fillmore, his vice-president went to the chamber of the House of Representatives to be sworn in. He was formally sworn in as President and delivered an inaugural address. Then he sent precedents who have succeeded to the presidency because of the death of the President have taken the oath of office and have then proceeded to be when they learned they were President.

Missouri is the only state in the Union that has elected two men for the full constitutional term each to the U. S. Senate.

In 1833 John C. Calhoun declared that "he had Henry Clay down—down on the dirty dock—was his master." Clay snorted: "He my master! He would own him for the meanest of my slaves."

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



KING'S BROTHER TOURS HEROIC MALTA



En route to Australia to take up his new duties as governor-general of the commonwealth, the Duke of Gloucester inspects the ruins of the Auberge de Provence, Valetta, Malta, with Lt.-Gen. Sir Gerald Templer, Sir Winston Churchill's father Brincat (right), parish priest. The Duchess is in the rear with an aide of the Duke.

SPIRIT OF HOLLAND

Ottawa, Feb. 3 (CP) — Princess Juliana of the Netherlands said yesterday experiences of the young people of Holland in concentration camps and at slave labor had failed to weaken their spirit or dampen their enthusiastic outlook. Back from Britain for a short visit with her three daughters, Princess Juliana outlined the impressions she had gained overseas at a press conference.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

MARRIAGE NOTICE

DELVE—HAWLEY — On Wednesday, January 28, 1942, at Memorial Church, Queen's University, Kingston, by the Rev. W. T. R. Boyd, Head Master, Mr. Hawley, daughter of the late James Beach Hawley and Mrs. Hawley, Morven, Ontario, to H/Capt. the Rev. Samuel Alexander Richard Delve, Canadian Chaplain Service, son of the late Rev. Robert Archibald Delve and Mrs. Delve, Orono, Ontario.

Miss Marie Chapelle, of Reinville, is spending the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Chapelle, Gerry Street.

Mrs. M. Lyman, of Deseronto, has come to town where she intends to spend the remainder of the winter.

Pte. Morden Mitchell, of Camp Borden, is spending a leave at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bartley, 1 Fahey Street.

Mr. W. T. McNeil, who has been on the staff of the Bank of Commerce here, has been transferred to Head Office in Toronto. Several social affairs have been held in his honor as well as a presentation to him by the staff. On Monday, Mr. S. D. Stephen succeeds Mr. McNeil.

Frankford

Frankford Chapter, Busy Bees' Group of the United Church W.A. met on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Harold Hanna. Mrs. Harry Montgomery, convener for the group, was in charge of the program which opened with a hymn and prayer. The Scripture lesson, taken from the hymnary, was read responsively, led by Mrs. B. Patrick. The business of the meeting followed, during which time ways and means of raising money for the year were discussed.

Readings were given by Mrs. B. Patrick, Mrs. D. Acton, and Mrs. H. Silmser-Hanna. Interesting contests were enjoyed and the meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Gordon Hanna, of Trenton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hanna.

The boys of Mr. H. J. Madill's Sunday School class enjoyed a skating party at the rink on Friday evening with treats at Montgomery's Lunch after the skating.

Mr. Garnet Powell, of the R.C.N., has been enjoying a leave at his home in Frankford.

Mr. Owen Silmserland, of the R.C.A.F., left Wednesday to take up duties at Moncton. Previously he was stationed on the west coast, and has been spending some time between postings with his father, Mr. E. Silmserland.

Mrs. Ross Rogers and Allan left on Wednesday for a couple of days in Toronto.

The students of the Frankford Continuation school visited the Stirling High School Wednesday evening on the occasion of their skating party. A dance was enjoyed at the school after skating.

Pretty and Practical



By VERA WINSTON

NO REASON why a nightgown with long sleeves and high neckline shouldn't express plenty of feminine charm as well! This gown of fine spun rayon sheer is transformed softly feminine by such details as tiny embroidered scalloping along the neckline and the narrow lace insertion used in stripes from the shoulder yoke. The sleeves have tight wrists edged in the lace and embroidery. Bodice buttons to the waist.

CANADIAN
Y·M·C·A
WAR SERVICES

Members of the armed forces took part in table tennis, bowling, and other small games at the Y.M.C.A. on Sunday afternoon last. Refreshments were provided by the local Y.M.C.A. and served by members of the Red Triangle Hostess Club. Moving pictures were later shown in the gymnasium.

On Monday night those interested attended the Leathercraft Class. The weekly dancing class was also held for servicemen who desired instruction.

Bridge Class was again attended by a goodly number on Tuesday evening, and refreshments were later served by members of the Orange Group of the Red Triangle Hostess Club.

Wednesday evening hostesses of the Orange Group provided a skating party. Approximately forty skaters journeyed to Belleville at the Harvey Warner-Alemite Corporation outdoor arena and later adjourned to the Y.M.C.A. for refreshments, after which a dance was held in the gymnasium.

Friday night found the regular Music Appreciation Hour well attended. The program was arranged by Miss Margaret Houston and related by LAC Reese of No. 6 Repair Depot.

2 E.L.A.S. CONDEMNED

Athens, Feb. 3 —(AP)— Two members of the E.L.A.S. were sentenced to death yesterday by a military court which convicted them of murder and violence in the Greek civil war and of "taking up arms against the anti-fascist war now, Allies." Fourteen other members of the Left-Wing army face similar charges.

SAYS JEWS TO SEEK REPRESENTATION

London, Feb. 3 —(Reuters)— Samuel Sydney Silverman, chairman of the British section of the World Jewish Congress, at a press conference here "if a peace conference is held world Jewry will claim the right to be represented on it."

CONVICTED OF MANSLAYING

Washington, Feb. 3 —(AP)— A jury of 11 men and one woman convicted Marion Pre Earl Mosley, land, Guadalcanal veteran, of first degree murder in the slaying of 16-year-old Dorothy Berrum, a government clerk, whose body was found on a public golf course Jan. 6. She had been strangled with her snood and raped.

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WEDDINGS

HUNT—CASSIDY

In St. Carthage's Church, Tweed, a pretty wedding was solemnized on Monday, January 26, at nine o'clock when Elizabeth Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Cassidy, became the bride of Corporal John Hunt, son of Mr. Joseph Hunt and the late Mrs. Hunt of Newburgh.

Very Rev. Dean Cullinane celebrated Nuptial Mass. The wedding music was played by Rev. Sister Sheila, and Mr. Jack Marchen was the soloist. The choir members also sang during the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Joseph Cassidy, wore a beautiful white brocaded satin gown made with sweetheart neckline, tiny buttons on the front bodice which was pin-tucked from the shoulders to the waistline, long sleeves and full skirt. Her fingertip veil was draped from a coronet of seed pearls, and she carried a bouquet of red roses and baby's breath.

Miss Mary Cassidy, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, gowned in powder blue silk marquisette and wore a Juliet cap of the same material. She carried a nosegay of pink roses. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Stafford Hunt, and the ushers were Mr. Charles Cassidy and Mr. Ambrose Trudeau.

Following the ceremony, a wedding reception was held at The Quinte Hotel, Belleville. The bride's mother received in an attractive green of black crepe with matching hat and a corsage of American Beauty roses.

The couple left amid showers of confetti to western points, the bride travelling in a gold dress, olive green coat and hat and matching accessories. On their return the couple will reside in Tweed.

EVERETT—BARTLETT

The Rev. J. Grant Sparling officiated at the marriage ceremony in the chapel of Trinity United church on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock, of Mabel Wilson Bartlett, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bartlett of England, to Alfred J. Everett, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Everett. The bride has just recently come to Canada from England.

The bride was wearing a very attractive tweed wool suit, accented with black accessories and corsage of red roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Calnan attended the happy couple.

Following the ceremony, Mrs. L. Calnan entertained the bridal party at tea in their honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett left on a wedding trip to Toronto.

Fashion Flashes

WE CONSIDER the platform one of the best of the season. Ready for Spring is a smart beckless sandal with a platform and half-inch platform edged with faille. Cuban strap, snug.

New lines appear in some Spring hat collections. There's a new sailor with a bit of bright green toucan straw made on plateau lines, forward tilted, with a slight peak in front, and there's a new turban with a slight pedro-lift. Trimmed with tailored pique bow.

Fur flies onto sleeves for many Spring coats. A boxy coat of gray Persian lamb has fur cuffs and fur seaming down the back, has enormous cuffs of platinum-dyed white fox.

A favorite color combination for prints is navy and white, with a pale pink, something of a cherry blossom shade. A pretty afternoon frock in this color scheme uses a flying bird and butterfly design. A side drape is left with self-tie cascading drapery, and a square neck inset-tied—and other pleating details.

Getting ready for Spring finds many buyers keen on little ensembles that combine plain and printed fabrics. One attractive war now, and at home later, is a neat suit of palest beige for the skirt and jacket, with dress top of brown and white polka dot fabric. The rippling revers of the soft little jacket are faced with the dotted fabric.

There's a welcome for rain as rain togs get better and better. Now coming on the market are coats of nylon treated with a special coating, the nylon a governiment-yellow, a model, blue on one side, yellow on the other has a drawstring waistline and voluminous cape sleeves.

FRONT ROAD WAR WORKERS

The Front Road War Workers held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Fletcher Reid on January 21. Euchre prizes were won as follows: Ladies, Noble Brown; consolation, Robt. Bell; Gentlemen, Noble Brown; Door Prize, Fred Mitchell. Tickets were sold on a quilt donated by Mrs. Fletcher and Mrs. Clifford Reid. The draw will be made at a later meeting.

The collection amounted to $8.80. Lunch was served and a social time spent. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reid.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT IN CLOSE TOUCH

Ottawa, Feb. 3—(CP)—Although not represented on the United Nations War Crimes Commission, the Canadian government has kept in close touch with the work, it was disclosed today. Accredited representation as the country is, less directly concerned with the problem than other of the principal United Nations.

Beauty Care for Happiness



Dinah Shore has both beauty and charm

By HELEN FOLLETT

IN THE not-so-good yore-times, ancestors considered beauty neither to treat good looks blemishes of which, of course, nobody died. They doubt about their success business, administering to the ills of the body.

Things are different now. They realize that there is a close bond between mind and body. The woman who is mentally unhappy is not a well person. They understand that deformities, even slight or largely fancied, have much to do with the individual's disposition, that blemishes or even a minor nature interfere with social and business life.

A woman with ugly teeth that can be corrected, or one with a disfiguring mole on her face, feels that she has been slighted by Nature. She believes she is handicapped and, because of this reaction, she is handicapped. Perhaps it is no question of her need of help in getting normal contacts with her fellow creatures.

It is increasingly important to be presentable. To look well is to enjoy a feeling of satisfaction and self respect. A woman can add to her efficiency by being well dressed, getting her good looks treatment regularly. Just as she can add to her physical strength by keeping the laws of health.

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Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Wife Complains Husband is Only Cash-Register Father

This column does often receive complaints about too-liberal husbands. Mrs. J. seems to be the exception which proves the rule. She says her husband is the family cash-register and grave things have happened to their son due to her husband's thinking cash was his entire responsibility.

"Dear Miss Fairfax:

"Please write something in your column about fathers who imagine if they pay all the household bills and give the family generous allowances, duty stops there. Our eldest son, aged 14, was rounded up with several other boys, for taking liquor in stores that didn't belong to them—just can't bear to say his stealing.

"They thought it was smart to lift goods from dime, variety and hardware stores. They were caught and sent to Juvenile Court. My husband was frantic and shifted the blame to my shoulders. I had tried everything with Bill, but with little success. You know a mother can't do as much with a self-willed boy as a father can.

"My husband never wanted to be bothered with troublesome discussions about the children. He felt his whole duty was done in liberally providing for us. He bathed the two girls but seemed to hold Bill aloof." When my husband came home from his office he wanted to enjoy his pipe and the papers, occasionally take me to a movie, or go out with his man friends. He never became really acquainted with his children, especially Bill.

"So the boy drifted into this club which wasn't as vicious as downright silly. They took things from stores not because they wanted them, but as a sort of sleight-of-hand game. They went into vacant houses and destroyed property. Now the Juvenile Court—Bill and my husband are farther apart than ever.

"What do you think of these cash-register husbands and fathers?

(Signed) Mrs. J.

A growing boy, particularly one like Bill, inclined to do silly things under the impression he is smart, needs a father's companionship more than he does a liberal cash allowance. It's up to a man to make his son feel he is a friend as well as a critic, and to discuss with him such questions as citizenship, religion, sex, as freely as the boy talks them over with the gang.

Your husband was not Fall into the deeper error of allowing the trouble the boy has got himself into, of keeping them father and son. Now is the time for a readjustment of this father-and-son problem. Your husband should leave no stone unturned to get the confidence and companionship of his son.

BATTLE FRONT HUMOR — BY RICKY



"—Or Was It Size 22 Stockings She Used to Wear?" —Cartoon by Ricky, R.C.A.F.

EDITORIAL LASHES FRANCE

London, Feb. 3 — (Reuters) — Britain's leading tabloid, the Daily Mirror, in an extremely blunt editorial today lashed at Gen. Francisco Franco, Spanish leader, terming him "the gangster of Europe," the foxy Franco who wants to muscle in on the peace."

ADEQUATE HOMES FOR MODERN MAN THEME OF BOOK

Battle of Home by Czechoslovakian Studies Community Problems in Light of Present Conditions

By JEAN THOMPSON
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

TORONTO, Feb. 7 — Industrialist and writer, one of eighty men who came to Canada in 1939 from the city of Zlin, Czechoslovakia's industry in Ontario, has written an interesting book on the experiences and reflections of five years in the Dominion.

The Battle of Home by Anthony Oelcovic, (Macmillan) is dedicated to a study of the economic conditions necessary to assure modern men of a decent home.

The industrial community had barely been established at Batawa, near Trenton, Ont., and production started when the technical mobilization demanded by war necessitated conversion from the manufacture of shoes to the making of precision gauges and naval gun mountings. Batawa has successfully tackled the double problem of adjustment to Canadian ways of life and the conversion of their industrial plant to wartime production.

Experiences in Canada are dealt with in four parts. Transfer to Canada, the war as it affected the development of their country, the Canadian people and finally to a consideration of the forces during peace, and the future. Throughout the future and the basic principles of peace, runs that of the industrial community.

Mr. Oelcovic believes that the home of the 20th century man has been neglected while the great modern industry which has broken down the geographical isolation of states and nations, has not brought about war and peace in this age, he says, is the problem of the industrial community and the free man himself.

Praise For Canada.

An enthusiast for democracy both political and industrial, Mr. Oelcovic is no less enthusiastic about Canada with "its magnificent expanse, inexhaustible resources and natural wealth, quiet, good-hearted people, its institutions bearing the clear impress of Christian idealism."

As a shrewd observer, Mr. Oelcovic gives Canadians a picture of themselves at times startling. One chapter sums up carefully the shifting of the Canadian economy. A "Natural talent for rapid learning "leads the average Canadian to think that success is based on expediency and satisfaction, once a job is learned, skilled and well knowledge has been achieved. . . . One of the most urgent needs in this country is. . . . the creation of more and better schools, the all-round and well-balanced industrial training of experts and specialists in the higher grades, creative ambition and determination to win will have a positive effect on industrial workshops".

Canadians may be surprised by some of his observations, but they will be highly entertained reading of the world's problems, and their solutions by a "practical and common denominator", writes the author in his preface. For him the problem of the world is comprehended in the word home, "the fundamental unit preserving the vast things which we, up to now, have achieved, and which we achieve in our international and social relations—security and freedom".

TWO AIRMEN KILLED

Lethbridge, Alta., Feb. 3 —(CP)— Two airmen were killed last Tuesday when their training plane from No. 19 Flying Training School of the R.C.A.F. at Vulcan, Alberta, crashed 90 miles southeast of Calgary, it was officially announced. Next-of-kin have been notified and their names will be announced shortly.

EMPLOYEES INCREASED

Regina, Feb 3 (CP)—Increases in salaries and cost of living bonuses for all departments of government employees receiving $80 a month or less were announced in the cost of living bonus for employees of the government in the $80 to $200 a month income class effective immediately, were announced yesterday by Premier T. C. Douglas.

Return of the Stole



Pare Emerson wears a hem-length stole of mink made with a deep cape-like top, great cuffs, and a tie-belt. Fur trims with a suit later in the year. Anyway, it's a change from the ubiquitous jacket, even if it does seem more severe

BEAUTY By HELEN JAMESON

Coiffures and Faces

Because a lot of women are pompadouring their heads to the limit doesn't mean that you have to follow fashion suit. Some of the exaggerated effects look as if they might serve as boon comedies. There are always extremists among us who must go the crowd one better. Some of the over-extended pompadours are plain ugly! trying even to the prettiest face. Take the long-faced woman, for instance, with hair slicked back smooth at the sides, pomp upped to the utmost possible heights. A horse face that's what she has. Shaped just about the same.

There's a hair-do for every woman this season if she can arrange the right one for herself she can consult a coiffure stylist who will take a glance what style will prove chic and becoming to the individual face. Then she will go home and have short, or long locks, plain or curly ones, hair dressed high, low or on the crown of your head. What more can the sisters ask or expect?

Some hair can fall flatteringly about the face and neck; that mode helps the line from ears to chin. It's trying one for the thin-faced girl. For this style the casual wave, with loose fingered ends, if best. Another advantage; this style gives plenty of silky hair back of the ears, a portion of the feminine head that is always attractive.

You can have your locks serenely simple. You can ringlet them over or your ears and neck. You are blessed with classic features then it's up-and-atop the crown with pomp undulated or severe. The only women, of course, must avoid hard lines. Grey hair must never be whispy. Every end should be neatly curled, or tucked away. The young girl must not wear windblown tresses, carelessly arranged, but her grandmother must flaunt a hairdo that has dignity, style and character.

If the forehead is high, and you must have a pomp, then let it be of a few wave lines, and pull it slightly, downward. Having a forehead naked and unashamed is sometimes too much of a good thing. Bangs are flattering when the face is long and thin, forward hairline high.

If the face is wide and short, avoid bushiness of side tresses. If the ears are pleading, be sure to reveal them. Lovely ears are a real beauty asset, rarer than most people realize. Go in for that freshly-washed look.

No matter what the arrangement may be, we must give thought to the careful survey of the rear section. That's where many of us fall down in our coiffure technique. The artist, girl, especially, must see that she hasn't a wing-bat nape-line. If the permanent wears out there, a few curls will restore it.

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Race A'long Trophy Trail Of N.H.L. Begins To Shape Up as Season Nears End

Little Doubt but That Les Canadiens Will Again Take Stanley Cup

By FRED KERNER
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

The National Hockey League home stretch serves a double purpose. Words like these frankly posted for players' spots the fans begin to catch glimpses of the race along trophy trail.

Most important along the trail, of course, is "Ye Old Mug," the Stanley Cup, steeped in history. Lord Stanley's contribution to hockey is now solely competed for by N.H.L. teams, but once upon a time when hockey was strictly amateur — and "strictly" is the word — any team could challenge for it.

Often a team copping the cup had to defend it several times in a season, though only once was it ever held by two teams the same year. In January, 1907, Kenora Thistles journeyed here it to meet Ontario homes, symbolic of world's championship. But two months later, challenged by the famous Montreal Wanderers, they lost their prize.

The goodie-goodie boys of the loop vie for the Lady Byng Trophy — sometimes a booby prize. While Lord Faunleroy award — and other contenders this year is Chicago's Clint Smith, twice before winner, Clint has been penalty-free so far as well as being a definite asset in the loop's fistic fray.

The arguments start when it comes to the Hart. Hart Trophy awarded the player judged most valuable to his team. Down Detroit way one of the main cases are plugging for Canadiens' Emile (Butch) Bouchard, a former Hab, defenceman.

But that opinion doesn't get circumstantial support on the circuit. Whispered — voices are heard for Elmer Lach, Bill Cowley, Reg Hamilton and some 20 other stars of the Ice Ice said.

Arguments fly thicker and faster when it comes to the Calder Trophy — alias the best rookie award. Big argument of league circles like slim Toronto goalie Frank McCool is leading candidate for the department.

McCool's rival in the nets, Bill Durnan, has already clinched the Vezina Trophy for the goalie allowing the fewest goals. The chances are slim that Bill's goals-against average will deviate far from his 2-plus-a-fraction game.

The winner of the N.H.L. championship gets the Prince of Wales Trophy, the awards are for Canadiens. Any opposition?

Fewest gunners in the Hot Stove League's attempt to name the O'Brien Trophy winners, awarded the team losing in the Stanley Cup finals. Could be anybody's choice — with four teams involved.

Apart from the regular trophies — seven in all — there's a few other playing championships that are to be decided, But the end of the season does that.

LEAGUE OWNERS IN NO HURRY TO NAME TOP MAN

Consideration of New Commissioner Not Even on Agenda

New York, Feb. 3 —(AP)— Contrary to general expectations, Major League club owners and officials appeared to be in no hurry today to select a new baseball commissioner to succeed the late Judge Kenesaw M. Landis.

Neither the naming of a commissioner, nor even its consideration, is on the agenda of the joint session, it was disclosed by President William Harridge of the American League. The only way the question could be raised would be by unanimous consent, he said. Such consideration or "consideration of a new Major League agreement" and discussion of, details of the all-star game at Fenway Park, Boston, this summer are the only matters on the agenda," said Harridge.

It is known, that at least four club representatives, Phil Wrigley of the Chicago Cubs, Jack Zeller of the Detroit Tigers, Alva Bradley of the Cleveland Indians and Washington Giles of the Cincinnati Reds were in no haste on immediate action. Zeller, for example, said all candidates have been thoroughly investigated.

What's Doing in Sport

Yesterday saw Craig Wood, Mamaroneck, N.Y., pro, grab the lead with a six-under-par 64, two better than Ben Hogan and Canadian open champion was chaser by five others, however, only two strokes away, the pursuers including Harold McSpaden of Hartford, Me., and Sam Byrd of Detroit. The leading money-winner was Byron Nelson, Ilamonds, 66.

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Holder of the 1943 United States amateur singles tennis title, Lieut. Joseph R. Hunt, 26, yesterday plunged to his death when his naval plane crashed into the sea off Daytona Beach, Fla.

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Spring training programs of the merican League get under way Mar. 26 when Chicago White Sox and Detroit Tigers stage an exhibition tilt at Navarrite, Texas, and Boston Braves face Philadelphia thletics at Frederick, Md. The scheduled opening date for the National League is April 16, with other teams swinging into action April 17.

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Camp Borden Flyers crossed sticks with Hamilton Majors of the Senior O.H.A. last night at Hamilton and came out on the short end, the score being 8-5 for the Ontario champions. A feature of the exhibition was the smart goal-tending by Claude Bourque, former pro hockeyist now with the service team.



BUDGE WINS MATCH

Lieut. J. Donald Budge as he lashes out with a forehand drive in his clash with Sergt. Frank Parker (far), the Los Angeles Examiner War Wounded Fund Budge won four professional versus amateur duel, 5-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-2. Exhibition hune contributed more than $4,000 so the fund.

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CHINA SEA VICTORY STINGS JAPS

Although their plans for action on the east and southeast coasts of China have been interrupted and upset by the great Third Fleet victories in the Pacific, the Japs have again been backing at the Chinese battle gap (1) in the Hanying and Canton railroad. Admiral Halsey's raids are known to have greatly disrupted communications and smashed plans for supplies, but the Japs are now reported again battling to expand their China coast belt. Final results of the Hankow campaign (2) are indicated on the map. From north and south Luzon is blocked and, off-shore, carrier-based planes carry on their work.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 3 — (CP)—While Maj. Conn Smythe probably won't be offered the high commissionership for his recent analysis of "what's wrong with baseball," at least he created a mild stir. The major, it seems, was headed for a clear out of hockey's preserves in the fall and spring months. The way it is now, the two games overlap to quite an extent, since each has a season of about seven months, centering training preliminaries and winding-up.

Conn doesn't think much of the powers running baseball, which he says is operated by a bunch of amateurs. Why, he asks, don't the American and Major leagues adopt the interlocking schedules so the customers could "see all the top players without waiting for the playoffs?"

That revives the old argument around baseballdom, but it's probable nothing will ever be done about it. With 16 teams on the loose, something would have to be dropped, if interlocking schedules were adopted, or else the seasons would be lengthened farther into the spring and fall than ever. However, interplaying playoffs, with four or more teams starting part, might give the major league baseball situation, although it would deglamorize the world series.

Cross Canada:

Britt Jessup is back at his old job as sports editor of the North Bay Nugget after being released from the R.C.A.F. . . . Bob Goldham wowed the rallbirds when he made his debut with Toronto Maple Leafs for a little practice session the other day. Bob was on a few days' leave from the navy down east . . . Private Joe Lash, the old schoolie from Sussex, N.B., who percolated around the N.H.L. and minor hops a few many years, are sending congratulations from here to Ottawa to the R.C.A.S.C., has been mentioned in dispatches . . . Hamilton Wildcats, despite their bitter defeat by the Montreal Navy last fall, are raring to go again next season. They expect to get some good material from Eastwoods, the junior champions of the Ontario football world in 1944 . . . Three of hockey's old-time greats got together for a reunion in Vancouver recently. Cyclone Taylor, Hugh Lehman and Si Griffis exchanged yarns and anecdoted with anyone who would listen . . .

Scoring Punch Of Nitisco Helps Toronto Spaffords

By The Canadian Press

Aided by the scoring punch of Nitisco, recent acquisition from the west, Toronto Spaffords staged a real surprise in the scheduled tilt of the senior O.H.A. last night at St. Catharines by handing the Saints an 8-5 setback in overtime. For the home-town boys, it was the team it was their second triumph of the season against the defeat, and they had results both of which were with the senior leaders, Hamilton Majors.

St. Catharines started off like champions, scoring a real margin in the first period and closing out the second stanza with a 5-3 count. Then 3-3 early in the final regulation period when Trumbics braced. Drummond scored. But it was Nitisco at 6:06 followed by the equalizing score from Nitisco with a few eight seconds to go, Wilson came through with the winning Toronto marker at 3:18 of overtime. Nitisco adding two more for good measure before the gallant Saints.

All told, Nitisco scored four times.

Valleyfield Braves Strengthen Grip

Cornwall, Feb. 3 —(CP)— Valleyfield Braves strengthened their grip on first place in the Interprovincial Hockey League last night with a 7-1 triumph over Cornwall Colts. With Tup Campeau's hat-trick making victory possible for the visiting Braves.

Valleyfield drew three points from the victory, and boosted their total to 41 points, 13 ahead of the second place Ormond Flyers.

Bobby Carragher sent Cornwall ahead when he converted Andy Perron's pass for the opening goal, but Maurice Drouin evened the count before the first period ended with Kit-Toute Lacombe earning an assist. In the second, Leo Cadieux sent the Braves ahead but Jerry Crawel restored the deadlock until Campeau drew two goals less than a minute apart.

Early in the third, Campeau added his third, making it 5-3 for the visitors. Joe Demers counted for the Cookies and then Gerry Plamondon added to the Valleyfield score. Demers with another in the final minute closed the gap to one goal, but Bert Connolly clinched it for the game for the visitors, 50 seconds before the closing bell.

BELLEVILLE JRS. DEFEAT TRENTON RIGHT AT HOME

Score Four Goals in Middle Stanza to Win by 6-4 Count

Continuing to play all-out-hockey, the speedy Belleville Juniors of the Belleville juniors practically into a commanding position in the "Little Six" chunk, Toots Rodney's Belleville Juniors did only gained sweet revenge, Saturday night, by defeating and soundly beat the Trenton squad 6 to 4 victory.

It was a four-goal scoring rampage in the second period that gave the Belleville sextette sufficient advantage to roll home winners, despite the fact Trenton out-scored the "Bears" two to one in the final thirty minutes.

Gain Early Lead.

Meagher's Belleville in an early lead, but the score was squared when Murphy Lesperance set up the equalizer for Scott late in the game. In the middle stanza Derek Irix went in alone to put Belleville one up and was followed by Bill Meagher who went through with a pass to Meagher that put Belleville one goal ahead. Meagher's counterpart who was pretty much the show for the "Bears" was the one that set the homesters to bring the count 3-2 ahead. Meagher, from then in it was pretty much the Holway-led clan to the end of the period as Rance Brick went in alone to put Belleville one up and was followed by Bill Meagher who through with a pass to Meagher that put Belleville one goal ahead. Meagher's counterpart who was pretty much the show for the "Bears" was the one that set the homesters to bring the count 3-2 ahead. Meagher, from then in it was pretty much the Holway-led clan to the end of the period as Rance Brick went in alone to put Belleville one up and was followed by Bill Meagher who through with a pass to Meagher that put Belleville one goal ahead. Meagher's counterpart as Belleville lead 4-2 at the end of the period.

Trenton drove hard to open the last period by scoring two goals with Barr getting Lesperance's setup and then Lesperance scored for himself from LaMorre to make matters interesting before Jennie Meagher broke away to the settled matters with a final goal that assured Belleville of victory.

The management of the Belleville Juniors are taking the personnel of the team to Oshawa tonight to witness the St. Catharines-Oshawa game "A O.H.A. game, in appreciation of the splendid efforts the players this season.

The line-ups:

Trenton: Scott, Fitzpatrick, defence; Holway and Bush; centre, Lesperance; wings, Barr and Meagher; subs — Moher, Day. Belleville: Goal, Hayward; defence; Sub—Blakley, Tracy, Chard, Murphy; centre, Irix; wings, Brick and Meagher.

Referees—St. Louis and Bowen.

Summary:

1st Period	
Belleville, Meagher	1.42
Trenton, Scott (Lesperance, Barr)	11.03
Robertson	
Penalties—Goal.	
2nd Period	
Belleville, Greatrix	4.26
Belleville, Meagher (Holway)	13.35
Trenton, Johnson (Lesperance)	15.11
Belleville, Bush	16.22
Belleville, Meagher	19.55
3rd Period	
Trenton, Barr (Lesperance)	8.26
Trenton, Lesperance (LaMorre)	18.28
Belleville, B. Meagher	19.11
Penalty—LaMorre.	

HAEGG, LIDMAN ON WAY TO U.S. FROM STOCKHOLM

Famous Runner and Hurdler Will Compete in Many Track Meets

London, Feb. 3 — (CP)—Gunder Haegg and Haakon Lidman, Swedish track stars en route to the United States, arrived today in Scotland.

Gunder Haegg and Haakon Lidman have ended the uncertainty about their trip to the United States to compete in the outstanding indoor track meets. They departed last night by airplane for Great Britain. Both men were expected to catch an American Export Lines clipper from Dublin to New York for the United States.

Haegg sported a new close haircut.

"I did it so those American journalists no longer can pull me. The running mop," he said. He referred to the practice in which he has used to stream out behind him as he ran.

Haegg added that his stay in the United States would be short because he must be back in Sweden when he is due to enter military service. "I don't want to start my duty in the guardhouse for being absent without leave," he laughed.

Lidman, a hurdler, declared he will remain in the United States longer than Haegg as his son was born on 31 July 1. Both have been training every day and their fitness, but their departure has been delayed because of inclement weather and transportation difficulties.

226 ATHLETES TO COMPETE

New York, Feb. 3 (AP)—There may be a "sunflower" situation in some sports but 226 college, club, high school and service athletes will compete tonight in the annual Millrose track and field games. Probably the largest popular of all events are the relays with 57 teams entered in 18 races. Michigan, bolstered by Ross and Bob Hume is highly regarded in the two mile relay. Hume and Hoyt are expected to fight it out in the one mile relay.

SEAMAN'S DEATH ACCIDENTAL

London, Feb. 3 —(CP Cable)— A verdict of accidental death was recorded yesterday in the inquest into the death of Able Seaman Thomas Dryden (honorably invalided). 29, Canadian merchant seaman, who fell on a train at Crewe Cross underground station as he tried to cross the tracks.



SPORT SHORTS FROM BRITAIN

By ALLAN NICKLESON
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 3 — (CP) — Well well, daughter of a great racer but purchased for $210 at the Newmarket sales, Mosstrooper is a full sister to a couple of Somersetshire men who know nothing about racing.

The filly is being trained by a one-time jockey turned shipyard worker around the village of Blandford, near Bristol, and every one of betting age among the population of 1,200 is having a full day's wager on "our filly." Well Well will run in the Newmarket Nursery Handicap next April.

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Albert Smith, who "combines the training tasks of judging build warships and training a temperamental thoroughbred, exercises the filly daily — not over sweeping pastures but up the side of Dundry Hill. Smith, famous for making automobile radiators boil over.

Mosstrooper is by the garage of a local builder but appears in fine fettle for the Nursery. She will be built on the downs to accustom the filly to a regular routine.

Well Well, offspring of Classic race winner Orwell, hasn't yet got a big race win to her credit but she also has been entered for Newmarket races at the July and Autumn meetings.

"All we want now is good gallops in conditions," Smith has stated before the Well Well almost as a joke. "And I hope the people of Blandford will be behind us. I think we are the only bring her home from Newmarket as they do now."

DIRECT YANKEES



Larry MacPhail



Ed Barrow

Col. Larry MacPhail, former Brooklyn and Cincinnati executive, will be named president and general manager of the New York Yankees, club when the new syndicate takes over, Ed Barrow, 76, former head of the club, will stay as chairman of the board and act in an advisory capacity.

The best horse in the large racing stable of Trainer Steve Donoghue was named the early favorite in an Oxfordshire inn. The horse is Vill, who has won eight of his nine races over the flat and likely will prove to be a smart jumper, too.

Donoghue, a former jockey who "discovered" Vill just after the war began when he was "resting" after a spell in the air force league every game counts. As the other half of Britain's Derby Stakes sextette meet the Mohawks to warm up for the game, Vill will have his nearest thing to a bullet' I have ever ridden."

Gerry Wilson, six times British's champion jockey under National Hunt Rules, has given up riding and will confine his interests to racing and training Jumpers. He won the United National on the famous Golden Miller in 1934 and the Cheltenham Gold Cup on the same horse in the same year and in 1935.

"F" ALLEYS

AFTERNOON

Pirates, Handicap 97, 2 Pts—V. Delong 522, G. Boden 270, R. Vince 452(?). Hobert 456, B. Shortt, (2 games) 447, H. Hobert 473.

Happy Gang, 2 Pts—R. Charlton 369, H. Lent 340, C. Caroline 372, E. Harrison 267; J. Doe 200. Total 1878.

EVENING

Tipber Toppers, 0 Pts.—E. Ketchabaw 277, G. Mercer 273, R. Blue 376, E. Warham 483, M. Pellerin 631. Total 2260.

Sweeps, 4 Pts.—J. Moreau 532, O. Cross 445, F. Johnston 515, E. Moore 606, T. Rawson 661. Total 2732.

Corvettes, 1 Pt.—M. Cook 441, H. Langevin 260, W. Shaw 320, R. Langevin 279, R. Gerow 341. Total 1801.

McIntosh Bros., 2 Pts.—M. Carmichael 277, P. Wilkes 323, E. Carmichael 455, L. Wilkes 434, C. Ironside 419. Total 2007.

CASUAL COMMENT
By K.J.C.

The hobo stopped at an inn which had the grandiloquent name of George and the Dragon. Applying at the kitchen door, he was met by a husky female:

Hobo (meekly)—Can I have a bite to eat?

Husky Female (snapping) — No, you can't have a bite to eat.

The tramp left, but returned in a few moments.

Husky Female. (demanding)— You back again? What do you want now?

Hobo (meekly)—I'd like to speak to George.

Junior Picture.

Playing neither of hockey they are capable of, the Belleville Juniors stepped into Trenton and won 6 to 4 last night. It was sweet revenge for that 4-4 draw earned by Trenton here earlier in the season, but last night it was Belleville all the way as Holway's kids are clicking all along the line. As a matter of fact the Bears are the best team in the O.H.A. Senior last night proved that. However, it took a second period explosion of five four goals to convince a fighting Trenton team that they had met their match. Belleville's scoring was well divided, as the team scored seven times. On the other hand it was "Barney" Lesperance who carried the Trenton attack on his shoulders as he scored a goal and set up the remaining three. Rance Brick was the star for the Holway-led clan there were no stars last night, each and every player wearing the objective—beat Trenton at home." The kids accomplished their purpose and now must answer to the fans if they fail to win the group title. Incidentally the management of the Bears are taking the Belleville squad to Oshawa for tonight's game. Otherwise Stirling would be playing host to a 3 last night.

Air Force Roundup.

By winning two games this week FL. Jimmie McCha's Mountain View bowlers took over the cellar spot in the Quinte R.C.A.F. loop forcing Petes Malloy's Trenton five to go all out Monday night against Kingston in order to keep the spot with the Bomber. With only two teams qualifying for play-off berths in the Air Force league every

Ed Sherlock's cage teams are preparing faithfully for the coming provincial O.B.A. playdowns, in both the girls' and boys' juvenile series... Despite opinions to the contrary, Jack Gamble, St. Louis and Toots Holway have done a great job refereeing in the Senior O.H.A. league.... An anonymous letter received by Sports recently from a fan who is a writer with opposite opinions, but then who ever pays attention to anonymous letters.... For the second year in a row the Belleville staff of Canadian Tigers last season led all other American League pitching departments in opposition.... Whitewashing, the Tigers, making their only unsuccessful bid for the championship, scored a total of 20 shutouts.... Victories—Lissy Trout accounted for seven, Hal Newhouser five and Dizzy Trout four.... The Mackmen, however, had the satisfaction of being one of the two teams to blank the Tigers.... They held the Tigers runless in games pitched by Luman Harris and Jess Flores .... The Browns had the Tigers whitewashed on three occasions and in winning the pennant they chalked up a total of 16 shutouts while they, in turn, were kept out of the scoring column nine times.

Page Harry Rollins.

Local softball executives will be interested in learning that at a meeting of the Ottawa council the suggestion was made that a plan be effected to softball teams using city parks if less than seven in a city differ from the spectators.... One city father called softball a "sissy" game and stated he had no objection to the parks being used for the game but he did oppose spectators being asked to pay. Bill Wentzell, Ottawa sports scribe comments in the Journal: "Softball players around the city will be interested to learn that Council no discover today they have been termed a part? It's enough to see a person than a member of the City Council, but we think there is a little wondering about that term as applied by Alderman Baird in a recent debate. The term, it is explained by Alderman Baird in a recent debate. The term, it is explained by Alderman Baird in a recent debate. The term, it is explained

STARTERS IN WOMEN'S CUP GOLF AT MIAMI, FLORIDA



Arnold Minkley, chairman of the golfers' committee, is handing score cards to Marjorie Row (centre) of Anniston, Ala., and Jane Cruse Covington of Miami, Fla. Miss Row is the defending champion. At right is Miss Evelyn Orangeburg, S.C., as they came up to tee off in the opening qualifying round of the annual women's tourney for the Helen Lee Doherty challenge cup at the Miami Beach golf course. Some of the nation's women golfers are competing.

Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 286
By SAM GORDON
KINGSTON

In bridge are many doubting souls. The one you cannot trust are those who pass your hesitating because they have a bust.

Sophie at this point of partnership hands:

SOUTH	NORTH
♠A K Q 6	♠7 4 2
♥K 8 2	♥7 5 3
♦3	♦K 6 5
♣A K 10 9 2	♣Q 7 3

The north hand looks like something she can dragged in. In most cases, you would take only one look at it and then blow it under for the rest of that game.

But south starts with an opening bid of two clubs. That puts an entirely different outlook on the situation in the north. Because an opening of two in a suit is a forcing-to-game signal.

North must not pass such an opening. For he has nothing. Not until their side has ended at a game contract. And the opener promises to do the same.

With no sure trick, north's first response is two no-trump; the signal for showing a sure trick. Even if he has a biddable suit or support, he would first reply with two no-trump with no sure trick.

South will then make a second round bid of three spades to show his other biddable suit. Since it is not a game contract, north must bid again. The question is what?

With no biddable suit of his own for a takeout, north looks for an assist. He has not adequate support for spades. So he has for clubs. So, his second bid is an assist to four clubs.

Would it scare you to do that? It shouldn't. South is sure of what he could make a game and was interested only two things. They are: Has north help for a slam and what should be trumped. South must now learned that clubs should be trumps and north has no sure trick in spades. Therefore, south should be satisfied with a game bid. I'll tell you how he made a slam.

A knowing player often hooks a trick the duffer overlooks.

Toronto Granites Win Ont. Tankard

Toronto, Feb. 3. (CP)—Hamilton Tuesday night skipped by S. C. Turnbull and P. D. Campbell, defeated fourscore Toronto Victorias skipped by R. C. Allen and A. C. Forsyth yesterday to capture the Governor-General's trophy in Ontario Curling Association play. The score was 26-20.

Rinkits from Toronto Granites skipped by R. H. Howard and Dr. A. Elliott won the Ontario Silver Tankard when they registered a 9-8 21 victory over foursomes from Hamilton Victorias skipped by E. F. Jackson and Dr. A. Walker.

The consolation event in tankard play, the Bowden trophy, went to quartets from Orillia skipper by S. Sargeant and R. Miller, who defeated a Thornbury aggregation skipped by L. Brown and J. C. Mitchell, by a 20-13 score.

Results:

Ontario Silver Tankard—Finals:

Dr. Elliott, Toronto Granites, 15; Dr. A. Walker, Hamilton Victorias, 18;

R. H. Howard, Toronto Granites, 23; H. F. Jones, Hamilton Victorias, 6;

Governor-General's Trophy — Finals:

T. G. Turnbull, Hamilton Thistles 10; R. C. Allen, Toronto Victorias, 12;

P. Campbell, Hamilton Thistles, 16; A. C. Forsyth, Toronto Victorias, 8;

Bowden Trophy—Finals:

S. Sergeant, Orillia, 20; I. Brown, Thornbury, 6;

R. Miller, Orillia, 9; J. C. Mitchell, Thornbury, 8.

CORRESPONDENTS' COMPLAINTS

Washington, Feb. 3 —(CP)—Unhappy is the lot of Jonathan Daniels, administrative assistant to President Roosevelt, and now in charge of White House press relations. Correspondents, who know that things go on and on, but are not permitted to report them, have complained to him that while stories stream out of European capitals about another Roosevelt-Churchill-Stalin meeting they are forbidden by censorship to write what they know.

DANCING TONIGHT
THE COMMODORES ORCHESTRA
TRIANON BALLROOM
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Recreation Alleys

Deacon Brs., Dee Dee League

Commandos 0 points: I. Armitage 256; M. Cockell 306; S. Walsh 374; M. Walsh 360; Total 1296.

Air Gunners 4 points: M. Calbury 407; R. Buchner 387; J. Bell 309; E. Winch 365; C. DeCenova 477—1945.

Night Fighters 0 points: J. Chapman 344; D. Cunningham 346; P. Tuttle 370; R. Hiddleston 296; S. Caton 376—1636.

Jeep 4 points: A. Hinchey 501; G. Dunlop 393; M. Freeman 433; R. Hinchey 465; R. Hinchey 501—2171.

Flyers 2 points: G. Buker 470; E. Rushlow 297; L. Nokes 416; J. Woodhouse 362; H. Baichelor 434—2069.

Bombers 2 points: M. Meeks 426; R. Tuttle 347; P. Hinchey 407; L. Cook 327; L. Thibault 405—2092.

Sports Roundup

(By HUGH FULLERTON JR.)
(Associated Press Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 3. (AP)—The Eastern Amateur Hockey League has been invited to send a team to San Francisco, Seattle and Vancouver, B.C., next Spring and likely will accept if travelling isn't too bad. Wyatt Cronin indicated that a lot of hoss followers are humming tucks around town to say that Rialeah officials are "doing a splendid job of handing out dough to the worthy ones."

Old Stuff

The New York baseball writers are justly proud of their annual dinner, which will be held for the 22nd time tomorrow, but they did not originate the idea of throwing a feed and lampooning the game's big shots. . . . The ancestor of the 1854 season in the book "American Sports" says: "A grand dinner was given on the 15th of February, at Pfaur's, 11 Barclay Street, by the Knickerbocker, Eagle and Gotham Clubs. An equal delegation was present and an excellent bill of fare presented. A song, composed for the occasion by J. W. David, of the knickerbocker Club, was so well received that the Eagle Club had it printed. It was entitled 'Ball Days' and abounded in witty allusions to the principal players of the three clubs".

APPARENT CURES IN ELEPHANTIASIS

San Juan, P.R., Feb. 3 —(AP)—Researchers announced "apparent cures" today in 11 of 33 victims of filariasis disease, probably best known to the public as elephantiasis.

Drs. H. M. Ross and James Culbertson of Columbia University emphasized that the method of treatment still was experimental, but said "11 of 33 cases of filarial infection which were treated with hetzilin in April and May 1944, now appear free of infection."



AT THE BELLE — Cary Grant and lovely Priscilla Lane, are the romantic twosome in Warner Bros. screen version of the serie comedy hit, "Arsenic and Old Lace," now delighting Belle Theatre audiences.

In Manhattan

By MICHAEL O'HARA
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

New York, Feb. 3 —(CP)—Shakespeare has returned to Broadway and in the current Margaret Webster production of "The Tempest" is enjoying one of the most distinguished presentations of his work as a playwright could want.

Lacking the fire of last year's Theatre Guild showing of "Othello" which Paul Robeson's performance made memorable, this year's feast for devotees of Shakespearian drama has perhaps greater charm and certainly a more impressive setting.

The seldom-performed "Tempest" is by popular account the bard's last play, written as his farewell to the stage and to life—contains more of poetry than staggecraft, and no production of it could be termed "dramatic" in the theatrical sense.

But there are situations rich in humor and in universal significance in the play and some of the most quotable lines Shakespeare ever wrote.

The new musical, "Up in Central Park"—with music by Sigmund Romberg and presented by Michael Todd—was greeted with mixed reviews by the first-night critics but the consensus seems to be the familiar comment heard for most shows of this type—"If you like the book you'll like it little better."

Certainly Mr. Romberg, who has been too long absent from theatre, has turned in a score that rates with many of his earlier hits, and it is likely that at least two of the tunes—"When Love Comes Knocking" and "When Day Walks in a Room"—will soon be heard often on Canadian radios.

The show itself is slow, sentimental and mildly dull.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press.)

New York—Bobby Ward, 138, New York outpointed Johnny Greco 140-1-4, Montreal (10); Phil Terner 140 1-4, Vancouver, outpointed Jackie Leamia, 135, New York (8).

Philadelphia—Jimmy Bivins, 171 1-2, New York, outpointed Parson Bob Jacobs, 175, Philadelphia (8); Johnny Johnson, 161, Philadelphia, KO'd Steve Brogan, 165, Garfield, N.J. (8).

Chicago—Pte Joe Maxim, 163, Cleveland, outpointed Gus Flanagan, 187, Chicago, (8); Jimmy Scherrer, 146, Milwaukee, TKO'd Jackie Gaines, 146, Cleveland (4).

INQUIRY INTO PAROLE GRANTED WOMEN

Toronto, Feb. 3 (CP)—Provincial Secretary Dunbar of Ontario said yesterday he is inquiring into the granting of a parole to Margaret (Kitty Cat) McDonald after serving three months of a 15-month sentence for receiving a stolen diamond ring.

N.H.L. PLAYOFFS WILL BE SAME AS LAST YEAR

Possibility Two New Teams Would be Added to League in Next Year

Montreal, Feb. 3 (CP)—The Board of Governors of the National Hockey League, at a meeting yesterday decided to continue the same form of play-off arrangement as used last year, with the first-place team meeting the third-place team and the second meeting the fourth-place club in the first series for the Stanley Cup.

The winners of these two series will be matched in the cup final. All series will be best-of-seven games, with the teams placing highest in league standings having the choice of ice for the first two and the fifth and seventh games.

Conny Smythe of Toronto Maple Leafs, who returned last year after serving on the western front, presented a motion which would authorize investigation of "responsible persons" in United States cities who would apply for the new N.H.L. franchises at the next annual meeting, under section one of the constitution. These franchises would be operative as soon as possible.

Dutton was offered presidency of the league for the duration of the war, with a committee of three, composed of Dutton, Smythe, and Maurice Norris, Sr., to aid in the direction of the league.

The play-offs will start March 20, with Stanley Cup games being played Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday or Sundays, until the series is finished. Appointment of referees and officials for the games will be left to the president.

ALLIED MERCHANT SHIP REACHED

Halifax, Feb. 3 —(CP)— Another Allied merchant ship now has been docked in the harbor here after being damaged at sea, Salvage operations began Thursday night. Shipping officials said the ship was not in immediate danger although her hold was partly filled with water and some of the cargo had been damaged. The accident which damaged the vessel was not disclosed, but officials said it was not enemy action. This was the third freighter to be grounded near here in recent weeks.

AT THE McCARTHY—Basil Rathbone as Sherlock Holmes, and Nigel Bruce as Doctor Watson, in "The Pearl of Death," now at the McCarthy Theatre. Second feature is "Three Little Sisters," with Mary Lee, Ruth Terry and Cheryl Walker.

HOLLYWOOD and HERE

By HYE BOSSIN

Faye Emerson, who won international publicity through her marriage to Elliott Roosevelt, will make "Dangerous Signal" opposite Zachary Scott . . . Speaking of Scott, he is busy playing in "Mildred Pierce" with Joan Crawford. The film is being directed by Michael Curtiz, famed for the peculiar shapes of his broken English. He listened to Scott and Crawford tell how a scene should be played. "What you say is very good. Perfect," Curtiz replied. "Do it my way." . . . Claire Trevor recently acquired a ritzy estate. First thing she did was order the swimming pool filled in to make room for a victory garden.

One of the film companies has purchased the rights to a new and unusual book, "Anything Can Happen," a humorous tale of the adventures of a Russian immigrant in America. Even all the folks over here but his lack of knowledge of the language gets him into all sorts of funny situations.

The immigration phase of North American history, except as it applies to the Pilgrim Fathers, has been used very little for screen material. From 1880 on people came from all parts of the world to seek a freer life in the United States and Canada.

Dramas in their own language became popular and the main situation in most of these had to do with the funny troubles the immigrant found himself in. That sort of thing will take its place in our folk-lore one of these years.

"The Hardy Family" series will be continued without Mickey Rooney, who is in the service. He proves were considering trying someone else in the role or dropping the films until Rooney's return. Both these ideas were discarded and the decision was to make the films without Mickey until he returns from Iran. Allyson has been added to the cast . . . Van Johnson makes $750 per week and has worked in 26 films in two years. He sure is underpaid compared with the rest of the boys and girls . . . There was a time when Alan Ladd was a laborer at Universal. That studio had gold in its backyard and didn't know it. Ladd's wife, Loretta Young, "And Now Tomorrow," is breaking records.

Bob Hope has been so busy entertaining for the boys in the services that he isn't on hand often enough to suit his studio. They threaten to take him to court and his answer is that if they do he will stay overseas indefinitely . . . The Gaigan brothers, William and Ed, will appear together in "Follow That Woman" . . . Errol Flynn will be seen soon in "The Frontiersman" . . . Adolph Zukor, founder of Famous Players in the United States, was in Toronto recently and told how folks laughed at him when he proposed putting famous stage stars in well-known stories. The suggested the players had no faith in movies and when an actor appeared in them he kept it as quiet as possible. Mary Pickford, then a stage actress of reputation, was the first to join Zukor, giving the screen preference for her future. This was done against the advice of friends. Her decision, Zukor said, helped him succeed and changed the character of motion pictures from novelties to a medium of art and drama.

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Japanese Navy Shrunk to Size Of "Task Force"

Washington, Feb. 3. (AP)—The Japanese Army on Luzon Island in the Philippines, engaged in a strangely listless battle with United States forces, may be using this occasion for a showdown with the Tokyo Admiralty before the hour comes to defend the homeland.

This is suggested by an American naval spokesman in discussing the mystery of the relatively light enemy resistance to advancing land forces on Luzon.

He recalls that high Japanese army commanders both in the field and at home, have been urging the navy to come out and fight.

"We think", said the spokesman, "that General Yamashita is waiting for support from the navy and air forces".

But the navy, he said, has shrunk to "the size of a"task force". He did not elaborate. But it was evident that he implied that the Japanese navy does not now even approach its peak size.

And a breakdown of Japanese ships since damaged bears out his point.

Navy figures show that in the last eight months more Japanese vessels have been sunk or damaged than in the first two years of war prior to that time.

In addition, 104 Japanese ships probably have been sunk and 710 damaged since June 19—an average of 90 a week sunk or damaged.

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CHAPTER V

"That's right," replied Bruce. Then, against her better judgment, and his own, seeking the important people, he walked with his business to greet.

Johnny Hatfield and his wife, a good-looking, thin-faced society couple-and-a-half from New York, came in and hailed Bruce. They said Bruce.

"Aren't you on location?" said Hatfield indifferently. "You had for Livia. I was trying to help her. But I'm afraid she's not the list at Central Casting. She's through as an extra."

"Yes," it suppose so. Well, I'm going now, Johnny. Nice to see you."

There was a stampede in the restaurant, and the bar was suddenly deserted. A middle-aged man with the build of a football player was swaying drunkenly, shouting insults at Livia and her escort.

Bruce shouldered his way through the crowd and hit Hatfield squarely on the jaw of the drunken man, whose legs folded as though they were made of India rubber. The crowd thickened around them.

"He said I let me his wife from him," whispered Antonia, "and then that Wayne told him he was drunk, and—" It was a wonderful break for the photographers. One of them said Antonia:

"Who is she?"

"A society girl from the East," he told them. "Veronica Wayne."

"Why did you do that?" Livia demanded furiously of Bruce.

"Why did I?" He was now as angry as Livia. "You wanted publicity, didn't you? Well, you got it."

Livia was almost in tears. "Don't worry," said Bruce, "This'll get your picture in a lot of papers." He laughed contemptuously and left her.

Yes, her picture was in the papers the next day. The drunk had once been a script star. The incident made good newspaper reading — a pretty girl, old-time hero, handsome stunt-man defender. Livia smiled at the sight of the high-by-colored stories.

She tried to comfort her uneasy heart. I was publicity—as Bruce had taunted her. But this meant she had lost him forever.

The telephone rang. It was the publicity man that hired the day before.

"Say, you don't need a press agent," he said admiringly. She felt better, as though the fight had been her idea. "I don't yet you a movie contract by the end of the month you can fire me," he added.

"I'll probably have to," said Livia, but not until she had put the receiver down.

The next few weeks were a kaleidoscopic whirl—Santa Anita in the afternoon; Chasen's on Sunday nights; Ciro's on Thursdays and Saturdays; the Brown Derby for lunch; Victor Hugo's for cocktails; night-clubs. She went to all the important fashion shows and bought some of the more daring models. Her name appeared in print at least once every two days.

One evening one of the younger starlets invited Livia to the opening of a play at the Biltmore. He was besieged by a crowd of clamoring adolescent fans.

"Who's she?" Livia heard some one demand.

"Dunno, but we'd better get her autograph—just in case."

Livia signed her name, hoping that the producer had ahead of her had eyes in the back of his head.

During this period Livia paid a brief visit to Vera and Carl Steinke. Her sister was delighted with the long, sleek dirt and Livia's new clothes. Livia was the bright one of the family.

"When will I see you in pictures?" asked Vera lovingly.

"Soon," lied her sister.

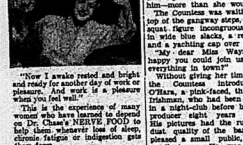
"How much are they paying you?" asked Carl, more friendly.

George, Livia evaded his question and left shortly afterward.

The days were slipping by and still the film offers had not come through.

"Any day now," the agent kept telling her. It seemed that one producer was out of town for a few days, and with another it was a question of salary. Meanwhile, she must be seen everywhere and be talked about.

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"You couldn't stage another fight?" he suggested.

"Definitely no," Livia said.

"Okay, okay. I was only asking."

She began to feel a little ashamed—but a highball or two was necessary to keep her smiling brightly at Lew and Sue's dinner in the morning and dancing and talking with Veronica. She wrote out her checks with happy abandon, and at first with careful note of the expenditure. She had decided at the beginning that she would allow only two months for her experiment. If at the end of that time she had not received a movie offer, she would try some other way of breaking into films.

So she was not worried, and paid the bills as they came. It was now the end of the fifth week, and Livia was breakfasting late in bed and reading her morning mail—mostly advertisements from tradesmen.

One envelope contained a stiff greeting. It was from the restaurant where she had taken some of her dinner friends. It contained the check she had given, with a note from the proprietor threatening legal proceedings unless she immediately sent him a check in lieu of the check which had been returned owing to insufficient funds. Livia frantically called the manager of the bank. He was very sorry.

"Your account with us is over drawn."

"How much?"

It was only $35. But in panic Livia remembered the checks she had paid out yesterday.

"No, they haven't come through yet," the bank informed her.

"What am I to do?" she asked him.

"I suggest you raise some money immediately," said the bank official—and rang off.

"What am I to do?" Livia asked herself helplessly.

There was Bruce of course. He might help her.

"But I'm not going to him," Livia reasoned. He wouldn't say she had been right — that wasn't the way with him. How about her father? Livia laughed bitterly, remembering the human wreck she had left sprawling drunkenly on the bar. Vera! She would help Livia.

Livia called her. Vera heard the worry in Livia's strained voice and was alarmed.

"Anything wrong?" she demanded.

"Oh, no," Livia strove to keep the words casual. "I just wanted some more dresses," she said, adding, "Of course, I haven't the cash, but honestly, that's all right."

"I haven't," Vera said regretfully. "Carl needed some money for his business. He had some bad rating debts and—"

Livia put the receiver down gently. Her self-control returned immediately. She started to answer it, then decided not to. It might be about another returned check.

She calculated swiftly. The checks given out in the past two days totaled $75. The $35 overdrawn at the bank, and the weekly bill at the hotel would total about $90. She telephoned those to $200. She dressed and left.

"I made a mistake," she told Lew with all of discomfiture that account. I'll be sending you another check today." They were polite and without suspicion.

"But where am I to get the money?" Livia again asked aloud. Which of her new acquaintances would afford her $200. Ah, the Countess Saskia! Livia had been with her several times recently, and the Countess had been extremely polite and pleasant. She was rich. Two hundred and fifty dollars would mean less than nothing to her.

And then, as though heaven had sent it, Livia got delivered a letter from the Countess Saskia.

"Dear Miss Wayne," she read, "will you be my guest for the weekend on my yacht? We are going to Catalina, Cal O'Hara will be with us, and hopes as much as I do that you will be. Try to come.

—Margaret Saskia." Cal O'Hara! The producer! His was close acquaintance.

She telephoned the Countess. She was out, and spoke to her secretary.

"A car will pick you up at six this evening," she was told.

"Will Bruce Cloden be along?" Livia asked.

"Possibly. But I don't really know," said the secretary cautiously.

Livia had not seen Bruce since the fight. And she had missed him more than she would admit.

The Countess was waiting at the top of the gangway steps, her short, stout figure incongruously garbed in wide blue slacks, a reefer coat, and a yachting cap over one eye.

"My dear Miss Wayne, I'm so happy you could join us. How is everything in town?"

Without giving her time to reply, the Countess introduced Cal O'Hara's, a pink-faced, thick-necked man who had been a bouncer in a night-club before becoming a producer eight years previous. His pictures had the rugged sawdust quality of the barroom, and pleased a small public, mostly in small towns. He was separated from his wife. He took Livia's hand in a mighty grip and stared appreciatively at her face and figure.

Livia was relieved when the Countess introduced her to other members of the party — Orville Rochell, chief "Ye" man to O'Hara; Mrs. Rochell, faded looking, and a tall, good-looking blond actor, Terry Davidson, who played heroes in "B" pictures and villains in "A's." Bruce had sometimes talked of Terry—in disparaging terms.

The yacht was small, but equipped with the ultimate in comfort and splendor. The Countess conducted Livia to her cabin. The built-in furniture was painted white; the carpets in the cabins and downstairs dining-room were deep blue and white. The two portholes in Livia's cabin were open. A strong breeze ruffled the white organdie curtains and stirred the pale blue cover on the bed. There was a tiny bathroom attached, bright with white porcelain and silvered fittings.

"And now," said the Countess and sat on the small bed, "where has Bruce been hiding?"

Was this why she had invited her on the yacht—Livia wondered — to get news of Bruce? If she was, she was wasting her time. She seem or heard of Bruce. Would the Countess find an excuse for sending her ashore?

"He's been busy—working."

"Then you haven't seen him either?" said the Countess shrewdly.

(To be continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

SATURDAY, FEB. 3

4.15 p.m.
WGR, WBEN—News; Sport.
4.15 p.m.
CBL—CBC News.
CJBC—Broadway Bandwagon.
4.30 p.m.
CBL—Curtain Echoes.
CKOC—Dinner Date
4.45 p.m.
CBL—BBC News.
5.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—The Saint
WGR-CBS—Adventures Nothing
WCBW-CBS—America in the Au
WGR-Blue—Meet The Navy.
5.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Gaslight Gaities
CJBC—Two-Piano Team
WGR—Early American Dances
WBEN—Adventures Dave Show
6.30 p.m.
CJBC—Boston Symphony
CFRB—Take a Chance
CKOC—Hollywood Wealth
WBEN—Truth or Consequences
WKBW-CBS—F.B.I. Drama
6.45 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Barn Dance
WJR-WKBW-Blue—Parade
6.55 p.m.
CFRB-CBL—N.H.L. Hockey
6.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Can You Top This?
CJBC-NBC—Barn Dance
WGR-Blue—Duke Ellington
6.45 p.m.
WKBW-CBS—Saturday Serenade
7.00 p.m.
WBEN-WGY—Party
7.15 p.m.
WKBW-CBS—Al Pearce Show
7.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Grand Old Opery
CKEY—Horace Lapp Orchestra
WGR-CBS—The Man Called X
CFRB—Paul Firman Orchestra
11.00 p.m.
CFRB—News. 11.10—Major Elliott
11.15 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—George Olson Orch.
CBL—British Tommy

SUNDAY, FEB. 4

4.30 p.m.
CJBC-3—Paul Whiteman Show —
CFRB-CKOC—Ozzie and Harriett
4.30 p.m.
CFRB—Green Hornet
WBEN-Mutual—Martha Brice Show
CBL—Vancouver Symphony
7.00 p.m.
CJBC—Maryland Symphony
WBEN-NBC—Jack Benny
WGR-CBS—The Smith Hour
7.30 p.m.
CBL—Hour of Lanky
CHEY, WBEN-NBC—Bandwagon
8.00 p.m.
CBL, WBEN-NBC—Bergen-Mc Carthy
CFRB—Transatlantic Call
WGR-CBS—Blondie
8.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—One Man's Family
CFRB—Penny's Diary
CBL—Radio Theatre
WJR, WGR—The Crime Doctor
8.45 p.m.
CKOC—Dr. E. T. Salmon
9.00 p.m.
CFRB, CBL, WGR, WJR—Radio Digest
CBL—Stage 45
WBEN-Mutual—Merry-Go-Round
9.30 p.m.
CBL, WBEN—The Album of Music
CKEY—Frank Bogart, piano
WGR, CFRB—Star Theatre
10.30 p.m.
CBL—CBC National News
CFRB—Humphrey Lyttelton
WBEN, WGR—Hour of Charm
WGR-B—Life of Riley
10.10 p.m.
CHML—Hockey
10.15 p.m.
CBL—L. W. Brockington
10.30 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—Bach Cantatas
WBEN-NBC—Harold Lloyd Show
WKBW-CBS—Wt. the People
11.00 p.m.
CBL—BBC Newsreel
WBEN—News
11.30 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Vera Brodsky
11.36 p.m.
CFRB—Hal McIntyre Orchestra

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OSHAWA MEN GET 2 YEARS
Oshawa, Feb. 3 (CP) — Convicted of shooting at two constables with the intent of resisting arrest and also of car theft, Mike Cerniak and Jerry Semowonyk, both of Oshawa, Ont., and Pte. W. Moscall of Toronto, were sentenced to three years in penitentiary.

VISIONS "NEW WEST"



Senator William Langer (Rep.) of North Dakota, who has proposed consolidation of North and South America, the British Isles and the bulk of the Pacific islands as a "realistic" approach to world peace after victory in the present war. In which they are expected to have."

In the same speech Mr. Bracken said no Canadian British Joint headquarters overseas request for reinforcements had been received. The Defence Department in the requested manner since Gen. Mc-Naughton took over the department.

Bracken Says Home Defence Troops Threw Rifles Overboard From Ships

Owen Sound, Ont., Feb. 3 —(CP) Says —The "Zombie" question took front place in the Grey North by-election yesterday with the association by John Bracken, Progressive-Conservative party leader, that home defence troops recently threw their rifles overboard from troopships taking them to Britain.

His assertion came at Meaford, Ont., and Mr. Bracken said it was in the interests of his party's candidate, Gerald Grey, detailed from his prepared text to "make it.

He did not address himself to the charge challenged the government candidate, Defence Minister McNaughton, to tell whose those who were sent over . . . tell what happened . . . the whole sordid story."

"Let him tell you what happened on troop ships carrying drafters overseas," said Mr. Bracken. "Let him tell you why some of these men arrived in Britain without the rifles they are expected to have."

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Wren Officer To Be Married After 10-Year, Round-the-World Courtship

By HELEN BANNERMAN
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 3 (CP) — The memory of Canada, a land she left unlouched by war, will stay with Lieut. Patricia Allan, W.R.C.N.S., of Stroud, Gloucestershire, when she goes to Britain soon to be married and later moves to India—after a 10-year, round-the-world courtship. Her story parallels that of a movie scenario only it's real. The background includes China during the Japanese invasion and a honeymoon half around the world. The hero is a major in the Royal Indian Army Service Corps.

Lieut. Allan met Major James Ogilvie Rae in China when she was secretary to the commissioner of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, a civil defence organization to which both belonged.

They have been separated since 1936 when the Japanese took Shanghai. In September 1939, Lt. Allan was ordered to sail for Canada to join Major Rae when the Second Great War cancelled her trip. In 1941 she came back to Canada on furlough and stayed, later joining the Wrens.

"Canadians are the most fortunate people in the world," she said in an interview.

"You can get anything you want here and it still amazes you. Of course it probably impressed me more strongly coming from China where we constantly saw every stage of starvation and every kind of pestilence."

Writer of Poetry.

Her hobby is writing poetry. For more than a year her poems on Wren life have been a feature of the Wrens' magazine and she plans to publish them in book form. She writes and illustrates stories books of children's verse, written in Shanghai, and has contributed lyrics to a Canadian children's book "Little Songs for Little People."

Daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Allan, formerly of Victoria, she was taken to England as a child after the death of her parents and lived in Kent. Her grandfather on her father had been a brother. Her sister is still interned there.

"Am I excited by it all? Nonsense; all the Wrens seem to have world-wide love affairs these days," she said.

However, she admitted that maybe she was a little excited now that her approved marriage is in sight. She had even caught herself throwing a letter in the waste paper basket and putting the proper envelope in her bag by accident, she said.

With her resignation from the Wrens to be accepted, her work on the staff of the Director of Naval Intelligence completed, her wedding dress and trousseau bought and packed, she is planning a honeymoon in Scotland and afterward expects to rejoin her husband in India.

Private Motoring in U.S. Nears Most Critical Stage of the War

By C. R. BLACKBURN
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Washington, Feb. 2. (CP)—Private motoring in the United States is approaching the most critical stage of the war with 4,000 passenger cars hitting the scrap heap every day now and no new ones to take their place.

The Office of War Information, in a round-up of motor vehicle statistics, estimated that on more than 23,750,000 passenger cars are licensed to keep American civilian economy rolling.

That is because United States civilian economy is geared to private motor transportation, with 70,000,000 of the population living in rural areas and in urban areas which do not enjoy rapid transit services.

Auto cars have been manufactured since 1942 and the new cars remaining from those years' production have diminished to 12,000 in number, barely returning to the most needy and essential category of users. Before automobile rationing in the daily sales of new cars in the United States averaged 6,000.

Manufacturers estimate that it will take three reconstituted at post-war production years to catch up with the immediate backlog of passenger car demand now estimated at from 12,000,000 to 15,000,000 vehicles.

Briefs From Britain

(By The Canadian Press)

Leamington, England (CP)— The town council has decided to confer the Freedom of the Borough on the Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

London (CP) — Snow, sleet, and rain driven by high winds in the Lake District made the first fortnight of November the wildest and most wintry for many years.

Bournemouth, England (CP) — Dr. Edmund Cautley, 84, a leading authority on childhood diseases, died in this South Coast city. He was a former president of the British Paediatric Association and of the Children's section of the Royal Society of Medicine.

London (CP)—Scientists in the New Year will press the government to spend $70,000,000 to $80,000,000 for research to expand old industries and create new ones.

Woodford, Essex, England (CP) — Mrs. Helen Paske has died at the age of 104.

London, (CP) — Twenty prefabricated temporary bungalows will be erected on the burial ground of St. Mary's Parish Church in Woodford Bridge, Essex.

Kingston (CP) — The Surrey Public Assistance Licensing Committee has decided that after February 4 children under 16 will not be admitted to Sunday movies.

London (CP) — The London Aero Club Ltd. is making plans to resume large-scale operations at the earliest date possible.

Herringer, Suffolk, England (CP) —Her, Lord Manners Hervey, 78-year-old rector of Herringer since 1894 has retired, Ministry of Labor accident. He was a brother of the Marquis of Bristol.

London (CP) — Cmdr. Sir Chas. D. Burney, R.N., industrial adviser to the production ministry and chairman of the Admiralty Board of Vickers-Armstrong's Ltd., died here recently.

Blackpool, England (CP) — Civil servants evacuated from London early in the war are up in arms against their proposed pre-evacuation to Newcastle-on-Tyne and Nottingham. If they must leave they want to go back to London.

London (CP) — Lord Bruce, 20-year-old heir of the Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, has been wounded while serving as a lieutenant in the Scots Guards.

Maidstone, England (CP) — Servants' persons have been killed here by enemy action since the war began and 216 high explosive bombs were dropped here with seven shells from long-range guns across the channel.

Columns of German Troops Roll Thru Berlin

Stockholm, Feb. 3 — (AP) — R.A.F. Mosquito planes kindled huge fires in Berlin in a double attack before dawn yesterday as the capital prepared for a long siege.

The Berlin correspondent of Aftonbladet gave this description of the city, which he said the Nazis were converting into a fortress:

"Columns of infantry, artillery and rifles were standing guard in Berlin streets. Columns of troops, tanks and armored cars rolled constantly through the city of 4,300,000, while more and more Berliners were commanded to join fortification units near the city.

"Key positions along the wide superhighways and other roads leading into Berlin were being manned and fortified."

The Tidningen correspondent said the Portuguese legation and two other diplomatic missions had left Berlin because their quarters did not maintain relations with Russia.

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CRYSTAL PALACE WILL BE MAMMOTH PLEASURE CENTRE

Vast Building to Replace London's Glass House Destroyed by Fire in 1936 Likely to be a Ferro-Concrete Structure

By ALLAN NICKLESON

London, Feb. 2. (CP) — A vast $12,000,000 pleasure-dome, where top-line drama and grand opera will vie with jitterbugging and international ice hockey, will be London's new Crystal Palace.

It probably will be the world's greatest year-round entertainments centre. It will cover 200 acres in the South London borough of Sydenham, hopes to cater to 150,000 persons daily, and will be built over the area of the original Crystal Palace destroyed by fire in 1936.

Post-war blueprints were revealed with announcement of a competition, sponsored by Crystal Palace Trustees and the Council for the Encouragement of Music and the Arts, for a design plan in which the major specification is that the new Crystal Palace is not to be glass like its predecessor. It probably will be a ferro-concrete structure.

The winning architect will receive $6,000. There will be second and third prizes of $3,375 and $2,250 and another $2,250 may be awarded for designs of special merit.

The main building will be an amphitheatre seating a minimum of 8,000 persons and designed for entertainments such as circuses, exhibitions, conventions, mass meetings with massed bands or choirs.

Other features include a large theatre for opera or ballet with 2,500 and a small theatre with at least 1,000 seats; two concert halls, one seating 4,000 and the other 1,500, the smaller hall to be used also for movies, and a dance hall for 1,-500 persons.

Sports halls will include a large swimming pool and an ice-rink big enough for international matches.

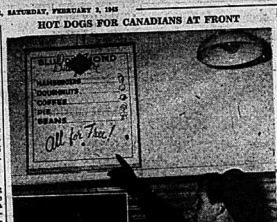
There also will be accommodation for squash and badminton courts and a gymnasium; a suite of suitable rooms for reception of distinguished visitors; space for exhibition halls capable of housing, for example, the British Industries Fair; various types of restaurants including the continental style of sidewalk cafe; and administrative offices with a floor area of 10,000 square feet.

Seventy acres of the 200-acre site will be a public park containing a stadium to accommodate 100,000 spectators, an amusement centre and more restaurants.

The architect of Crystal Palace was erected in Hyde Park in 1850 at a cost of roughly $6,000,000, was dismantled and re-erected in suburban Sydenham, was a commercial failure there and became national property in 1914.

"The competition for the new Crystal Palace is expected to draw applications from all over the world. A Ministry of Education official said architects in the forces "will be given every consideration" and that the time-limit has been set for the end of the competition.

HOT DOGS FOR CANADIANS AT FRONT



A real "honest-to-goodness" hot dog and hamburger stand has been opened on the Western Front for Canadian troops. The stand is named "The Blue Diamond" and is located within the sound of battle in Holland. Studying the bill of fare in the picture above, Pte. Gerald Henning of Oshawa, Ont., while seen biting into a healthy hamburger, the first to be served at the stand is Cpl. John McIntosh of Galetta, Ont.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

Saturn Satellite Has "Air"

(From The Cleveland Plain Dealer)

One of the most interesting astronomical discoveries of recent times is that Titan, one of the nine satellites of Saturn, is enveloped in an atmosphere. Our own moon is not so highly endowed. It has no air and stands exposed to the emptiness of space.

The lack of atmosphere on our moon has made it necessary for all the rocket adventurers of fiction to devise means of carrying along the air men must breathe to live. The absence of a protective covering is one of the reasons why the surface of our moon is scarred with countless craters. Every meteor coming the moon's way hits it headon. Most of them approaching the earth are burned up by the heat of friction developed in the atmosphere. Rarely does one big enough to cause serious damage get through.

Our moon might have been encased in atmosphere far back in the dawn of creation, but if so it got away because the satellite is so small that the gravitational pull was not strong enough to hold it.

Titan, the satellite Titan is about twice as massive, so no theories are upset in respect to gravity) The intriguing aspect of the discovery is that Titan's atmosphere is identical with that of the planet's. So here is evidence that planet and moon have a common origin.

Many interesting theories have been developed as to the birth of our solar system. We have all come across the idea that all the planets and all their moons are children of the sun. It has been suggested that at some remote period another star passed near the sun and pulled away a portion which cooled down into the planetary system.

It is the astronomers, studying with their telescopes the remotest corners of space, on whom we rely to untangle eventually some of those riddles which have for so long disturbed the mind of man.

Wallbridge

Wallbridge — People are very glad that the weather has moderated these last few days.

Mrs. Clare, Stirling, is visiting her son, Mr. A. Clare and family.

Mrs. Bernice Moore is spending this week with friends in Plainfield.

Friends here are very sorry to know that Mrs. Chas. Colley is again a patient in Belleville General Hospital. All hope that before long she may be home again much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hinchliffe visited the latter's sister, Mrs. A. Wilson, Holloway, Sunday afternoon.

Miss E. Hannann called on Mrs. W. Sine last Tuesday afternoon.

OR VICE VERSA

A Red wine can be made from white grapes and white wine can be made from red grapes.

SURVEY INDICATES MOST WOMEN HOPE TO HOLD WAR JOBS

American Factory Workers Balk at Idea of Returning to Household Duties When Peace Comes

By ADELAIDE KERR
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

New York, Feb. 3 (CP) — Irene Young—wife, mother and aircraft worker—has her own answers to the biggest woman question: do women factory workers want to keep their jobs or go back home after the war? Her answers contradict a lot of surveys and questionnaires.

"Most women factory workers want to keep their jobs, I believe; they don't want to go back to the kitchen," so says the aircraft assembly worker in the Rouge River plant of the Ford Motor Co., Detroit, an active member of the Union of Automobile Workers (C.I.O.)

"The UAW recently sent post-card questionnaires to a representative sampling of approximately 350,000 women members to ask them whether they would continue to work outside their homes after the war if a job were available. One hundred per cent of the answers, 98 per cent of the single women and 68.7 per cent of the married women said 'yes'.

"I'm very active in the union and I've talked to thousands of women on this question. The majority tell me the same things—they want to keep on working if a job is available. Of course, I've been right in it down and all them if they want to take a job from a soldier, that's different.

Miss Young—Mrs. Tony Marinkovich—made her appearance on my visit to New York, where she addressed the annual convention of the National Council of American Soviet Friendship. Asked how she reconciled her statements with the surveys that reported a large percentage of women workers who want to go back home after the war, Miss Young said with a shrug of her head:

"Well, I think a lot of women thought it was proper to say they preferred housework, so wouldn't be nice to say they wanted to keep their jobs when they could get back. Because I'm active in the union, I've had to get up early and come home late and then cook and clean and wash and iron. I'm not the things I wouldn't be able to get otherwise."

Every day, she is the youthful looking mother of a 21-year-old girl in the WAVES and a 19-year-old son. She says she has always worked hard.

Born in Marion, Ill., the daughter of a miner, she quit school in the seventh grade to do housework.

At 17, she married young Marinovich, then a coal miner, now employed in the UAW's educational department. When her son was still an infant she went to work in factory. For the last 10 years she has held a triple job—as factory worker, mother and housewife.

"Because I have worked we have been able to have a home since then. I could never have had otherwise," she said. "And my husband also has really helped me to do my housework faster."

Carmel

Carmel — Mr. and Mrs. Levi Laton visited Mr. and Mrs. F. Cuay and family on Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Fox left for Idaho, where she will spend some time at the home of her grandfather, Mr. Frank Fox, and to be with her aunt, Miss Ethel Fox, who is ill. She will visit the West Coast before returning home.

Mrs. Spencer Moorman visited her sister, Mrs. Poole at Trenton, over the weekend.

Mrs. Wm. Sills spent the weekend in Brantford.

Mr. Joe Brintnell has been on the sick list.

The Farm Radio Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Hicks in Carmel on Monday night and will meet next Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Brintnell.

Miss Jean Laton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sheffield and Sharon.

Mrs. Elijah Horton and sister, Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, of Plainfield, were in Brantford last week to attend the funeral of their only brother, the Hon. Wm. Hamilton. This community extends sympathy to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Scott and family recently visited relatives in Arden.

TRAIN AIR STEWARDS

London, (CP)—British Overseas Airways Corporation is going to pick 100 boys from the Air Training Corps and train them as stewards for overseas routes.

FAST WRITER

Philip Wylie once wrote a 100,000 word novel in nine days while crossing the Atlantic.

Stage Talent Sought Among Army's Girls

By ANITA FREEDMAN
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 3 (CP) — The Canadian Army aims in its work of turning out two shows a month for entertainment of troops overseas, now is virtually under a school for talent.

Army girls with no previous theatrical experience are taught to dance, sing and act—all are given hints on glamorizing themselves.

After her audition, a girl who wants to become part of the show has lengthy interviews with the producer and dance directors. Suggestions are made to her in connection with the proper use of make-up, hair-styling, figure control and any other means—natural or artificial—or of improving her stage appearance.

Army regulations concerning neatness and physical fitness stand her in good stead in making her conscious at all times of her personal appearance.

Lieut. Sue Ward of Vancouver, is the C.W.A.C. administrative officer attached to the show. She supervises the girls' living arrangements, listens to their troubles and generally plays Big Sister.

These girls all have regular C.W.A.C. duties before they join the show. About 125 girls so far have been coached to fill the army's plan of having a 25-unit circuit touring the country, entertainers everywhere here and abroad. Men and women in the services, artists, musicians, writers and technical aides.

Most good war stories sound optimistic but this one really is on the level they say. Army show biz has been brought here from overseas, often played in Italy and Holland, sometimes within earshot of front line. One day a performance and a British artillery barrage began. One of them had to stop and true to their proverbial reputation the British sent a turner up and asked to be advised when the show was over so the barrage could be resumed.

"I didn't mean that they would time their shots to our shells," an officer explained. "It just meant they'd be getting them a little later."

Something for the boys who like their music with some tradition behind it being provided with the creation of an Army Show concert unit. At least one theatre manager and several other talented musicians will be included in the group.

AMELIASBURG

Ameliasburg—Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Spearr and Jean spent Sunday at Consecon, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Clarke.

The W.D.F.W.I. held a quilting on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lont and family were entertained on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Clarke.

Miss Donna Casson spent the weekend in Belleville, guest of Miss Joyce Williams.

Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph Dempster and Miss Lorna Lont spent Monday in Belleville.

Miss Athans Guild held a quilting on Thursday at the home of Mrs. V. L. Taft.

Mrs. Ruth Corfield of Wellington spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Blakely of Rossmore and Mrs. Frances Wood spent Sunday with Mrs. Earle Wood.

Quite a number attended the pot-luck supper in the United Church Hall last Friday evening.

Miss Marion Stinson spent the weekend with Miss Lola Casson.

Mr. S. Pringle is ill in Belleville hospital.

Mrs. R. C. Sole spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Hay at Rossmore.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Casson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stinson and Sgt and Mrs. Earle Thompson on Thursday evening.

BUNNIES HOUND DAD INTO BIG BUSINESS.

Tampa, Fla. — E. M. Blasingame, who says he got two Easter bunnies for his little girls three years ago and has been "building rabbit hatches ever since," now boasts a herd of 4,000 of the animals a year.

CANADIAN MANNED FRIGATE DAMAGED IN COLLISION



While operating with sub hunting Canadian and Canadian personnel. She was commissioned in Feb-Royal Navy aircraft carrier in the Bay of Biscay, the Canadian-manned frigate H.M.C.S. "Teme" was rammed amidships by an aircraft carrier, and almost cut in half. The damaged ship was taken in tow by H.M.C.S. "Kootenay," another Canadian frigate and reached harbor safely. "Teme" is one of the Royal Navy's River Class Frigates which has been

ruary of this year, the first frigate to be commissioned by the Royal Canadian Navy in the River Class Frigate. She was on her first active operation when she was struck astern. There is a close up showing the damaged stern. Casualties among the ship's company were light.—(C.C.N. Photo by Lieut. O. Miller, R.C.N.V.R.)

Merchant Marine Signs on Women

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 3 (CP)—Girls in the galley, posies in the portholes and women on the wireless don't make the crewmen of one Norwegian oil tanker qualify as "He men."

In fact, all the men, including Chief Engineer Rolf Larsen, a Norwegian merchant mariner for the Norwegian War Medal, and Captain Larsen doesn't worry about any possible unpleasant situations with women aboard. His ultimatum:

"My men will act like gentlemen to any lady in the crew—or go over the gangway fast."

Briefs From Britain

By The Canadian Press

Magheramorne, North Ireland. (CP)—Maj. Haro Robinson, former Cambridge University boxing champion who had represented Cambridge and Northern Ireland House of Commons since 1937, died at his home here aged 62.

London, (CP) — Anti-tank guns made from drain pipes, plate steel and kitchen knives and broomsticks and other improvised Home Guard weapons of the dark days of 1940 are being collected for display in the Imperial War Museum.

Bournemouth, England (CP) — Miss Dorothea Berry, who died Aug. 2, left most of her $1,000,000 estate to the exchequer to reduce the national debt.

Edinburgh, (CP)— A laborer charged with stealing 69,000 cigarettes which he sold on the black market was sent to jail for two years.

London, (CP)—Maj. B. C. Thurston became a grandfather the day after his marriage—a married daughter of his bride gave birth to a child the day following her mother's second wedding.

Bristol, England, (CP)—Bristol Aeroplane Co., has offered its modern airdrome to Bristol city council for possible use as a transatlantic air terminus.

London, (CP)—The Welsh guards have been fighting as armored troops in Northern Europe since June, and were in action in July in the Orne bridgehead.

Plymouth, England. (CP)—Seven civilians and two R.A.F. men were killed by an explosion while salvaging a seaplane which had crashed in the sea near here.

London, (CP)— Short socks for men, a wartime measure, are to be continued for the duration because of the vast quantities of wool saved, the Board of Trade announced.

Palpston, England (CP)— Amos Maunder, Palpston builder, was born, Dec. 3, 1825, married Dec. 2, 1906, and died Dec. 3, 1944.

London, (CP)—The R.A.F.'s 8 1-2-ton bomb which, among other achievements, sank the Tirpitz is so perfectly streamlined that it falls faster than sound—a factor which greatly increases its accuracy.

44 YEARS' RIFE

Evesham, England (CP) — A Christmas pudding presented to Britain by Queen Victoria during the Boer War when he was but ten Wills, Hussar was placed on the Archer family's Christmas dinner table for the 44th. time—but it still wasn't eaten.

CHEER FROM ALBERTA

London (CP)—Women's Institutes in Alberta, sent $1,000 to Britain Christmas cheer to members of Women's Institutes in England and Wales who lost their homes during the buzz-bomb raids.

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Temperatures

	Max.	Min.
Today	34	2
One Year Ago	43	29

Snowfall: 2½ inches.
Weather: Fair.

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RUSSIAN FORCES 30 MILES FROM BERLIN, HALF OF MANILA LIBERATED BY U.S. TROOPS

3 Nazi Divisions Trapped as Colmar Pocket Is Closed

Americans Break Through West Wall E. of Monschau

By JAMES W. LONG
(A. P. Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 5 (AP) — American tanks and French Moroccan mountain troops cut the Colmar pocket in two today, trapping elements of perhaps three German divisions in the Vosges Mountains south of Strasbourg.

American tanks crashed down from south of Colmar with the Moroccans advanced from north of Mulhouse in a combined gain of eight miles. The pocket, reduced to less than 200 square miles by midnight, was virtually erased that the threat to Strasbourg from the south was eased.

The United States 1st Army fought 13 miles deep into Germany within a mile of the Siegfried line towns of Gemund and Schleiden. Front dispatches said 1st Army forces had broken clean through the last of a double row of fortifications between the fortresses.

The German radio said 1st Army infantry had entered Schleiden but were expelled. The Americans reached within 36 miles of the Rhine and the city of Bonn.

Just north of the area, Siegfried line break, infantry advanced to the Urft Lake within sight of the first of the Rur River dams controlling flood levels on that barrier between Roer and Cologne.

Becomes a Memory.

Far to the south in Alsace, the Colmar death pocket fast was becoming a memory. Throughout 1st. Army troops driving into the cross-Rhine pocket south of Colmar bourg moved within eight miles of a junction that would split and dissolve the German force.

Fighting within a mile of Neuf-Brisach, the storied United States Army Corps spelled repeatedly the steel and concrete reality of Hitler's boast of a thousand years of defense on the Rhine. More than a dozen Alsatian towns including Cernay were taken.

The United States 3rd. Army, fighting into Germany proper just south of the 1st. Army, advanced a mile and more within 10 miles of strongly fortified Prum, key of the storied Siegfried line defensive points. At points the 3rd. Army was 1½ miles deep in the Siegfried line and within three quarters of a mile of by-passed Brandscheid, another defense point.

The 1st. Army front, like that of the U.S. 9th. Army along the Roer to the north, was virtually inside Germany, was wholly inside Germany. Divisions of Lt.-Gen. Courtney Hodge's army were within 10 miles of the major traffic centre of Euskirchen, the capture of which would embarrass German communications leading to the front to the south ends of the whole eastern front.

The German High Command communique Sunday, however, reported an attack by troops attacking an isolated pocket around the French Saar basin city of Forbach, Dunkerque has been increased since last September by 14 divisions.

•A late front dispatch said for-mations of the United States 1st Army overpowered the last system of German pillboxes eight miles east of Monschau. They captured the tiny village of Wollerlay, 1-2 miles from the Roer River dams, whose gates were opened by the enemy to flood the valley and balk the Allied push farther north.

Attack Is Crushed.

Last night and today the 1st Canadian Army troops at the extreme northern end of the front pushed and pepped up their patrolling along the Maas (Meuse) River from the area of Venlo north to the Nijmegen Bend.

The 3rd Army, fighting south of the United States 1st, in its current operations had penetrated five square miles of Germany, pressing five miles into Germany on a 15-mile front. It had captured the Siegfried Line at three places.

Resistance was only moderate and the 3rd Army again found some pillboxes unmanned. Only sporadic German artillery fire was reported.

•A French 1st Army communique reported the capture of 2,200 prisoners and much booty in dissolving the Colmar pocket. The French 1st Corps cleared the Thur River from Cernay to Thann, the communique said. "The United States 21st Army Corps on the defenses of Neuf Brisach one after another."

'Phone 98 or 99 For Bulletins In N. Grey Voting

In expectation of widespread interest in the Grey North by-election and as a special service to its readers, the telegraph printers in the editorial rooms of The Ontario Intelligencer will operate tonight in order to obtain the very latest news and results of the by-election. It is expected returns will be available starting about 8.00 p.m. Special telephone service will be inaugurated with printers on duty to provide the latest returns. Election returns may be had by calling 98 or 99. Complete election summaries will be published in the issue of The Ontario Intelligencer bulletin boards.

EVENTFUL WEEK OF GREAT IMPORT SEEMS PROBABLE

How Long and Tough German Death Struggle Will be' May be Indicated

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
Washington, Feb. 5 — (AP) — This week may be one of the most eventful of the war.

Three developments appear probable:

1. Conclusion of the Churchill-Roosevelt-Stalin talks — accompanied or closely followed by momentous announcements of military and diplomatic decisions bearing on the end of the war in Europe and Asia and the beginnings of peace.

2. More definite information on how long and tough the German death struggle probably will be. Development of Allied assaults along the Siegfried Line in the west.

3. Conquest of Manila, intended American base for breaking the Japanese ring around the East Indies and building up forces for the next great, grinding assault on Japan proper and Manila lie the China coast and the Japanese homeland.

About the Big Three meeting there is nothing official on which to base speculation. But the meetings Harry Hopkins and Secretary of State Stettinius left Italy several days ago for unannounced destinations and the conclusion of what Mr. Hopkins called an information tour for the president preliminary to his meeting with Messrs. Churchill and Stalin.

Liberty Brought to Manila Internees By Lone U.S. Tank and 75-MM Gun

By DEAN SCHEDLER
(AP War Correspondent)

Santo Tomas Prison Camp, Manila, Feb. 5 — (AP) — Liberty was a steel tank with a 75-mm. gun for a trench and a white star on its tempered flank.

The driver slipped the clutch and the tank lurched before the chained gate of this war prison which held 3,700 persons — 3,000 prisoners of war and children of the United Nations.

"Open up!" roared the tank commander.

No hand appeared to slip the gate's bolts.

"Open the — — — thing or I'm coming anyway," the commander shouted. Again the order brought no response.

Inside the prison a low speculative murmur had risen to a crescendo of cries with overtones of fear, and doubt and hope. The prisoners sensed that this was not just another of the inexplicable Japanese orgies. But they could not open.

"Go on in," the tank commander directed calmly, "but stand back because you may have to. And be sure they're Japs."

Prisoners, gaunt, hollow-eyed, afraid of their own hopes, poured from the buildings. In the gathering gloom they saw this was an American tank. And as from a single throat they gave voice to attack and dwelt on industrial, food and manpower problems.

RAILWAY CENTRE OF BONN POUNDED BY HEAVY FORCE

All-Canadian Force Of Heavies Strikes At Synthetic Plant At Osterfeld

London, Feb. 5 (C.P. Cable) — Several hundred R.A.F. heavy bombers, including a "strong" force of R.C.A.F. aircraft, smashed at the railway centre of Bonn on the west bank of the Rhine north of Cologne last night while an all-Canadian force of heavies struck a synthetic oil plant at Osterfeli in the Ruhr.

The German radio reported that today Allied planes were over Allied territory in continuation of the Allied air offensive.

Both heavy bombers and Mosquitos, participated in last night's assaults against Bonn's vital industrial and communications targets in the Ruhr valley.

Despite the heavy clouds, bombing was done by instruments but fires and large explosions were seen. The R.C.A.F. termed the opposition "not heavy."

Cut Vital Lines.

There was no confirmation, however, of a German report that Berlin-bigger of a record-breaking assault by 1,000 United States heavy weights Saturday—had again been hit. Bombing filtering through from Berlin via neutral sources indicated the Saturday raid had cut many vital rail lines feeding the eastern front, in addition to laying waste an area of two square miles in the heart of the city.

The Saturday raid on Berlin cost 19 bombers and five fighters, including Gen. Doolittle's simultaneous blow at Magdeburg to the southwest.

A powerful force of R.A.F. bombers attacked German synthetic oil plants at Bottrop and Dortmund in the Ruhr Saturday night.

Bonn Hit Again.

Last night's raiders split into five separate forces, a similar tactic striking also at the Nordstern Benzol plant at Gelsenkirchen,

City and District News

FLT.-LIEUT. W. K. PARKE REPORTED MISSING

Husband of an R.C.A.F. nursing sister stationed at Mountain View, Flight Lieut. William Melvin Parke, beginning on active service following special operations according to the Air Force, equality list released for publication today.

TWO DISTRICT AIRMEN REPORTED MISSING

Two Belleville airmen, Flt. Sgt. Clifford Roy Conley of Picton, and Flt.-Sgt. Thomas Joseph Maloney of Marmora, are reported missing after aerial operations overseas according to the R.C.A.F. casualty list released for publication today. Flt. Sgt. Conley is the son of Mr. C. W. Conley of Picton, while Flt.-Sgt. Maloney is the son of Mrs. M. J. Maloney of Marmora, Ontario.

SEAMAN FROM FOXBORO WAS CREWMEMBER ON BOAT AMONG THE "TEME"

A Foxboro sailor, Seaman William Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Reid, Concession Belleville, is a crew member aboard the Canadian-manned frigate H.M.C.S. "Teme" which was rammed, sunk-shire by an enemy submarine in the Bay of Biscay. Although almost lost in half the ramped ship was taken in tow and reached harbor safely. Apparently uninjured as result of the collision which caused few casualties, Seaman Reid in a recent letter told of the grim collision and of the damage caused the ship.

RESTRICTION PLACED ON POSTAL ORDERS TO MEN OVERSEAS

Instructions have been received by the Postmaster, J. V. O'Connor Trusiach, that the maximum amount for which a money order may be issued in favour of members of Canadian active service forces overseas is for the same purpose to any one day.

Similitaneous in favor of members of Canadian service personnel in Newfoundland or Labrador is not subject to any restriction as money orders may be drawn for any amount not exceeding $100 each up to any value the remitter may wish to transmit.

HOUSEBREAKERS ACTIVE IN CITY ON SUNDAY

Housebreakers were active in Belleville on Sunday when two private dwellings were entered and robbed. Mr. W. H. Wallace, No. 9 Harriett Street, secured her home, while attending divine service last day morning. During her absence the house was entered and some $120 was taken from a bureau drawer. Later police were notified and a detective Police Inspector J. C. Hayes announced the money had been recovered and returned to the owner. There will be no charges preferred. On the same afternoon while the family was absent, smash thieves entered the home of Gordon Michael, 51 South George Street, and stole a gold watch. No further information as to how entrance was effected was not divulged by the police. Mr. Wallace's home is one of the few in the Canadian armed forces, has been of the money stolen from her having been from her monthly allowance.

FOUR NAPANEE WOMEN NARROWLY MISS DEATH

Four Napanee women narrowly escaped death when the automobile in which they were riding crashed into a speeding C.N.R. freight train at the Marysville level crossing early Friday morning. The automobile was dragged some considerable distance and one side completely wrecked, while the four occupants miraculously escaped with but minor abrasions and scratches. Traffic Officer Harry Gallies investigated and was informed the vehicle was driven by Ruth Anderson, 30, No. 3 Napanee, the passengers were: Mrs. W. Miller, Mrs. James Keech and Mrs. Edward Bartley, neighbors of the driver.

As Mrs. Anderson approached the crossing she saw the approaching freight train and applied the brakes of her vehicle. However, the brakes failed to function and the car skidded and crashed into the eighth box car of an eastbound freight train. Fortunately the engineer saw the accident and immediately brought his train to a halt. The side of the motor car was completely wrecked as the light vehicle skidded beneath the box car.

COLLISION ATTRIBUTED TO ICY HIGHWAY

Property damage desulted to motor cars driven in opposite direction on Highway No. 2 near Consecon, Ont., on Dec. 31st, 1944, when Lloyd Arthur Kenney by Stanley Harris, 5 Park Street, and John Wilson, 262 Dundas Street, Sunday evening when they met head-on. The icy condition of the road was attributed the principal cause for the cars being in collision, P.C. Johnson reported after investigation. The fronts of the vehicles showed damage that landed fenders principally.

CPL. THURSTON, STOCO, ARRIVES IN CANADA

Corporal V. O. Thurston, Stoco, was one of a group of repatriated war veterans who arrived in Canada last week after extensive service with the Canadian Army. The National Defence Headquarters announced today.

Corporal Thurston who took part in the invasion of Sicily and Italy, returned to Canada on the same gun bullet near Ortona in December, 1943, he spent some time in hospital before returning to England on a furlough. His wife and children are immediately available.

131 BLOOD DONORS AT RED CROSS CLINIC

One hundred and thirty-one donors gave their blood at the Red Cross Blood Clinic, Belleville, on Saturday with approximately 49 of this number giving their addresses as Belleville.

Regardless of snowy weather and the fact that numbers of the Belleville and Bridge 82 people from town to give their donations. Mayor Ellis, Marmora, Ameliasburg, Stirling, Bloomfield, Holloway, Trenton, Wellington, Consecon, Picton, Wooler, Vine, Norham, Point Anne, Cobrtyville, and Lansdowne.

The regular city clinic will be held on Thursday next, at this week and will begin at 5.30 through to 8.30 o'clock.

MAILING OF TRANSIENT PAPERS OVERSEAS IS STILL PROHIBITED

Although the mailing of transient newspapers to Belleville through the general public to the United Kingdom and other trans-Atlantic destinations is now prohibited, postal authorities have now announced that mailing of parcels to Central and South America, Bermuda and the West Indies may now be resumed. Mailing of periodicals to these destinations was the case overseas points was discontinued in 1942 when shipping was at a premium. It is also stressed that transient newspapers and periodicals may not be exported for transatlantic destinations.

O.S.D. STUDENT STEPS INTO FOOTBALL SHOES

When he stepped into the path of an eastbound car on Highway No. 2 adjacent to the Ontario School for the Deaf, Grade 10 student Ernest Swidwick, a deaf student at th e school, was struck by an eastbound motor car, driven by Thomas McFarlane, of Hyde Park, early Friday evening. The deaf lad sustained numerous cuts and abrasions and was taken to hospital being treated in the school hospital. Traffic Officer W. Henderson investigated and was informed that Mr. McFarlane was following Swidwick at the time. The vehicle passed the Sedgwick lad, who apparently unaware of the second vehicle and while watching for traffic on the opposite side, stepped into the path of the second car.

SERVICE CLUBS WILL BENEFIT

Two Belleville service clubs are the recipients of a gift of $25 per Christmas gesture on the part of the local Mooney Sawing Co., under the management of Frank Street in their offer of a $50 war bond to the interested organization by the lucky purchase chest which was displayed in the window. According to the regulations of the contest; the customer holding the lucky number was the winner of the bond.

But no customer came forth to claim the prize so in an act of echarity the store management decided to donate $25 each going to the local Kinsmen and Kiwanis clubs to assist in their various club projects.

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North Grey By-election Recalls Hectic E. Hastings Campaign in '36

With the eyes of politics Ontario in particular and the Dominion in general, focused on the riding of North Grey today where electors will vote by the polls, in the most publicized by-elections in provincial history, the memory of the hectic battles in this district recall that exactly one decade ago today when the riding of East Hastings went through its political archives.

It was a battle of the "Hazolds" with the Hon. Harry Nixon, Liberal leader holding high the Conservative standard and pitted against Reeve Roy Hazold, representing the banner of Liberalism. On Dec. 4th in bitter stormy weather, Mr. Nixon won the seat by 1,289 majority.

During the week previous to the election, the city and county proved the mecca for a host of cabinet ministers, speakers and newspermen and photographers at a premium. By nine-thirty the "word" was over and a campaign of active election had been conceded.

Victory Parade.

Victory celebrations were celebrated. Someone dragged a sterling bell from its stable and its clarion, at last, silenced the arguments. Musical instruments sounded, and the mid-Hastings countryside echoed to the shouts of the victorious "Tories." Then, a parade of cars, a motorcavalcade started a headsome tour of the riding with the victorious officials including the late Dr. Wellington Hall-Sandville of Wellington, and the several stops.

Within a week, the pomp and pageantry of political glory had departed. Oratorical trumpets had been silenced, and the district settled down to its former peaceful existence. The election was a peaceful affair, and the campaign was conducted in a dignified manner. Not a single case of intimidation was reported to the police.

Hotels of the city were crowded with visiting politicians from leading Ontario newspapers and news services. Cable wires to Toronto dailies here broke all records. Front and other pages of the provincial dailies were generously carried stories of the fight to all corners of Ontario and the Dominion.

TRENTON

Dr. McQuade And Mrs. Nicolls Injured In Car Accident

Trenton, Feb. 5—Dr. E. A. McQuade of Trenton, suffered a fractured breast bone in an accident on Saturday afternoon as he was returning to his home from Belleville with Mrs. C. Nicolls of Trenton and her infant baby who had been visiting friends in Belleville.

Mr. George Saylor and his wife were proceeding east on Highway No. 2, just east of the city limits when he is alleged Mr. Saylor attempted to turn north into his lane and collided with the car of Dr. McQuade's car. Mrs. Saylor received a cut eye and eye injuries and was attended by Dr. Gordon Johnston and later transferred to the Belleville hospital under the care of Dr. Cronk.

Dr. McQuade was also taken by Dr. Johnston to the hospital for X-rays. Mrs. Nicolls and baby escaped injury.

Both cars were considerably damaged and the accident was investigated by the Provincial Police.

Fire Damages Two Homes

Firemen were called late Friday afternoon to the home of Mrs. W. Bruyea, 53 Heber Street, when it was found by the occupants of the house to be completely enveloped in flames. Upon arrival at the house at the time and the fire is thought to have started in the chimney, allegedly from an overheated stove. Fortunately the fire was brought under control before the other portion of the house was damaged, but the roof was almost completely wrecked.

At 11 o'clock Saturday the fire men were again called, this time to the residence of Mrs. Bertha Bowen, 15 Dundas Ave. Considerable damage was done to the contents of the house before the firemen arrived but they quickly got the fire under control and prevented the house itself suffered any damage.

Two constables of the local police force assisted in extinguishing the blaze and removing Mrs. Bowen and the three small children from the house.

Fred Kramer, manager of the Century theatre, was first to notice the fire and while passing by on his way home and rushed into the house, giving the alarm. Members of the family were asleep at the time, with their three children, and had to be awakened.

Arrested on Theft Charge

Russel B. Phillips, Brighton township, was arrested by Sgt. J. F. Taylor of the Provincial police late Friday afternoon on a charge of theft in the amount of two cheques, one for $100 and one for $97.50. Both cheques had been issued by Phillips at local store in Trenton and cashed by Stokely-Van Camp Canning Co. and posted to Gerald A. McQuoid of Brighton township.

It is alleged that Phillips stole the cheques from the mail box on the highway near Phillips' residence and forged Mr. McQuoid's signature.

McQuoid reported to Stokely-Van Camp on the 30th day of January that he had not received his cheques, and it was then reported by the company to the Trenton police, for investigation, which resulted in the arrest of Phillips.

It is also alleged that Phillips was only recently released from the Ontario reformatory where he had been serving a sentence for attempted robbery, with violence.

Obituary

LEWIS WILSON
(Harold)

Allan's Attila, Feb. 5 — (Special) — Lewis Wilson, a resident of Harold, died suddenly at his home about o'clock Saturday morning, Feb. 3rd. He was in usual health for some time, but his death came suddenly as the result of heart attack. He was born in Hastings County 58 years ago and was widely known throughout the district. Deceased was a member of the United Church and his funeral was conducted on Monday by his wife, the former Clara. Linn.

LATE JAMES F. McCAULEY
(Winnipeg)

The funeral of the late James F. McCauley of Winnipeg was held on Saturday morning from the Holy Name of Mary Church at Marysville with interment being made in the vault at Marysville cemetery. Rev. Father C. F. O'Gorman said Mass and conducted the committal service in the cemetery.

Bearers were Leo Brennan, Joe McGowan, J. -L. Walsh, Arthur Waddington, Malcolm Campbell and Mac McCrae.

Born in Marysville 51 years ago, he was the son Mr. and Mrs. James McCauley, the deceased for the past 30 years has been living in Winnipeg where at the time of his death he was conductor on the Canadian Pacific Railway. He died suddenly on Wednesday 24th and was brought for burial.

A member of the Knights of Columbus and of the Holy Name Society, the deceased was of a quiet disposition, but was always ready to lend a helping hand to those in need. He was also a member of the Railroad Trainmen's Association.

He is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Cecelia Gledhill of Chatham; Mrs. Ed. Ronald, Mrs. Walsh, Belleville; Mrs. Frank Sexsmith of Toronto, and Miss Mae McCauley at home. He also leaves two brothers, Bernard and Jack, both of Marysville.

LATE DAVID WILSON HUBBLE
(Ameliasburg)

The funeral of the late David Wilson Hubble was held Saturday afternoon from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Lorne Bonter, 2nd concession Ameliasburg township, where the funeral service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Hutchinson. Interment service was conducted at the Belleville Mausoleum by Fraser Home with entombment being made at the Belleville Mausoleum. Arrangements to be made later at Anson Cemetery.

The bearers were Barton Hinchcliffe, Everett Hubble, Fred Westfall, Ernest Wood, O. Herring, Lon, and A. Herrington.

INFANT BRADSHAW

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bradshaw, College St., will sympathize with them in the loss of the death of their infant daughter Monday. Complete funeral arrangements had not yet been made at press time, but interment will be made at Stoco.

Elderly Woman Pushed From Car And $63 Taken

Forcibly pushed from an automobile in which she had procured a ride, elderly Mrs. Ethel Chase, R.R. No. 3 Belleville, was robbed of her purse, containing $63 and her pocketbook, Saturday night between 8 and 9 o'clock on the Dundas road, about three miles north of Belleville by three men.

Mrs. Clayton had completed her weekend shopping and at the bus depot stood at the corner of East Moira and North Front streets, seeking a ride home with neighbors. While standing there, a coupe driven by a man in the light held stopped and offered hy a lift. Just where Mrs. Chase got into the car and where she and remarking—Here's where I get off—the driver, without opening the right hand door and pushed Mrs. Chase into the snowbank. Grabbing his victim's shopping bag from the front seat, the robber drove off into the dark leaving Mrs. Chase to pick herself up. Her description of a cold winter's night, the driver, a tall, thin man, and handed to a nearby motor workers where Roy Latchford notified Provincial Police. Traffic Officer Harry Caldwell investigated the report.

In Mrs. Clayton's shopping bag were some groceries and her purse containing $63, which was the greater part of her weekend money. A pension cheque, which she had received in Belleville on Saturday before completing her weekend shopping, was included. Traffic Officer Caldwell who had struggled for her shopping bag when the pocketbook was found under the car, but he overpowered.

OPEN INSTRUCTIONAL FARM

Nairobi (CP) — A message from Kenya says that there are now 17 instructional farms in Africa for the Kavirondo district. The farms will be used to train men to serve army aim at the agricultural training of apprentices, who when qualified will join the staff of the Kenya Agricultural Department.

RAF PIGEON RECORD

Gillingham, England (CP) — A young bird in the R.A.F. pigeon service has created what is believed to be a record by flying a distance of 1,000 miles from Gibraltar where he had been taken with a number of others to replenish the lofts.

Trenton High School Holds Commencement Exercises

Trenton, Feb. 5—Schools must educate for eternity and infinity, and that is exactly what is being done in Trenton High School," said Wing Commander M. C. Johnston, R.C.A.F., in his very inspiring address delivered to the graduating class of 1944-45 at their closing evening in the auditorium before a gathering of parents, invited relatives and friends of students and ex-students.

Wing Commander Johnston, one of the first Chaplains to proceed overseas with the Canadian Army for two years and after returning to Canada, transferred to the Royal Air Command, then Montreal No. 1 and eventually to Montreal No. 1 Command at Trenton. Besides being the author of a text book on Religious Education, "Baptist," he is also the author of several books of poetry.

Character Is Important

Wing Commander Johnston's opening remarks regarding the stimulating, challenging and thrilling keeping a school of education were carried out in his lecture, a definition that after all food procurable was given to the pigs. "We are not pigs but pigs." Likewise after all the education possible had been given to the students, they were not "just people."

"So many things I feel and he said, "are overlooked by forgotten, but the important thing is that adult training is the most important. We are all students, learning, and we have all no more wars."

Speaking of the Royal Canadian Air Force he said that when war was declared in 1939 the R.C.A.F. had less than 4,000 officers and men whereas the R.C.A.F. is now one of the largest air forces in the world and all because high schools had taught aviation, and had established a capacity for training. Most of these, he said, have come from high schools. Stating that almost half the aircrew overseas are Canadians, he said, "It is a hard and adventurous, but educational life, and I predict it will be the learning these men learned but the men who have been overseas."

"Magic in our souls is all that matters, because at the end of life that is all we have left," Wing Commander Johnston was introduced by Principal Spencer and in his opening remarks referred to the graduating class.

Delicate Piano.

Highlight of the Commencement was the splendid piano rendition of memorial piano, recently purchased by school in memory of boys and girls of the school who have died in the present struggle. Pte. Donald Ross of the R.C.A.F., a native of Northern Ireland and a student of the school, played and delivered the dedication address.

"From time immemorial caring for the sick and wounded has been God," he said, "and this dedication should be a standing for the sick but of ourselves. You and I have the duty to keep alive the memory of they died for we must live to preserve.

"That as the piano under a skilled hand can produce great music that under our hands can come out of discord, so can people under proper leaders come to the complete test in self-discipline and mastership, whereas with unskilled hands there is only discord and in disunity and war.

Introducing Flt. Lt. Nimmo, Mr. Oswald Lacey, B.A., a former student of the school, paid a delightful tribute to the assistance the R.C.A.F. had given the boys of Trenton. He said the way possible from helping with snow cleaning operations to assisting in the band, orchestra and congratulated Principal Spencer in his untiring work with students. Mr. Lacey also congratulated Principal Spencer in his untiring work with students. Mr. Lacey also congratulated the first conductor of the high school orchestra, which has been consisted of eight pieces, but now has developed into a full size orchestra. He spoke with much feeling of the orchestra's first pianist, the late Jack Hubbard, a lad of another of his first members Leading Coder Hubbard, now in the Royal Canadian Navy, recently killed in action.

The piano was accepted, on behalf of the school, by three representatives, Miss Betty Lou Hubbard, Class Wm. Nelson, for the Boys' Committee, and Miss Joan Spicer for the Army; and P/O. Leonard Dougherty for the Air Force and the latter making a most fitting reply to the Principal Spencer, who thanked the graduating class for the school.

Following the dedication of the, piano, Mr. Alec Gordon of Belleville, a former student of the school, gave a most entertaining series of humorous impersonations.

War Unsettling.

Valedictorian for the Commencement exercises was Percy Olliemann honor graduate of 1944, and Scholarship winner at Queen's University, Kingston. Speaking with a keenness of insight into the effects of war on students, Percy Olliemann said that the fact the graduating class of 1944 had definitely been war minded as declared, he stressed the fact that the graduating class of 1944 had definitely been war minded as through their high school term as war was declared when those students were just entering high school. Stressing the value of mind of the students of these five years Percy Olliemann was considerably more troubles for teachers, and Percy paid high tribute to Principal Spencer for being able to keep the standing of the school to such a high degree all through the war years. "One by one his male teachers", he said, "had left to join the forces, until in 1944 Mr. Spencer was left to carry on alone in that capacity." Percy paid high tribute, too, to the other members of the staff and their untiring work on behalf of the school and the students.

Speaking of expensive equipment, he said that Principal Spencer had said what Trenton High School is that much can be made out of, for in "the intimate friendship which existed between staff and students."

Percy ended his clever address with the hope that "The rule of sanity and brotherhood would soon return to a united world of war."

Mr. W. A. Reid, chairman of the Board, in a brief, but fitting address thanked the many guests for attending, and assured the staff of their efforts, were maintaining such a fine standard for T.H.S. which was appreciated.

400 in Armed Services

In Principal Spencer's brief address he pointed out that more than 400 students and ex-students of Trenton High School has joined the Armed Forces, 200 in the Army, 181 in the Air Force, five in the Navy, 12 in the Royal Canadian Air Force, 2 American Navy, 2 American Army and 1 American Marines and one Nursing Sister in the Military Hospital. Of these 13 have been killed or died on active service, were rendered ex-war and 8 missing.

Those who were awarded the D.S.O., four the D.F.C., one the D.F.M. and one mentioned in despatches.

Mr. Spencer mentioned that though the late might not be correct to 100 per cent they had been made out to the best of their knowledge at the school.

Several selections were rendered by the orchestra under the leadership of Miss Ruth Wilkins, Belleville, as pianist; violin, Virginia Beattie; clarinets, Barney Lewis and Jack Hubbard; flute, William Weaver; trumpets, Harvey Blakely, Ronald Hubbard; trombone, Barbara Hyde, Roy DeMille, John Keane, Ronald Hubbard; drums, Whaley trombone, William McMillan; saxophones, Jean Blakely, Robert Shurter; E-flat horn, Harold Carswell; drums, Donald Mcintosh. The several selections included vocal solos by LAC. Audrey Pond and clarinet solo, Jack Hubbard.

Mr. W. H. Ireland expressed a few words of thanks on behalf of ex Wing Commander M. C. Johnston and Flt.-Lt. Nimmo for their inspiring addresses.

Presentations, Awards

Presentations, diplomas, medals, a cup and other distinctions were made by Wing Commander Johnston assisted by Principal W. G. Spencer.

Scholarship Winners:

Norman Marry, the Robert Whyte memorial Scholarship, given to the student of T.H.S. obtaining the highest standing in the Junior Matriculation of Middle School, $25.

John Hartt, Dominion Provincial Scholarship, $400.

Helen Booth, Dominion Provincial Grade XIII Scholarship, $300.

Frank Stojan, 2nd Carter Scholarship, Hastings County, $200.

Junior Boys' Championship, 1944 — Gerald Peterson, Lorne Bennett White; Senior, Harvey Lesperance; Junior Girls' Championship, Jean Greendale, June Dry; Senior, Betty Blute and Geraldine Reynolds.

Gitelman Cup—Best Flight Girls' Shooting, Georgina Reid, Edith Carbuil, Fl.-Lt.

Intermediate Certificated—Jean Service Allen, Frederick Bayliss, Carol Black, Harvey Blakely, Mickey Bonisteel, Barbara Brown, Barbara Burke, Lorraine Carr, Harold Carswell, Ruth Clarke, Anne Farley, Gordon Flynn, Elizabeth Gardiner, Douglas Hall, Helen Hall, Molly Anne Little, Robert Morrison, Beverley Mumford, Douglas Reid, Edith Verta Sandercock, Teresa Shannon, June Shannon, Ruth Weatherall.

Graduation Diplomas — Norma Allen, Leonard Cox, Dorothy Crews, Geraldine Farrar, Hazel Paul, Elizabeth Ann Hubbard, Ronald Hubbard, Ireland, Margaret McClung, Jean Mcintosh, Dorothy Mcintosh, Yvonne Miron, Mary Nolan, Beatrice Peter, Carl Reid, Jean Reid, Elizabeth Sickle, Eleanor Taylor, George Vahner, William Vahner, Virginia Weaver, Joyce Williams, Helen Booth.

Junior Matriculation Diplomas — Julia Archer, Douglas Carswell, Herta Frazer, Ruth Johnston, John Hartt, Doris Hogle, Jackelle Jordan, J. Keane, Edith Lewis, Helen Mcintosh, Frank Stojan, John Stringer, Marion Wilson, Jean Woodworth.

Muriel Sickle won the Shurie Young Memorial Cup for Physical Proficiency; Harold Carswell the W. Clarence Trophy, Grade XI; General Proficiency, Norman Denmery the N. J. McNair, General Proficiency for Grade XII, and Frank Stojan the E. A. Simmons Trophy, Character, Leadership, Athletics and Scholarship.

Refreshments and dancing followed the commencement exercises.

So They Say

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BIRTH

DORSEY — At Belleville on Thursday, January 18th., 1945, to Sgt. and Mrs. F. J. Dorsey, a son, Francis Michael.

SCOTT — At the Guelph Hospital on February 2nd., 1945, to Lieut. and Mrs. Gordon Scott, a son. A brother for Dannie.

DEATHS

WILSON — At Harold, Ontario, on Saturday, February 3rd., 1945, Lewis Wilson, beloved husband of Clara Linn, in his 58th. year. The funeral will take place from his late residence on Tuesday, February 6th., at 2.30 p.m. Interment 2.00 p.m. Interment Burnbrae cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

KELLY — In fond and loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Lorraine Kelly, who departed this life so suddenly on February 2nd., 1944.

Sadly missed, their loving home.

It would no more return:
That she in death so soon would sleep,
And leave us here to mourn.
You are not forgotten mother, dear,
As long as life endures,
Our memory is as dear today
As the hour we passed away.
—Ever remembered by Husband, Daughters, Sons and Grandchildren.

SANFORD—In loving memory of a dear mother Mrs. Louise Sanford, who departed this life early 5th., 1944.

Nothing but memories as we journey on.
Longing for her face and smiles that are gone.
—Ever remembered by her daughter Pauline and family.

POLISH COUNCIL

(Continued From Page One)

expressed in international conference and there has been seen the attitude of the major powers. We don't think anyone will interfere with it.

He added that the question of the Trentino was, in 1919, a mining district annexed by Poland from Austria-Hungary, but he left it to take up in "friendly negotiations."

Complete Expansion

Premier Mikolajczyk made it plain his government would complete Poland's expansion to the Oder from its mouth to southern Brandenburg, and along the Neisse where it falls into the Oder some 30 miles south of Frankfurt to the foot of the Sudeten mountains.

In East Prussia "the distribution of Germans will be left to the conditions there will determine the frontier," he said.

He reiterated the northern sector of East Prussia, including Konigsberg, would probably fall within the borders of the Lithuanian Soviet Republic and the remainder to be taken by Poland.

Premier Edward B. Conhka-Bedzkowski of Poland, speaking at the press conference, said that at his last meeting with Premier Stalin and chief in Moscow "I asked him about support of Poland's policy regarding the Oder and he replied it was obvious."

Labor Leader

Bierut, who had moved the presidential government to Lublin after the Warsaw metropolitan area within the previous 24 hours, seems not unduemphasized the importance of the reconstruction task facing Poland.

He asserted it is "Utopian" to to speak of rebuilding Warsaw in the near future with 150,000 German prisoners of war.

That to clear away the debris will require more than a year, and that Warsaw will be rebuilt "only in many years. Since Warsaw is one of Europe's greatest cities of culture and science it is the most appropriate if other cultural nations participated in the reconstruction."



COLLEGIATE NEWS

ASSEMBLY

The Fight That Failed:

The feature of our assembly this week was a swift-moving story concerning a propaganda war waged by the axis powers in winning over the minds of their people to the doctrines of totalitarianism. The film went on to show how this war is being won by armies of men who think for themselves.

It Will Be Heart to Stay Away:

Nobody was surprised to hear that the Library Club would present an announcement. A mild ripple of interest seemed through the audience as a large Valentine walked on the steady feet. Necks began to crane as the huge placard stood silently in the centre of the stage but the climax came when a dimpled head burst through the centre of the sign to say that the Library Club would present a real old Could Tea Dance with all the trimmings on Wednesday, February 18, 1942. There is a shortage of standing room in the girls' gym on that occasion.

W. J. B.

COMING EVENTS

National Health Week:

Monday, February 9th to Friday, February 20.

Monday, February 9th:

This is a comparatively quiet day, although the girls' interform basketball rivalry starts with XIIIA tangling with XIIIB while XIIIA and XIIIB battle it out in the second game at one o'clock.

The remainder of the week interform games are as follows:

Tuesday noon—XC vs. XD and XIIC vs. XIIB.

Wednesday noon—XIIC vs. XIID and XE vs. XF.

Thursday noon—XA vs. XC and XIA vs. XIIA.

These games are productive of some very exciting basketball as those who have their dinner at school are very fortunate to be able to be present. I think there are very few who go home who could not be back in time for the second game at one o'clock.

Tuesday, February 10th:

Here is your first chance to see either of your favourite basketball teams in action and you can see both of them. In the girls' gym VC Senior vs. Trenton at 4:30 and 7:00 p.m. and in the boys' gym at 4:30 Senior Boys vs. Trenton. As you all know by now, both B.C.I. teams usually starts both against Albert College and both on Albert floor. This is one of you who know the Albert floor will thus appreciate the fact that you have good basketball on the floor at school this year. There are not many who can afford the time and the money for the price of admission is to be reduced to 25c. Come, one and all to the gyms to the roof. We did it last year and look what happened. We won. It can happen twice, very easily. P.S. the capacity of the galleries is approximately 300.

Wednesday, February 11th:

The assembly program this week is dedicated to National Health Week. A number of boys in this school have given much of their spare time during this week and have made the program a success. A class of girls, under the direction of Miss Morton, will also be on hand with a display of Tuesday's gym periods to perform for us on the parallel bars, the trampoline, the first time that this year the pyramids will go up for the school. Other boys will put on the gloves and go to it and still others will give a demonstration of professional wrestling. In addition there will be films on high jumping and pole-vaulting. And that's not all. For Dr. O. S. Cronk, our Medical Health Officer, is giving of his time to come to us as guest speaker. Any of the general public who would like to hear Dr. Cronk or who are interested in this grand program are cordially invited to be present with us in the assembly next Wednesday morning.

A Valentine Tea Dance sponsored by the Library Club will be held today at four in the girls gym. During the past Year the Library Club has given much to the school. It's our turn now to help them. So come to the tea dance, bring along your Valentine and enjoy yourself to the soft music and soft drinks.

Thursday, February 5th:

Another double header. This time it's hockey. At the Hume Arena the B.C.I. Seniors meet Albert Seniors and our Juniors stack up against the Albert Juniors. Both games are fighting for a place in the win column and we figure what they need most of all is some support. So turn out. The weather is getting milder and anyway you'll probably get so hot over the games you won't notice the cold.

The school week ends quietly on Friday, February 6th.

V. C. M.

BOYS' SPORTS

Basketball.

Last Monday, in a game that was very late setting underway, our Juniors bowed to a team from Picton in the first game of the season by the score of 21-20. The game was fairly fast throughout and but for some loose checking on the part of our team, the score might have been vastly different. Inability to hang the ball cleanly after penetrating the Picton zone, spell defeat for our boys and they were forced to very poor basketball. Picton led 16-10. However, in the second half our team opened up and for a while it looked as if the game of play outscored Picton 10-5, but it was not sufficient to win. The game was very thrilling to watch, especially in the closing minutes of play, when B.C.I. fought desperately to score that winning basket. Unable to locate the net, a stout Picton defence. Inexperience was largely responsible for the defeat as five of the Juniors had never played basketball before this year. The Juniors have from now until Feb. 18 to get ready for their next game, which is with the strong Albert College team. Alan Laverdure, Hepburn and Lipson were high scorers for Picton, while Jack Fleming and "Silver" Cameron together with Bowman and Sheridan for Bayside and Vaughan, fought hard to play their best. The referee in the game was the work of Don Shore who did a commendable job, keeping score from a position seldom too up of a table.

J. Seniors Defeat Albert 36-16.

On Tuesday, our Senior boys, defending champions of the Inter-City Quinte C.O.S.S.A. upset the experts by defeating Albert on their own floor by a 36-16 score. The method used has been accomplished since the Albert Playing Coach-Referee game, and moreover with only six players dressed, our Seniors made their toughest game of the season to date. This win to credit can be given to any individual, for this victory, as the team played smooth as a unit, to end up the night as the final whistle.

Congratulations our Seniors engage Trenton in our first home game of the season on the Albert floor and the students will continue their wholehearted support of this accidentally approximately twenty students will be on hand to support the Seniors, and this was really appreciated by the fellows.

Hockey.

Last Thursday one of our Junior boys' teams lost to Albert College by a score of 3-2. Lois Pritchard was the benefit of any practice our boys were not seen at it much of late and when the best of the thirty candidates have been picked from into a team, we feel sure they will give a good account of themselves.

-O.'B.

GIRLS' SPORT NEWS

Friday, January 30th., 1 P.M.

An exhibition game of basketball was played by the Senior and Junior girls with the Seniors emerging the winners with a score of 10-8. Shirley Marinoff was high scorer on the Senior team while Faye Campbell and Lois Pindlott getting the honors for the Juniors. Passing was well done on both teams.

Monday, January 26th

Junior Girls Out-Lucked:

The opening game of the Junior Girls C.O.S.S.A. opened in the girls gym with B.C.I. Juniors playing Picton. Juniors were defeated by B.C.I. but only by a score of 13-10. Our Juniors were in good form but were outlucked, outplayed. Passing on both teams was exceptionally well done. Lois Pritchard was the spearhead for the B.C.I. Juniors getting 6 points in all. Mary Tupnase and Dorothy Flintoft worked in well on some neat plays but could not chalk up any points, while Betty Holway and Faye Campbell helped their team's cause considerably. Louella Homan starring on defence but unfortunate. Assistance was rendered by Ruth Johns, Katherine Mills and Suzy Gordon.

For Picton Juniors, Gretta Arcott was the star with 10 points, followed by Marion Young with 4, Rosemary Dingman and Catherine Miller displayed some very neat passing and guarding.

Lineups:

Juniors — Greta Arcott 7, Marion Young 1, Jean Bongard, Ruth Thomas, Helen Bongard, Rose Bell, Jean Lloyd.

B.C.I. — Lois Flindall 4, Betty Holway 2, Mary Tupnase 4, Dorothy Tupnase, Dorothy Flintoff, Louella Homan, Ruth Johns, Katherine Mills, Eleanor Legate.

Referee: Miss F. Albert College.

The first game of the Senior Girls C.O.S.S.A. opened in the girls gym defeating Albert College with a score of 18-12. B.C.I. took the lead in the first quarter and were never headed. Shirley Marinoff, Elsie Smith, Betty Holway and Faye Campbell helped her team considerably but was not able to register any points.

Albert College — Elinor Wilse, Peggy Fairbairn, Helen Hodgson, Mildred Harley, Ruth Hagerman, Phyllis Hagerman, Dorothy Jean Warner, Betty Ransom, Dorothy Yates, Dorothy Yates.

B.C.I. — Shirley Marinoff, Elizabeth Keeler, Margaret Taylor, Shirley Bunnett, Molly Cann, Alice Bongard, Elsie Smith, Elinor Pindlett, Ruth Blatchenwy, Nancy Hunter, Elizabeth Watt, Vera Pindlett, Georgina Fox.

Interform Basketball.

The games this year are to be played at the Albert floor and are in full size after four. There are very valuable referees who have undertaken the Basketball Officials Course directed by Mrs. Morton. Each referee will be in charge of all already. There will be a list of the winners in the next week's news.

M. T.

OUR SCHOOL LIFE

Chapter 1 — Grade IX

Well, so you finally finished elementary school and now you've officie hung high on the wall; so you spend one glorious summer in celebration and then settle down solemn in our thriving establishment where you are confronted out almost yearly); so you feel in high spirits; so you're all keen and know then what fate held in store for you.

Now my attitude won't be misunderstood. I'm not trying to damp your spirits, not by a long shot! But everyone who went through first year high knows exactly what I mean.

When you left public school you were a big fish in a little pond and much to your surprise and dismay you find that you're a little fish in a big pond. You're given no individual consideration and you're lost in the crowd. You're a unit, to end up by the end of the year as the final whistle.

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What Red Cross Means

In the reports of the Belleville branch of the Canadian Red Cross given at the annual meeting last week could be gathered a very fine impression of the great work which that organization has been performing. They give a story of public service which is an inspiration not only to every citizen in furthering the war effort but to every citizen to make use of the opportunity to render service wherever and whenever the need and opportunity arise. That the opportunity should be everyone is clear from a study of the Red Cross and other societies of a public service character.

No organization can render and none renders more important service in wartime. This society has many undertakings, support of the blood clinic, liaison work concerning prisoners of war and casualties, the comforting of war brides from overseas, and many social problems. The Red Cross has spread out and has its ramifications in the form of organizations in churches, in schools and women's institutes, all working towards the one ideal of the Red Cross. It has enlisted the services of all ages of life and some of the finest stories of war effort can be told through the Red Cross work. There is heroism of every real type shown in all of this work and the finest sense of patriotism. One has but to note the hundreds of tons of parcels sent to Toronto headquarters totalling 10,254 articles, including knitted comforts, civilian clothing, hospital supplies, quilts and afghans and leather goods. Grenfell Jams. Into this labor have been put much patience and devotion by the great number of persons interested in this class of activity of the society.

Branches of the society in the rural areas rendered effective service in the preparation and gifts of jam and honey.

Blood Donor Clinic was shown to have 7,286 donors, the donors from the county districts of Prince Edward and Hastings counties being highly praised for their tireless efforts on behalf of this cause. It was good news that the report could say while there was a small number of city blood donors there was improvement shown in this regard. Men in the R.C.A.F. had been generous in support of the clinic.

The Red Cross whose activities know really no limit has a devoted membership of men and women in the varied activities of the society. From President Duff to the last member the year's work is a cheering record of achievement in devoted attention to every opportunity which rises. The work is on a voluntary basis and merits appreciation on the part of everyone in the community. It is a work of humanity that the Red Cross serves in war and peace, it is tireless, devoted and humanitarian to the last degree.

It is an encouraging sign to see so many associated with this work, going out of their way to do their utmost on behalf of those who need the ministrations of the Red Cross in the wide world at war and also in cases, at home.

Frantic Hun Appeal

Inhabitants of Berlin have been urged by German propagandists to follow the example of the Russians at Stalingrad and the Poles at Warsaw and refuse to surrender.

It sounds strange to read of this advice in the mouths of the German leaders who tried to crush those very places, Stalingrad and Warsaw, because they refused to surrender. It is remembered that some time ago the sky began to look dark for the enemy, the people of Germany were told that they should rise to the call of defence of Germany as the people of Britain had done against Hun bombing.

First of all, Stalingrad and Warsaw defied the Huns successfully, and Britain hurled back the Luftwaffe four and a half years ago with such success that the air force of Goering never again attempted to win by the air over Britain.

These three great cities were fired by the love of country and liberty and of the right to defend their cause of living their own life without the interference of the Huns. London, Stalingrad and Warsaw knew their cause was just and fought the fight for all the world.

Anyway the Huns cannot emulate the United Nations for German ways are not our ways.

Londoners, Poles and Russians are not like Germans. Though the Allies were up against fearful odds at the time through sheer force of their courage and spirit they triumphed and the course of the war to-day is to a large degree the sequel of those great Allied victories over Hitler in past years. Germany is losing and really has lost the war and no appeal to defend Berlin can succeed whether the time of its fall be soon or later. Germany is swiftly driving for military catastrophe. Germany is going down because modern Germany is an evil thing from the free nations know it must be crushed as evil is crushed in society before the world can be safe and freedom can go forward securely on its noble way.

Fascinating Story of Fire

(From the New York Times)

The conquest of fire was one of the great achievements of man. Sit and watch the glow of a log, the slow flame curling upward on the hearth, and you are seeing in the embers many centuries of forgotten history.

There must have been four stages in this story, four long and misty chapters. At first, fire was a natural phenomenon, to be feared and perhaps appeased: Lightning was fire, and there was fire in volcanoes.

Man, like the animals around him, fled from such fire to save his life. But, being a man, he pondered on it, learned about it. And thus came the second stage, when man took fire for himself and fed it and tamed it. His animal enemies still feared it, and thus fire gave man a strength he otherwise lacked. His fists were no match for horns and claws, but a torch made him for a time the equal of the tiger. It made reasonably safe his home, whether it was a cave or a cairn, and he could settle down in one place.

The next step is perhaps the most fascinating of all. Man learned to make fire at will. He struck two stones together and made a spark. He rubbed some dried timber and created a coal. That was the first great discovery, the primal invention. It was the turning point in human history, for without fire of his own man might not have gone the way of the dinotosaurus. Instead he looked into the flames of his own making and saw the future there. Out of those flames came whatever of civilization we have thus far achieved. That was the fourth step, the use of fire.

The verb is wrong. That is the fourth step. We are still learning how best to use our fires. Otherwise we should not watch the hearth flame and wonder how civilized we really are.

From "Hardtack" to Frozen Foods

(Christian Science Monitor)

A short three-quarters of a century ago, seamen who sailed across the ocean wide went on a diet of hardtack and other equally imperishable fare about as soon as they had lost sight of land. Nor did the soldier on distant shore eat like a king.

Today both fare far better. Indeed, they do all right. For the War Department has just announced construction of a new type of refrigerator ship to carry armies of forces into the seven seas, busily making ice cream, and bearing tons of frozen foods.

Furthermore, the machinery can make five tons of just plain ice a day. Sixty-four carloads of frozen meats can be maintained at 122-degree temperature aboard each barge, and there is, in addition, room for 500 tons of refrigerated vegetables, dairy products, and other fresh foods.

Every American thinks "there's nothing too good for the boys," but whoever invented this ingenious barge has made the phrase really mean something.

Britain Has 7,000 "Controls"

(London Evening News)

Controls set up during this war now number some 7,000, most of them made under the „Emergency Powers Act. This Act restricts you and me every day, almost every moment, in fact.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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ILL-WILL

Ill-will and hate are poisons vile
In that they run so long a while.
And, in his memory, all too long,
Freeze man's remembrance of a wrong.

Man takes from friends and strangers near
A thousand favors through the year,
Which, by the morrow, he'll forget,
Thinking a "Thank You" squared the debt.

Stung by a real or fancied slight,
He'll toss upon his bed at night
Or lie in wait for years to find
Some way to pay it back in kind.

How strange it is that men contrive
To keep the little wrongs alive
And let, as time goes winging by,
The little acts of kindness die.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Things are sure different now—in the old days when she walked by we hardly noticed the cigarettes!"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 5th., 1925

The patrons of Massassaga Cheese factory met recently and appointed Mr. Ed. Simmons as president and Mr. J. Broad was appointed secretary-treasurer.

Mr. Charles Bonniset of this city has left to visit his daughter, Mrs. Peter Bates at Bowling Green, Kentucky. He will also visit relatives in Toronto and Kalamazoo, Mich.

Mrs. Anson Tucker and daughter, Gertrude, have arrived home after spending three months with her sister, Mrs. Ellwyn Lamo, at Minot, North Dakota.

Mr. Charles E. Panna, M.P., for West Hastings, accompanied by Mrs. Panna and daughters, Rosella and Jennie, left yesterday for Ottawa to attend the opening of Parliament.

30 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 5th., 1915

Mr. Hector J. Poste of the Ritchie store is in New York city on a business trip for the store.

Mrs. Edward Ling and daughter left today to spend the balance of the Winter in St. Louis, Mo.

At a meeting of the members of the fire committee in connection with the city council, which was held last evening, Captain William J. Brown, of No. 1 Company, was recommended to be appointed Chief to succeed the late Chief William Meagher. Mr. R. Symons was recommended to fill the position of Captain of No. 1 Company to be vacated by Captain William Brown, should he become Chief. Captain Brown has been identified with the fire department for many years and he is in every way capable of performing the duties of Chief.

40 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 5th., 1905

An exciting hockey match was played here last evening between the Quick & Robertson team and the Sinclair Store team. Many spectators were present and enjoyed the game. Quick and Robertson won.

Mr. W. Pepper acted as referee to the satisfaction of all. The following composed the teams: Sinclair store: Thompson, Meyer, Wallace, Simmonds, Moore, Burns and Dullmage. Quick & Robertson team: Hampton, Luscombe, Clarke, Dullin, Reeves, Manning and Hassett.

May is now selling at $7.50 to $8 per ton.

It is expected that cheese will be the high price during the coming summer.

50 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 5th., 1895

The season of Lent will begin on the 27th. inst.

The city auditors are at work on the city treasurer's books.

Ald. Luscombe of the city has been awarded the contract to tear down the walls of the burned St. Andrew's Church in this city and to clear away the debris. The building of the new church will begin soon.

The thermometer registered 17 degrees below zero last night.

Mr. C. S. Laidlaw and Mr. Ward H. Cutler, of the staff of the Bank of Montreal, here, spent yesterday with friends in Kingston.

YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

PRESIDENT IMPEACHED

President Andrew Johnson was impeached in 1868 by the House of Representatives and tried by the Senate, but he was not convicted.

The House, organized as a committee of the whole, attended the trial in a body. The Senate, organized as a court of impeachments, to try the President, voted on only three of the eleven articles exhibited against Johnson.

On each of the three articles the Senate voted 35 yeas and 19 nays—one short of the two-thirds required by the Constitution to convict. The Senate then voted 74 to 16 to adjourn sine die, and the articles were sent to the effect that Johnson be, and he is, acquitted of the charges.

Senator James W. Grimes, of Iowa, who had suffered a paralytic stroke in the course of the trial, was carried from his sick bed to the Senate chamber to vote "not guilty."

Senator Edmund G. Ross, of Kansas, is often given credit for saving the day for Johnson. He had been very critical of the President, but the Radical Republicans confidently expected him to vote for conviction. When the last ballot he voted "not guilty."

When the President of the United States is impeached the Chief Justice of the United States presides over the Senate during the trial. Salmon P. Chase, who had been appointed Chief Justice by Lincoln, presided over the Senate trial of the impeachment when Johnson was tried.

Under the statutes then in force the President Pro Tempore of the Senate would succeed to the presidency in the event there was no President or Vice President. Johnson had succeeded to the presidency upon Lincoln's assassination. Senator Benjamin Wade, of Ohio, had been elected President Pro Tempore of the Senate and accordingly would have succeeded to the presidency in the event of the president's conviction and removal from office.

Wade's right to take part in the proceedings was challenged on the ground that he was an "interested party." The Senators present were evenly divided on the question, but Chief Justice Chase, though not a member of the Senate, took the position that he was a member of the court of impeachments and voted to break the tie in favor of Wade's right to be sworn in and to vote. The right of Wade to vote was unsuccessfully challenged.

Wade, like Johnson, believed he was so sure that Johnson would be convicted and removed from the presidency that he had begun to select the members of his cabinet. It is supposed that Wade's personal unpopularity caused some Senators who preferred Johnson to him, to vote for acquittal.

House Enemies Of Henry Wallace Still Working

Washington, Feb. 5 (AP) — Prospects of Henry A. Wallace becoming secretary even of a bob-tailed commerce department were dimmed today following a developing coalition of opponents in the House of Representatives.

By an intricate manoeuvre, a combination of Republicans and a segment of southern Democrats which often dominates the House in its key votes, succeeded to scuttle the George Bill. This would force a direct Senate confirmation of Wallace as head of commerce including the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and other loaning agencies.

Democratic congress leaders believed, would result in outright rejection by the Senate of the Vice-President for the Commerce post.

However, Senator Walter George (Dem., Ga.), author of the Senate-approved bill divorcing the loan agencies from commerce department, expressed the hope the measure would become law without amendments.

Friends of Wallace joined in support of the George bill when it became evident he could not be confirmed. They argued that as the loan agencies remained a part of the commerce department.

The House Banking Committee will take up the George bill tomorrow.

Fifth Army Troops Occupy Gallicano In Serchio Valley

Rome, Feb. 5 (AP) — Fifth Army troops have occupied Gallicano in the Serchio valley, 7 miles east of the Italian west coast against only slight enemy opposition, Allied headquarters announced today.

Other advances were made along the northern Adriatic coast and inland, but in December when the German counter-offensive was launched in the direction of Lucca.

In the central front area south and southwest of Bologna strong 5th. Army raiding patrols ran into considerable enemy opposition. Casualties were suffered on both sides, but a number of Germans were captured.

No activity was reported from the British 8th. Army sector on the Adriatic side of Italy.

The Mediterranean Allied tactical air force yesterday continued its attacks on communications junctions in Northern Italy, with concentrated attacks on bridges and transport.

Fox Stages Come-Back

Ontario is being invaded, quietly and unobtrusively, by an animal known as the grey fox. While man, the grey fox was a common animal throughout Ontario. It is now found from the bones found in pre-historic Indian village sites. It disappeared from our area. Its range almost accidentally became known. It has been absent from early historic times until recently.

Twenty years ago the gray fox population began to increase and spread again. The Royal Ontario Museum received its first specimen in 1942. Subsequently others were secured and the front of the question is now how far to the north. St. Lawrence to Lake-of-the-Woods? Only time will tell whether successful this animal will be in re-establishing in the north.

The coat of the gray fox has a salt and pepper mixed effect and the tip of the tail is black. These features will distinguish it from the red fox in any of its phases. The Museum will appreciate information from readers to increase knowledge of the gray fox in Ontario.

WHY INSECTS MOULT

Insects do not increase in size in the adult or winged stage. This means that a small fly or other adult insect never develops into a larger one. Growth takes place entirely in immature stages, during which most of the feeding is done. In the growth of all insects the body but not the skin of the immature insect enlarges, with the result that the dermal covering (integument) becomes tighter. This finally splits, and the developing insect crawls out covered by a soft and delicate membranous skin. This is known as a moult. Most insects moult about three to five times during the period of growth. Following the last moult, the adult appears full grown, equipped with legs, wings, and other appendages.

CHIEF TEXTILE FIBERS

The principle textile fibres are wool, cotton, silk, flax, and rayon. Wool is the warmest and goes back to pre-historic times. Cotton was produced nearly 5,000 years ago and linen from flax was woven in Egypt at a still earlier date. Silk was produced in China over 5,000 years ago, while rayon, the baby textile, was first produced commercially only 60 years ago.

NON-FLAMMABLE WOOL

London (CP) — Plans are being made by the wool industry to further perfect processes to "take the sting out of fire" in wool and woven textiles, upholstery, clothes and carpets moth-proof and non-shrinkable.

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

KNOW THE GOLDEN RULE OF HYGIENE.

Research workers, subsidized perhaps by commercial interests, from time to time report their observations that the air and various surfaces in a hospital ward or in a sickroom are contaminated by bacterial strains which are recognized as a frequent cause of serious acute respiratory infection.

That is interesting in a scientific way, but does not attempt to explain epidemics or even casual instances of such infection.

Even without discounting the evidence to allow for the possible bias by publicity, this has tinged much modern "medical science I won't for the life of me comprehend why a hospital ward, a sickroom, a dentist's office, a surgical operating room or any other room should be equipped with gadgery for ultra-violating the atmosphere or for vaporizing or spraying with some germicidal germ killer.

Attempts to disinfect the air or surfaces or furniture or bedcovers can have little if any influence on the spreading of respiratory infection. The virus or germ of the disease is present in the moisture sprayed from the nose and mouth when the person with the infection coughs, sneezes or talks. Invisibly the droplets of moisture, which contain the germs or virus, fall upon the face, lips, nose or mouth of the victim who happens to be in the spray range—unless a suitable mask is worn by one or both persons to prevent the droplet spreading.

Even if ultraviolet light or propylene glycol vapor in the air kills bacteria, it does not destroy all the bacteria or virus in such moisture droplets can be so destroyed by the sunlight. You know what are in the air.

Jacking up the barrier is no convincing evidence that respiratory infections including pneumonia, influenza, scarlet fever, measles, pulmonary tuberculosis, epidemic sore throat, infantile paralysis, smallpox, influenzas and other less serious diseases, will be reduced in number or communicable disease of any kind, is the height of folly. We know all of these respiratory infections, particularly the mild "common cold" or "flu" childhood gets a bad break) are spread almost entirely by droplet infection, droplets, and only rarely if at all through direct contact with infected persons or indirectly by the germs or virus.

So we can be no longer negative ourselves or our neighbors about this. If we are honest about it we must admit that it is a reprehensible offence for a person with any coming illness of this kind to associate with other persons unless he wears a mask—and lest you assume I am clearly apply to you let me explain that by any on-coming illness of this kind any indisposition you may wish to think or wish your associates to think is "just a little cold."

The golden rule of hygiene is: "Your suffering is your own affair" and not remain isolated when you have any such illness.

QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

Bed-Wetting

How can I break my two-year-old son of bed-wetting? (Capt. C. L.)

Answer—First, keep it confidential—don't discuss it in the presence of the child and other people. Second, remember it is not abnormal and more or less insignificant in a child under three years of age. Third, by kindness, persuade the child, by patience, suitable training, by encouragement and never scolding or embarrassment, to want to remain dry he will stop wetting. Send stamped envelope requesting booklet, or pamphlet "The Bed-Wetting Habit."

Eighteen to Sixteen

Thank you so much for your advice. I have followed your instructions, they did help some three months and have reduced from a size 18 to size 16 dress. I never did so much sheer vim and joy in living as I do now. (Mrs. J. C.)

Answer—That, or something like it, should be expected. If the reduction is not excessive. On request (written, not a clipping) I will send booklet entitled "Weight Control" who provides stamped self addressed envelope, I will send you the pamphlet "How to Lose Weight."

Humidity

Use sprayer with vacuum, spraying a fine water mist, keep temperature at 70 degrees. Is that recommend this? (Mrs. B. C.)

Answer—Yes, but not economical. But I do recommend keeping the humidity of the air between 40 and 50. Methods are described in pamphlet on "Humidification" which I request you provide stamped self addressed envelope.

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150	51.51	26.33	17.91	13.74	11.24	
200	68.68	35.11	23.91	18.34	14.99	
300	103.01	52.66	35.88	27.50	22.48	
400	137.35	70.21	47.84	36.66	29.98	
500	171.69	87.76	59.80	45.84	37.47	
600	206.03	105.32	71.77	55.00	44.97	$34.95
700	240.37	122.87	83.73	64.18	52.46	40.77
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SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Jean Nickle suffered a broken ankle while skating on Sunday afternoon.

Pte.-Lieut. Ted Lee left Saturday for the East Coast, where he has received a posting.

Miss Joanne Fahey, nurse-in-training at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, spent the weekend at her home, Mr. John Street.

Pte. Raymond Worrell has returned to Camp Borden, after spending a leave at his home on Station Street.

Mrs. George V. Bamber, of Frankford, attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Mary Sibley, in Belleville, on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parks, of Kingston, spent the weekend at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Worrell, Station Street.

Mrs. L. P. Lake, 261 Sidney St., received flowers for her birthday from her daughter, Mrs. Lake, who is serving with the 3rd Infantry Division at an Eastern port.

WEDDINGS

GREEN—RAWSON

A very lovely February wedding was solemnized on Saturday, the 7th third, at four o'clock in the afternoon in Christ Church when Margaret Joyce Rawson, W.R.C.N.S., Ottawa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rawson, became bride of Petty Officer Frank Louis Green, R.C.N.V.R., Halifax, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Green.

The Rev. J. Grant Sparling officiated at the ceremony against an impressive floral background of yellow daffodils. Miss Ruth Calvert presided at the console of the organ.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was radiantly attired in a long gown of white lace, fashioned exquisitely in long torso effect and with sweetheart neckline, long tight fitting sleeves and full sweeping skirt. She wore a dainty Dutch cap of lace from which fell a cape length veil of tulle. She carried an arm bouquet of pink Delight roses.

Miss Corrine Walmsley, as maid of honour, was wearing an attractive dress of aquamarine blue sheer, made with high rounded neckline and long tight sleeves. Her headdress was coronet shaped, accentuated with flowers and fitted the shoulder length veiling. She carried a Colonial bouquet of Briarcliff roses, carnations, stevia and forget-me-nots.

Miss Ila Green, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. Her gown was rose taffeta, fashioned on princess lines and with long torso bodice and puffed sleeves. Both her headdress and her bouquet were similar to those of the maid of honour.

Marian Rawson was a very pretty junior bridesmaid in her frock of orchid taffeta and matching Dutch bonnet. She carried a nosegay of Christmas roses, stevia and heather.

Mr. Harry Green of Peterborough, was groomsman, and the ushers were Leading Aircraftsman Donald Atkinson and Photographer Andy Spiten, R.C.A.F., Ottawa.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

The mother of the bride chose a wine crepe ensemble, complemented with black accessories and corsage of Talisman roses. The groom's mother wore a two-piece crepe gown in mauve shade, black accessories and corsage of Talisman roses.

On the wedding trip to Detroit and Chicago, the bride donned her naval uniform.

Out-of-town guests were present from Montreal, Ottawa and Peterborough.

Women Teachers Hold Bridge Party For Minesweepers

The Belleville Women's Teachers' Federation sponsored a bridge party in Queen Victoria School on Friday evening in aid of the Naval Minesweepers' Auxiliary. The guests were received by Miss Irene Grills, Miss Hildegarde Mailwell, Mrs. Lillian Lafontaine, Miss Beatrice Wallbridge, Miss Daisy Young and Mr. A. C. Wilkes, principal of Queen Victoria School.

Before bridge playing had commenced, the guests were welcomed and thanked for their support and co-operation by the President, Miss Olive Elson. The prizes and posters used were made by the art classes of Queen Alexandra and Queen Victoria Schools under the direction of Miss Lillian Hart and Miss Hilda Burley. The fees were collected in a miniature minesweeper made by Mr. George Wallace.

Bridge prizes were won by Mrs. C. H. Hyde and Mr. A. Bishop. Refreshments were served by members of the Federation, and the evening closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Women's Activities

HOLLOWAY STREET CHURCH W.M.S.

The W.M.S. of Holloway Street Church held its regular meeting on Thursday afternoon. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Reid presided and opened the meeting. The treasurer's report showed a most gratifying beginning for the year's work. The other various reports were present and showed much activity in the Society. Worthy of special mention is the Community Friendship work and the C.G.I.T. The leaders of these groups should be commended on the results of their untiring efforts. Business arising from the minutes was then discussed. Mrs. McMurray and Mrs. Stephen were chosen as representatives on the C.G.I.T. Work Board, which is being formed in the city. The Offering was received and dedicated.

Mrs. Cordes, leader of Group 3, then took the chair, the theme of worship service being "The Kingdom of God in our Midst." After call to worship, the hymn "O God of Bethel", was sung, responsive reading was used, followed by prayer by Mrs. Denton. Another hymn "All Hail the Power" followed in splendour", was sung. Mrs. Mason led in prayer. Chapter three and four of "West of the Dale Line", were very ably rendered by Mrs. Lee-Hamilton and Mrs. Weese.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Cordes.



Wife Preservers

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Vice President—Beatrice McFarlane.
Secretary—Jean McMechan.
Treasurer—Mr. Riley Convenors—
Missions—Mrs. Riley.
Christian Fellowship — Mrs. T. Howard.
Citizenship —Mrs. Masters
Social—Miss Whiteman.
Pianist—Mrs. Riley.

Christ Church A.Y.P.A. Elects Officers

The temporary three-month executive of the Anglican Young People's Association of Christ Church fulfilled their term of office and held for a new election last Wednesday evening. Rev. J. Grant Sparling read the slate of officers suggested by the nominating committee, and called for further nominations.

Nominations and elections were held and spirited. Lloyd Gladwell was elected president for year 1942, with Helen Pinfold as vice president, Charles Staples as secretary and Agnes Wright as treasurer. Chairmen of the various committees are Arty Fry, Ki Waterhouse and Wally Muir.

The first meeting of the new executive will be a Valentine party for A.Y.P.A. members and their guests next week, plans for which were discussed at the meeting. More soon

Mrs. Sparling gave a sparkling talk on "Northern Nurse", as the R.C.A.F. posts in the Arctic regions of Canada, bringing forth hearty applause and the wish to hear more about his topic at some future date.

The evening closed with a short recreation period.

Fashion Flashes

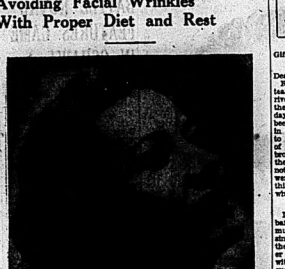
ANIMALS ARE NICE in design many of the new hats. A charming little sailor is of blonde straw braid woven with stripe of brown organdie, trimmed in front with a cluster of brown organdie flowers and brown veiling.

IT'S THE NAVY blues that lead in the color show for the smartest of Spring suits. Navy wool is used for a suit made with slim skirt and hip-length, boxy jacket with Mandarin neckline. The sort of suit that looks well with very simple or very elaborate accessories.

OF COURSE fussy negligees are pretty, but the average woman wants something more practical say buyers. Sure to be popular is a pretty robe in printed Jersey, American design in black on pale blue. It has notched revers, a satin belt, and fastens at the waist with two buttons. Soft gathers are released from either side of the waist, concealing slit pockets.

A DELICATE TOUCH marks motifs for print fabrics, and every thing is featured—from sugarse to zebras. Fan-tailed doves in black and white on a gray crepe ground is used for a pretty frock made with fan-pleated half-moons of the fabric outlining the deep oval neckline, sleeves and full peplum.

Avoiding Facial Wrinkles With Proper Diet and Rest



Irene Dunne believes in getting plenty of Rest.

By HELEN FOLLETT

THERE is one thing that a woman of forty would like to know and that is, how to avoid wrinkles. The best prescription perhaps is good health, a love of life, a kindly and sunny disposition.

Whether the flesh on the face is smooth or crinkled depends somewhat on inheritance, but more on and cares that weigh heavily on the heart. If one feels low, the lip ends droops; in time facial tissues sag because of depletion. The flesh falls into fine lines.

Countenances Alight.

If one is happy, the countenance is alight and alert; the muscles stay strong. It is not easy to control one's thoughts. But one should remember that there are our constant companions, with us every waking moment, and whether they are uplifting or depressing, we ourselves. We make them what they are.

A woman can have the most expensive beauty treatments, but she found on a round of beautyshops, but if she goes out of the door with a frown between her eyes, high.

BEAUTY By HELEN JAMESON

Probably there is no time in the life of a feminine mortal when she is so over-conscious of the size and appearance as she is between the ages of twelve and sixteen. In latter years she will either grow different. During adolescence she must be a carbon-copy of every other girl. Or so it seems. So of the crowd are wearing small pompadours and bowing fashion. It is nothing less than a tragedy if mama does her hair with a middle parting and two pigtails. Mama should not do it. A little girl is entitled to wear her hair according to the accepted mode. What does it matter to mama? Her daughter, in a few years, will be flying away from the home nest and, in time, mama will be a grandmother. She may remember the ugliest lane and wish she had given in.

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The Marry Go Round

POT-POURRI

Sometimes paying a girl compliments is like feeding an elephant peanuts; it takes so many to fill her up. In fact, she can go on swallowing them forever without getting indigestion.

Why is it a wolf can always find some romantic girl who will marry him, sterilize his children, make his peat, and call him her "precious lamb?" Girls are unpredictable!

(Advertisement found on the back of a yellow, old newspaper clipping.)

Sale of Twenty Thousand Yards of Summer Dress Silks, consisting of wide-width Satin, Silk Serge, Shantung Pongee, Printed Foulard, Chiffon Novelty Satin, Printed Crepe, Tubes Washable Silk—35 cents to 95 cents a yard. April 15th, 1912. (Ah, the Good Old Days.)

All that stands between a pretty girl and a top-flight movie star is the flight!

Lots of these hasty war-marriages have gone on the rocks although they were comfortable. Silly. There is nothing uncomfortable about satin. The boys prefer to see the girls in skirts; they all say so. Evidently, then, our young ladies do not dress to please our gentlemen friends. Women don't dress to please men either; they dress to please themselves. The fair woman, at the age of fourteen, is just asserting her rights as a designer.

And now, after this long introduction, we have a few suggestions to make to the freshman class in the fashion show.

Don't forget that plenty of soap and water is the life of your complexion. Never take a day's rest to bed with you. Have a thorough scrubbing if you use a complexion brush for the purpose, so much the better. Rinse in warm water, then in cold, dry gently, apply a little cold cream.

Be a little bit choosy about your fingernails. Laying on the red glow is not enough. Clean the earth with an orangewood stick every day; germs lurk there, ready to get you to action.

If you shampoo your own hair, instead of going to the beauty shop, use melted soap and rinse with the last pail of water or shower. Every particle of suds must be removed.

Finally, don't bore yourself beautifully; that is the only way to have chic and style.

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Pianist—Mrs. Riley.

Christ Church A.Y.P.A. Elects Officers

The temporary three-month executive of the Anglican Young People's Association of Christ Church fulfilled their term of office and held for a new election last Wednesday evening. Rev. J. Grant Sparling read the slate of officers suggested by the nominating committee, and called for further nominations.

Nominations and elections were held and spirited. Lloyd Gladwell was elected president for year 1942, with Helen Pinfold as vice president, Charles Staples as secretary and Agnes Wright as treasurer. Chairmen of the various committees are Arty Fry, Ki Waterhouse and Wally Muir.

The first meeting of the new executive will be a Valentine party for A.Y.P.A. members and their guests next week, plans for which were discussed at the meeting. More soon

Mrs. Sparling gave a sparkling talk on "Northern Nurse", as the R.C.A.F. posts in the Arctic regions of Canada, bringing forth hearty applause and the wish to hear more about his topic at some future date.

The evening closed with a short recreation period.

Fashion Flashes

ANIMALS ARE NICE in design many of the new hats. A charming little sailor is of blonde straw braid woven with stripe of brown organdie, trimmed in front with a cluster of brown organdie flowers and brown veiling.

IT'S THE NAVY blues that lead in the color show for the smartest of Spring suits. Navy wool is used for a suit made with slim skirt and hip-length, boxy jacket with Mandarin neckline. The sort of suit that looks well with very simple or very elaborate accessories.

OF COURSE fussy negligees are pretty, but the average woman wants something more practical say buyers. Sure to be popular is a pretty robe in printed Jersey, American design in black on pale blue. It has notched revers, a satin belt, and fastens at the waist with two buttons. Soft gathers are released from either side of the waist, concealing slit pockets.

A DELICATE TOUCH marks motifs for print fabrics, and every thing is featured—from sugarse to zebras. Fan-tailed doves in black and white on a gray crepe ground is used for a pretty frock made with fan-pleated half-moons of the fabric outlining the deep oval neckline, sleeves and full peplum.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

Gift Packages Should be Opened at Shower.

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,—

Recently I received a "shower tea" given for a bride-to-be I arrived to find that the majority of the guest had arrived before the display before the party. These had been opened and were on display in one of the rooms for the guests to view when they departed. Some of the guests, including myself, brought their gifts with them when they came to the tea. These were not opened at all while the guests were there. Please let me know this procedure correct? If not, what is?

—S. T.

I am certainly as surprised and baffled at this procedure as you must have been! In the first place, since it is the general custom and the accepted procedure of a shower for the guests to bring their gifts with them to the party and for the guest of honor to open them at the shower, I don't understand why a majority of the guests, were apparently requested to bring their gifts the day before, while also apparently, others, including you, received no such request.

Occasionally, it's true, guests are requested to send their gifts a day or so before the shower .. for example, when the ladies wishes to wrap all the gifts in some special and similar way, perhaps to be grouped for the table centrepiece, but when this is done, all the guests are given this request, and even so, the gifts are not opened until the bride-to-be opens them.

To have the gifts already opened and on display when the guests arrive certainly, I think, takes from the shower its most dramatic and fun-inducing feature, the great joy of honor's opening the presents and exclaiming over their artful and artistic comments on them. And not even to have opened the gifts that were brought seems to me to show a lack of courtesy and appreciation. Even if on the guest of honor hadn't opened them, certainly the hostess herself has since apparently she had opened the ones sent before the party.

What is Wear at an Evening Wedding

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

My son is to be married soon in a large church now, at seven o'clock in the evening, with a reception following the ceremony. The bride is wearing a wedding gown and veil; the bridesmaid, a long gown; the bride's mother, an evening gown and my son and his best man are wearing tuxedos. Will you please tell me what I, the groom's mother, should wear?

— B. M.

You, the groom's mother, should wear the shade of costume that the bride's mother is to wear.

suggest that you immediately get in touch with her; so that you can plan your costume to be not only of the same type as her, but of a color that will harmonize with the color of her gown. You see, you, as the groom's mother, are the woman guest of honor at the wedding; therefore you sit in the first pew on the right of the aisle in the church (opposite the bride's mother in the first pew on the left of the aisle), and, at the reception, you will probably stand next to the bride's mother in the receiving line. So it is important that, at your son's formal wedding, you dress similarly to the bride's mother. And you should find out from her, too, if the denomination of the church in which the wedding is to be, requires that women wear head coverings in that church. (It is the responsibility of your son to send a corsage to you, to harmonize with your dress, and also one to his bride's mother.)

DECEMBER RED CROSS DONATIONS

Donations of Cash to Red Cross during December 1941:
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BOAT NOTION in the millinery world is the hat made with a veil that is bordered with velvet or ribbon embroidered in colored sequins or pearls and gold thread. This may be fastened to form a "dog-collar" at the neck or placed to form a hat crown band.

BUFFALO BISONS KNOCKED DOWN BY TWO DEFEATS

Cleveland Barons Move In Alongside Capitals on Top Rung of A.H.L.

Cleveland Barons, by defeating Buffalo Bisons 6-3 Saturday, moved right in alongside Indianapolis Capitals in the American Hockey League's top spot. Bisons, eastern division leaders, were left trailing by two points when they took a second defeat Sunday at the hands of Providence Reds, 4-1.

Hershey Bears split their week-end schedule, defeating Indianapolis 3-2 Sunday after dropping Saturday's game to Pittsburgh Hornets 4-2, Tuesday the Bears meet St. Louis Flyers in the only game scheduled.

Bisons arrived in Providence nine hours late Sunday due to transportation difficulties en route from Cleveland, and the game started a few minutes after midnight. Goalie Davidson scored for the visitors 2 minutes after the starting whistle, but from then on the game was all Reds. Manny Cotlaw, George Patterson, Germain Gagnon and Roger Caille scored for Providence.

At Indianapolis, the Bears came from behind twice to win their first victory over Capitals. Chuck Sherra scored the winner toward close of the second period, while Bill Gooden and Hal Cooper were the other Hershey scorers. Cliff Taylor and Dick Kowcinak counted for Indianapolis.—

Dede Klein put Pittsburgh ahead in the opening minute of Saturday's game as Hershey. Cooper tied the score midway through the frame but Marcel Pronovost put Hornets one up again before the period closed. Scores by Gracie in the second and Jimmy Jamieson in the third clinched the victory. Hynie Buller was Bears' other scorer.

At Cleveland the injury-riddled Buffalo Bisons took an early lead on a goal by Len Haldstrom but Barons' power play were evenly divided among Roy Kelly, Lou Trudell, Les Cunningham, Earl Dowdell, Tommy Burlington and Earl Batholome. Kenny Kilrea and Gordon Davidson tallied for Bisons.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

After arriving in London from Sweden, Gunder Haegg and Haakon Lidman, track stars who had been booked for a series of indoor track appearances in the United States, announced they would not now make last night announced they would have to return to Stockholm unless British wartime regulations were eased to permit early departure to New York.

The athletes learned they would have to be inoculated after which they would be required to stay 19 days in Great Britain, presumably for medical observation. The pair planned to arrife in the States Feb. 11.

To discourage gambling on baseball, President Frank J. Shaughnessy of the International League yesterday announced at New York he would forbid the announcement of the names of the next day's pitchers by any club manager.

Lloyd Evans of Montreal won the world championship trophy of the International Association of snowshoers when he cleared first in a 10-mile marathon race from Lorrettville to Quebec yesterday. Evans covered the distance in 59 minutes and 23 seconds. He was immediately followed by Elie Paquet of Lorrettville who made it in 59 minutes and 26 seconds.

Quebec was the scene over the week-end of an invasion of more than 2,000 snowshoers from various parts of Canada and the United States on occasion of the annual meeting here of the International Association of Snowshoers.

J. (Porky) Griffin, 18-year-old Montreal boy took first honors at Mont Tremblant, Que., yesterday in the classic Canadian ski derby race, taking the slopes in a field of 148 at a new record time of 3:25.4 Rex Sutherland of Montreal Ski Club, also a junior, was second with 3:36.5.

Rhona Wurtele of Montreal Pen-guins broke last of the women's section, her time being 3:59.

Former Fordham track star, Jim Rafferty captured the Wanamaker mile classic at the Millrose A.A. annual Millrose games in Madison Square Garden, New York, Saturday night. James Herbert of Michigan took the Met Sheppard mile feature for the fifth time since 1927. Don Kinzie, running for the RCAF, was second in the 60-yard high hurdles event.

The ice arena at Lindsay, Ont., was damaged by fire to the extent of $1,000 early Saturday morning, the cause of the outbreak being unknown. The arena was erected by the local Kiwanis Club in 1934.

CHAMP BUILDER

By Jack Sords



LAWSON ROBERTSON, IN HIS 30th YEAR AS COACH OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA TRACK TEAM

HE HAS PRODUCED SOME OF THE NATION'S OUTSTANDING TRACK STARS

BATTLE ROYAL FEATURES GAME IN OSHAWA

St. Catharines Defeat the Generals' and St. Mikes Swamp Galt

(By The Canadian Press)

St. Michael's College of Galt Red Wings a 14-3 hockey lesson Saturday in Section D, O.H.A. Junior "A" series to lead the league with 16 victories in 17 games or 32 points. At Oshawa, St. Catharines Falcons kept pace in the running for first place with a standing by handing Generals a 5-3 defeat in a game that was featured by a battle royal late in the final frame which resulted in a flock of penalties. The Falcons marched off the ice winning their 15th win in 17 appearances for 34 points, eight more than Galt in third spot.

Leo Gravelle was held for St. Mikes in the one-sided Toronto fixture, scoring no less than six goals, followed by Joe Sadler with three and Cliff Smith making two counters. Johnny Bhule, J. Thomson and Johnny McCormick joined in the general procession to the extent of one ally each. Galt's marksmen were Tim Meany, Art Nelson and Moe Beaau. The students rang up nine straight goals in the first two periods to find the net-minding through the second term.

St. Catharines led 1-0 in the first period at Oshawa and extended their lead to 3-1 in the second session, both sides scoring twice in the third round. Tom Reynolds and W. Stewart each hit the twine twice for Falcons, Les Peterson accounting for the single. For generals, Ferguson, Kay, Rochester and Fred Peturs notched the odd counter, Generals drawing a first penalty shot which stemmed from the rousing third-period fracas.

HULL VOLANTS DEFEAT QUEBEC

Ottawa, Feb. 5. (CP)—Hull Volants defeated Quebec Aces 3-1 here Saturday in Quebec Senior Hockey League fixture marked by the brilliant performance of Goalie Alec Wood, who kept Aces off the score sheet in the first period and held them to a single goal in the last, after Volants had tallied a pair of second-period counters.

The first period was scoreless, Gaston Carmichael tilted the first goal for Volants at 15:36 of the second period on a play in front of the Quebec net, Dupuis penalized and Dunc Cheyne participated. Larry Lafreboise clapped home a rebound and Jean Paul Denis three minutes later.

In the third period, Maurice Bastien boosted Volants' margin to three on an individual effort. Aces then put on a furious offensive, and Francis Gal scored for them five minutes before the game ended on a pass from Bill Robidoux.

BANCROFT LOSES FOURTH IN ROW

Bancroft, Feb. 5 — (Special) — The Bancroft Rockets lost their 4th game of the present hockey season, the against nine wins and a draw when they were overcome 7 to 3 by the Killaloe Shamrocks last week. The Bancroft lads seemed unorganized in the first period and allowed the opposition to score three in a row with Carty, Roche and Blake being the marksmen. All three goals came from scrambles in front of the net with the Rockets defence not were off the alert. In the second session the visitors continued to dominate the play to get in on the first few minutes when Kerr and Carpenter worked a neat passing play to get in on Beach with Carpenter being the marksman. The homesters seemed unable to cope with the visitors' passing plays and Kuchl, Blake and Fellbeaver counted in that order to raise the score to 6-1 in the visitors' favor to end the second canto. In the final period the Bancroft boys were unable to stride finally and continually held the Killaloe lads in their own end when five forwards were thrown to the fore. Wilkie notched one for the Shamrocks while Kavanagh let one go from the blue line that found an open corner and brought the Rockets' count to two. Killaloe presented youthful J. Beach in goal and he was a constant stumbling block to the Bancroft forwards. Fellbeaver drew the only penalty of the game in the last period for holding.

Lineups — Killaloe: goal, Beach; defence, Carly and Heins; centre, Roche; wings, Wilkie and Blake; subs, Fellbeaver, Kuehl, Kruger and Kuehl. Bancroft: goal, Young; defence, Crawford and Cuthbertson; centre, Towle; wings, Kerr and Carpenter; subs, H. Brough, A. Brough, Adams, Kavanagh, and Maxwell.

BIG SEVEN

(By The Canadian Press)

Maurice Richard of the Canadiens, picking up three points in weekend National Hockey League games, moved into a tie for scoring honors with line-mate Elmer Lach, who added two points to his total. Boston's Bill Cowley, with one point, gained an edge over Canadiens' duo. Blake Reardon and Syd Kennedy of Toronto picked up five points to tie Mud Bruneteau for fourth place. Kennedy edged out Ab Demaco, New York, and Joe Carveth, Detroit.

Leaders:	G	A	Pts.
Richard, Canadiens	21	27	48
Lach, Canadiens	17	41	58
Cowley, Bruins	16	42	58
Blake, Canadiens	21	29	50
Howe, Detroit	31	19	50
Kennedy, Toronto	31	17	48
Bruneleau, Detroit	20	18	38

CORNWALL CRUSHED

Valleyfield, Que., Feb. 5 — (CP) — With the final score 14-0, Kingston Joannette had a scoring parade here yesterday as the pace-setting Valleyfield Bravers clinched the top place Cornwall Cookies in an Interprovincial Hockey League game.

The first-string line of Joannette, Rolland Vinet and Armand Repro registered four of the Bravers' 14 goals, with Joannette scoring four, Vinet three and Repro two. Vinet got five assists, Cherai scored three goals and two assists for the losers.

CRYPTIC ORDER ISSUED

London, Feb. 3 (CP)—Field Marshal Karl Von Rundstedt issued a cryptic order of the day today to his troops on the western front, the Berlin radio quoted a dispatch saying: "Orders for what we have to do have been given. Comrades, now more than ever we must be watchful."

Byron Nelson And McSpaden Money Winners

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
(AP Sport Writer)

Corpus Christi, Texas, Feb. 8 (AP) — Golf's war hoss trail led into the south today as the touring professionals, who climaxed Byron Nelson's torrid finish line with the Corpus Christi Open championship, departed for New Orleans and another $5,000 tournament.

The "Gold Dust Twins" of the fairways—Nelson and Harold (Jug) McSpaden — were in full stride. Nelson's 1 and No. 2 in earnings for the year as the boys of the links entered the last half of the United States winter schedule.

Nelson, winner of the Corpus Christi Open yesterday with a 72-hole total of 284, four strokes ahead of McSpaden, added to his second money.

In five fine tournaments played since Jan. 1 Nelson has gathered in two first places and finished no lower than a tie for second in the lucrative purses. Jug has collected $6,132 (maturity value of bonds). McSpaden, while winning no tournaments, has forged into second place in money totals, the total now being $4,332.

At New Orleans Nelson will meet the only other golfer able to win as many tournaments as he has since the winter tour started in November at Portland — Slamnin' Sam Snead, who quit at Tucson, Ariz., after three titles but resumes play this weekend. Nelson won one tournament before Jan. 1.

JOCKEY DIES OF INJURIES

Toronto, Feb. 5.—(CP)—Jockey Ernest McDougall, 25, who recovered from a broken neck suffered in a track spill to return to the racing game he had known since a boy, died Saturday, just a few hours before he was to enter hospital for an operation. Toronto-born, McDougall rode 40 winners as an apprentice and was connected with a number of prominent eastern stables during his career.

GERMAN TROOPS SHIFTED

London, Feb. 3 (CP)—The Berlin radio said today that German troops have been shifted from the western front to the east in an attempt to stop the Russian break-through.

The broadcast declared, however, that "Eisenhower has found that German resistance has not slackened" in the west.

The broadcast claimed that some Americans taken prisoner left New York only three weeks ago.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sports Writer)

New York, Feb. 5 — (AP)—High-light of the baseball writers' show in Branch Rickey's impersonation of by Arthur Manfi using lollipops to entice a small boy to sign a contract and at the same time singing: "Would you Like to Swing as a Star in the Major League Bazaar?" . . . Maybe that isn't as funny as it sounded . . . When the National League failed to finish its Saturday meeting on time, it was quated from the room and who do you think took over? The Amateur Softball Association!

Monday Mailsee:

Headline: "Big ten seeks to curb basketball gambling by playing games only on campus." . . . Wants bet it will work! . . . Bill Parrish, 16-year-old Vancouver, B.C., pitcher who'll become a Cardinal farmhand if he can get into the United States, won all his games for the Hamilton, Ont., juniors last summer and hit .320 in the bargain... Sample of the track season: Two important races at the Millrose meet starter Jack Lavelle had to waste carridges firing recal shots because kids who weren't in the board track running fell down soon after the start.

SOCCER OFFICIAL DIES

Toronto, Feb. 5. (CP)— Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Neil McKinley, 58, vice-president of the Toronto Soccer League and president of the Upton Soccer team who died Saturday. Mr. McKinley came to Toronto from Glasgow 26 years ago and had been connected with football here since then. At various times he was president of the Ontario Junior Football league, and president of the Toronto and District Junior league.



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CASUAL COMMENT

by K.J.C.

Lighter Vein.

Having bought a donkey from a mate a roster took it out on his round. Almost at once it walked straight through a plate-glass window.

Next day, for a change, it insisted into a brick wall. Then the roster got annoyed. Going to the seller he demanded:

"Why didn't you tell me the moke was blind?"

"Oh, 'e ain't blind!" was the reply. "'E can't don't give a darn!"

Around the Town.

Despite the weekend's heavy snow fall local puck fans are anticipating an all-out tussle between Trenton and the speedy Kingston "Flyers" tonight.... True enough the Limestone City "aimless" barneys won a game in the Quinte service league, but they have managed to give the opposition plenty of competition and some keen hockey.... If they happen to run out another star like Randy Ellis tonight, Pedro Malka's Trenton senators will have their evening's work cut out.... In the curtain raiser the popular Kingston Frontenac Shamrocks Coach Toots Holway took the Belleville Juniors to Odessa for the O.H.A. Junior "A" Oshawa General Junior "A" game on Saturday night and the local kids got an eye full of bigtime junior hockey as the Junior Saints" beat the Generals 5 to 3.... The Holway-led clan got to work out on the catching defenceman McMurtle of St. Catharines and a fast set of forwards, playing Doug Green and Rance Bush, Belleville's trio of rearguardsmen learned something from their trip .....And we don't mean from the free-for-all fight that terminated Saturday night's junior game either. Laying over the remainder of games left in the "Little Six" there is a remote chance Belleville and Trenton could finish the regular schedule tied for first place.... However this is a rather remote as Trenton would have to lose to both Campbellford and Hastings and have Belleville beat Tweed tomorrow night to give the locals out in front alone.....However a win at Tweed Tuesday night would assure Billeville of no worse than second place in the final group standing.... Right now the Stirling "Combine" are finished with their part of the schedule with six wins and four losses.... Belleville however must game at Tweed while Trenton goes to Norwood tonight and entertain Campbellford back home Wednesday night.... Looks like a battle to the wire.

Junior Standings.

It's quite a race in the "Little Six" with Stirling leading and combined their part of the schedule. The standing at noon read:

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Stirling	6	4	0	12
Trenton	5	2	1	11
Belleville	5	3	1	11
Hastings	5	4	0	10
Campbellford	3	6	0	6
Tweed	1	8	0	2

Remaining games: Tonight, Trenton at Hastings Tuesday, Belleville at Tweed; Wednesday, Campbellford at Trenton.

Remember When

Eight members of the Ottawa South Hockey Club exciter who were suspended by the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada nine years ago today as the result of the "great impersonation" of Jerry Kerry by Eddie Gerard, an American player, the previous fall. Later the executive was reinstated.

Combines Win.

The Central Hastings Hockey League five-after night saw its first defaulted game of the season when Bonarlaw failed to put in an appearance at the Stirling rink with the result Combines took the game by default. In the other match, however, the Zinn-West Huntingdon "Combines" eked out a 4-3 win over Corbyville in a rousing game. Three successive goals in the middle stanza settled the issue for the Combines, despite the fact Corbyville rallied in the last frame to score two, but they couldn't notch the fourth and tying counter.

Beer Top Hitter.

Second Baseman Bobby Doerr of the Red Sox, who left the team before the season ended to go into the armed forces, was the No. 1 batsman of the 1946 season in the American League, statistics reveal. He succeeded Rudy York of the Tigers in a photo finish with a teammate, Bob Johnson. In third place was Johnny Lindell of the Yankees.

Outfielder Jake Powell dropped dead in the offices of the Washington club recently, and agreed to terms a 12 promising he would. Last year he did attack back in a few days. Powell is 41-6", wearing a silver plate in his skull, because of a serious accident. He is a Montgomery county police officer during the off-season.

LEAGUE LEADERS

By The Canadian Press

Standing—Canadiens, won 28, lost 16, tied 2, points 58.

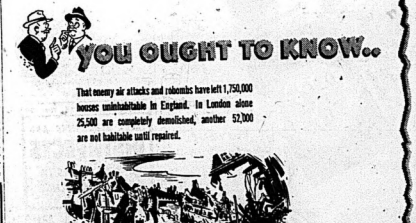
Points—Richard, Canadiens, 39 points, 19, assists; Lach, Canadiens, 17 goals, 41 assists, 58 points.

Goals—Richard, Canadiens 39.

Assists—Lach, Canadiens, 41.

Penalties—Bentley, Boston, 58, min. Shutouts—McCool, Toronto, 4.

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By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

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	NORTH	
	♠ 7 4 3	
	♥ 7 5 4	
	♦ 6 5 3 2	
	♣ J 5	
WEST		EAST
♠ 10 8 7		♠ 5 3
♥ Q 10 9		♥ 8 6 2
♦ A Q C 4		♦ 10 9 7
♣ 6 5 4		♣ 7 2
	SOUTH	
	♠ A K Q 6	
	♥ A K 3	
	♦ 3	
	♣ A K 10 9 3	

South is declarer at a stretched contract of six clubs. West starts out with a diamond lead and wins the first trick. A second diamond from there is trumped by south.

To make the contract, declarer must plan in such a way that he will lose no more tricks. The third round of hearts is a worry. But the third dummy heart can be ruffed on the fourth south spade.

However, the handling of that and the trump suit requires some attention to future tricks also, anticipating need for dummy entries, south trumped that second diamond lead with the club ace.

The club lady was now led and overtaken with dummy's eightspot. This gave dummy an entry with which to lead back a diamond south trumped that with the club king.

Then the club ten was led and overtaken, in dummy with the club jack. This entry to dummy permitted the last diamond to be led from there. South trumped it with his last club.

Dummy was entered again, this time by leading the small south spade and winning with the jack. That permitted the club queen to be led for gaining up opponent's last trump.

On that trump queen lead, south stuffed a small heart. After that south took the remaining tricks with top spades and hearts.

This hand works out so slick, the plays in it may seem easy. But if you look closely you will see that declarer must plan every move in count. Especially in a hand that is so scarce of entries.

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Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Montreal	26	5	3	55
Detroit	23	10	1	47
Toronto	18	15	2	38
Boston	12	21	2	26
New York	9	24	2	20
Chicago	6	28	5	17

Saturday: Montreal 3, Detroit 2; Boston 4, Toronto 2.
Sunday: Toronto 4, Chicago 3; Montreal 3, Detroit 1; Boston 3, New York 2.

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Eastern Division

Buffalo	31	18	7	69
Hershey	31	18	7	69
Providence	17	20	5	39

Western Division

Indianapolis ..	20	15	11	51
Cleveland	21	19	5	47
Pittsburgh	18	20	6	42
St. Louis	9	28	4	22

Saturday: Hershey 2, Indianapolis 2; Pittsburgh 4, Hershey 2.
Sunday: Hershey 5, Indianapolis 2; Providence 4, Buffalo 1.

Saturday

Alberta Services Sr.
R.C.A.F. Stuffmen 11, Navy 2.
Northern Alberta Inter-Service
Edmonton R.C.A.F. 6, Red Deer Army 2.

Manitoba Jr.

St. James Canadians (South Eastern) 6, Assiniboia Thistles (Interlake Club (North Division). 10.

S. Sask. Jr.

Moose Jaw Canucks 11, Notre Dame Hounds 4.

Edmonton Jr.

Canadians 12, South Side 3.

S. Sask. Jr. -

Saskatoon Varsity 9, Saskatoon Lions 6.

O.H.A. Junior A.

Stratford 11, Woodstock 3.
Brantford 5, Kitchener 4.
St. Catharines 3, Oshawa 2.
St. Michael's 14, Galt 2.

U.S.H.L.

Philadelphia 5, New York Rovers 1.

Quebec Sr.

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Lachine 4, Shawinigan Falls 3.
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Baltimore 5, New York 4.

NINE U. S. SOLDIERS TO DIE

Paris, Feb. 3 —(AP)— Nine unnamed American soldiers were sentenced to death during January by the field section of the general courts martial in cases involving diversion of army supplies into black market channels, it was disclosed. Three others were acquitted. Those convicted were charged with desertion as well as theft and sale of government property. Eleven other men were sentenced to from five to twenty-five years.

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Boston Bruins Developing Into Point-Hungry Hockey Team As Ross Cracks Whip

Defeat Toronto Team on Saturday and Earn Tie With Rangers on Sunday

By The Canadian Press

Those Boston Bruins whose appearance is such an eyesore to boss Art Ross, are suddenly developed into a point-hungry bunch of hockey men. In weekend games they strengthened their hold on the National Hockey League's last play-off slot.

Apparently stung by the rude Ross remarks — he said they were the worst Bruin team he's ever seen — they outskated and outplayed Toronto Saturday 4-2 win in Maple Leaf Gardens Saturday night and then went back to Boston to hold Rangers to a 3-3 tie Sunday night.

The Bruins might have had a two weekend wins if Fred Thurlier had not clicked at Boston with less than two minutes remaining Sunday night. He gave Rangers a draw by batting in Bingo Kampman's loose shot.

Bruin's efforts, while helping themselves, brought little joy to the last place Chicago Black Hawks. Temporarily buoyed up by two victories and a tie last week the Hawks dropped a 4-3 verdict to the third place Toronto Maple Leafs Sunday night while the front-running Montreal Canadiens extended their lead to 11 points with 5-2 and 3-1 victories over Detroit Red Wings.

The weekend points all but mathematically clinched first place for the Montrealers.

The victories gave the Canucks the wins and a tie in eight games with the motor city squad this year, and unless Jack Adams can rid his players of the inferiority complex they develop when they take to the ice with the Flying Frenchmen their chances in the Stanley Cup playdowns don't appear too glittering.

The three weekend points placed the Rossmen four points up on the Rangers although Lester Patrick's charges have a game in hand.

Paced by sophomore Ted Kennedy who collected three markers Sunday night the Leafs moved up even 10 points behind the Red Wings.

Incidentally, Kennedy scored one of the Leafs' goals and assisted on the other when Leafs lost to Boston.

JUST GETTING QUOTA

Montreal, Feb. 3 — (CP) — Canada is not getting one ton more than its quota of coal from the United States, E. J. Brunning, Canadian coal administrator, said here last night. Under an agreement with the United States, coal is supplied to Canada on the same basis as that provided to the United States.



Charlie Burns of Halifax, N.S., who has inherited $50,000 from a wealthy English uncle. It can't be taken out of the country until after the war, so Charlie is keeping on his job of news vendor on a Halifax street corner.

COMBINES FORGE TO TOP POSITION IN HASTINGS LOOP

Corbyville Defeated 4-3 in Closest Contest of the Season

Stirling, Feb. 5. (Special)—Zion-Hill-West Huntingdon "Combines" forged out in front in the Oversea Hastings Rural Hockey League standing on Friday evening when in the only game played at the Stirling arena they eked out a close 4-3 victory over the Corbyville boys.

The second game of the scheduled double-header was not played as the Bonarlaw boys failed to show up for their game against the Century Jr. Acrobatic.

Tommon put the "Combines" out in front with the only goal scored in the first period when he took a pass from Wray at the six-minute marker to sink the boot-heel behind Forsyth in the Corbyville nets. The losers got back on even terms to start the second canto when Martin and Empson combined, but before the period ended the "Combines" had counted three times to nail the game away. Corbyville came back strong in the final but goalie by Jarrett and Thompson failed by one to equal the count.

Lineups—Corbyville— goal, Forsythe; defence, Walt and Cluay; forwards Grey, Sheffield, Thompson and Bube—Denyes, Pitts, Empson, Woods, Martin and Jarrett.

"Combines"—Goal, Clifford; defence, Thompson and Brough; forwards, A. Tummon, Wray and G. Tummon; Bube—L. Sills, R. Sills, McCurdy, C. Wright and Pargyr.

MAY DECLARE BERLIN OPEN CITY

London, Feb. 3 (AP)—A mysterious broadcast heard in London today said Tunisia are sweeping Berlin that the German high command intends to declare Berlin an open city but Germany still intends to declare there is no truth in it."

The Associated Press listening post heard the broadcast but could not trace its origin.

MAJOR CURRIE, V.C., GIVEN APPOINTMENT

Toronto, Feb. 3 —(CP)— Maj. David V. Currie, V.C., of Moose Jaw, Sask., and Owen Sound, Ont., has been appointed officer commanding the repair and maintenance wing of the Canadian Armored Corps, it was announced here with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, it was learned here yesterday.

WOMAN REMANDED

London, Ont., Feb. 3 (CP)—Mrs. Vera Clarke, held in custody here following the knife death on Jan. 19 of Richard Bennett, said to be her common-law husband yesterday was remanded to Feb. 6 when she appeared in court on a charge of making a home unfit for a child.

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"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER EIGHT

"I can get you a job in pictures," he said, lighting a cigar and speaking between puffs. Livia wanted to slap his face. But instead she walked quickly to her cabin and locked the door. She listened for his footsteps—but O'Hara remained on deck. There were many pretty girls in Hollywood. If you didn't get one, you got another.

In the morning Livia rose before the others were awake, took her small suitcase, and told the surprised Captain she must get to the mainland. He took her there in the speed boat. She left a note for the Countess.

During the wakeful hours in the early dawn, Livia had decided she was finished absolutely with movies. What an all -around fool she had been. All she wanted now was to see Brent and tell him so. He was real. He was a kind. He was a rock against which she could lean with absolute safety and security. She wanted to marry him more than anything she had ever wanted in the wide world.

Her excitement mounted as she entered the courtyard where Bruce had his bungalow. She saw a man in the little kitchen and cried joyfully:

"Bruce." But it was the Chinese boy who came to her. "Mr. Nolan, where—"

The boy smiled. "Missy Nolan—he get married. Yes, he marry this morning — beautiful girl. . . Anything the matter, Missy Charleson?"

"Missy Nolan—and such a beautiful girl," the Chinese boy repeated and said Livia, although he had made a side-splitting joke. "They coming back alone?"

Livia picked up her small suitcase and fled from the bungalow. Bruce, married! Bruce, the dependable, Bruce, whom she loved desperately—before she had lost him forever. But there was no one to blame but herself.

Livia went to Hollywood House. Mrs. Sayles was going through the weekly accounts, but dropped her pen and squealed delightedly when Livia appeared, followed by a man dragging her trunk.

"This time you'll stay!" she asked and clasped her plump palms together when Livia nodded. "I have a room empty."

Livia followed her silently up to the little, white-washed room, and started unpacking while Mrs. Sayles collapsed on the bed.

"These stairs will kill me one day," she panted cheerfully. "We ought to have an elevator."

"I want to pay a month in advance," Livia interrupted. "Here's $40." She was left with a few dollars.

Mrs. Sayles painfully lifted herself to a standing position. "If you have nothing to do tonight," she said at the door—"I have a couple of tickets for a movie show. Would you like to come?

"Yes, I would." Livia was grateful. For the first time she saw the kindness in Mrs. Syles' small blue eyes and in the lines around her mouth.

They were about to leave for the movie when Bruce telephoned.

"I'm out. I didn't live here—tell him, anything, but I don't want to speak to him." Livia said. She could not talk to Bruce now or ever. He would talk of his wife—or perhaps explain the circumstances of his marriage — and that would be worse.

"Miss Clarkson is not here," Mrs. Sayles told Bruce, blinking broadly at the others in the room. "No, I didn't know she had left the hotel. All right, if I hear from her, I'll phone you. Is she put the' receiver down. "You've quarrelled?"

"No, no—but I can't see him again."

"I understand," said Mrs. Sayles, "now let's go to the movies!"

"The next day was Sunday. Most of the persons living in Hollywood House worked in pictures, and on Sunday morning the rasping alarm clocks were silent, and they could sleep late. It was one of those deceptively warm spring days common to Los Angeles when the sun is bright and the foliage vividly green, and you think you do not require a coat—until you suffer.

Livia went alone to the beach at Santa Monica. The bus was crowded with family parties, carrying picnic baskets. They seemed happy in their plans for the day. And Livia regretted she had not invited Mrs. Sayles to accompany her. But the sight and smell of the sea revived her spirits. She felt stronger and able to shape her life to her pattern. She swam. The sun was hot on her face. But she shivered while dressing in the Municipal shelter.

That evening her temperature was 100. "Very fine!" Mrs. Sayles reproached Livia. She wanted to get a doctor, but this Livia forbade. As an alternative she submitted to strenuous home-made remedies favored by Mrs. Sayles.

Her temperature was down to 99 in the morning. But she was weak. Mrs. Sayles had visited her three times during the night and early morning.

"You'll stay in bed today," Mrs. Sayles said sternly.

"Just today." Livia smiled at Mrs. Sayles. "And thank you."

But five days elapsed before Livia was strong enough to look for a job. During that time Bruce telephoned twice and came to the door once. But Mrs. Sayles, true to her promise, said:

"I don't know where she is."

"Did he have a girl—a beautiful girl with him?" Livia asked like a spaniel.

"No, he was alone. Why don't you make up with him?" Mrs. Sayles said. She suspected a lovers' quarrel. Livia had shortened her ear to Bruce's marriage. To put this into words was more than she could bring herself to do. She could barely admit it to herself.

Vera visited her and had joyful news. She was going to have a baby.

"How is Bruce?" Vera said suddenly.

At first Livia lied: "He's fine." But Vera had watched Livia's moods all her life.

"What is it, darling? She sat on the bed beside her.

"Hey, you'll get my cold." But Livia clung to her.

"What is it? Bruce?"

After a short pause, Livia said: "Yes—Bruce." Then, "He's married." Vera's face expressed dismay and fear. Then she said, Livia said bitterly.

"But he loved you!"

"Yeah?" There was silence between them, then Livia said: "I suppose it was my fault. I behaved like a heel." And she told her sister of her attempts and failure to break into the movies. "But that's all over now. I'm sane again."

To change the painful subject, Livia said:

"How is George?"

Vera sighed. "He'll land in trouble one of these days. I know it. Yesterday a man came and asked lots of questions about George. He asked who was financing the bookmaking—something—and George soled her.

"George is smart; he can take care of himself." Her sister's worries made her forget her own.

Hoyd returned with her health. "I know there's a place for me somewhere in this city," she told Vera sighed. "It'll land in trouble but she was good-looking and had a good figure. She could model clothes, and dressed her pale cheeks with rouge and wore a becoming street turban, and left Hollywood House determined to have a job before nightfall.

She called at a big department store on Wilshire Boulevard.

The brisk, well-groomed, middle-aged woman interrupted Livia's attempt at easeful conversation.

"We do not hire the models in this department," she told her with detached kindness. Livia was self-conscious as she left the department. Did they all know she was after a job? She envied them their smug conviction of belonging.

She had tried the agency of employment — a man, thin and with an air of superiority, had taken Livia's name and address, also the fact that she was without modelling experience, and promised to let her know should the store require her services.

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Liberals Drawing New Platform Says Newspaper

Quebec, Feb. 5 — (CP)—L'Action Catholique said in a newspaper story Saturday that Prime Minister Mackenzie King, according to Quebec Liberal sources, had drawn up a new platform which included the naming of a Canadian as Governor-General and the enforcement of Canada in the Pan-American Union.

The story gave as its source "a prominent member of the Quebec Liberal party," and added: "This near future will tell whether the forecast of this Liberal leader of Quebec is to be confirmed."

Mr. King's program, says L'Action Catholique, is reported to include "nothing more than the following points:

"Nomination of a Canadian Governor-General (Gen. Georges P. Vanier, at present Canadian Minister to France, to begin with);

"Adoption of an authentically Canadian flag;

"Adoption of a Canadian Nationality;

"Abolition of appeals to the Privy Council;

"Canadian Union and, to cap the story, the independence of Canada.

"The story said also that the Prime Minister was allegedly planning to oust "the notoriously Imperialistic" members of his cabinet and replace them with ministers with "a mentality genuinely Canadian."

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Imp. Tobacco 13
Lowlaw 27 1-8
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Walker's 29 1-4
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NEW YORK

Chrysler 69
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TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, Feb. 5 — (CP) — All four groups were higher this afternoon on Toronto exchange which led the advance. Trading was active with 760,000 shares changing hands.

Higher prices were barred in the Yellowknife stocks, including Trans-Beacon-Can., Negus, Conwest and Bear and other strong golds were Sylvanite, Little Long Lac, Premier, Van Antonio, West Malartic, Wright-Hargreaves, Upper Canada, Malartic and Dunkelt.

Falconbridge and Sherritt were stronger base metals and Steep Rock weakened 5 to 2.80.

WALL STREET

New York, Feb. 5 —(AP)— Buying selectivity centering mainly in stocks with definite peace prospects, helped today's market keep its balance. Gains of fractions to a point predominated near the fourth hour. Investors generally operated on the cautious side pending further war developments.

Favorites at 1044-45 peaks included International Thirjone, Chrysler, Fairbanks, Goodyear and American Rolling Mills. In front were Du Pont, U.S. Rubber, Bethlehem, American Telephone and American Cable & Radio.

In the Canadian list, Dome Mines was up by a point, Wright-Hargreaves dropped ½ and Lake Shore ¼.

Bonds and commodities were steady.

LIVESTOCK

Toronto, Feb. 5 — (CP) — Cattle trade was fairly active at firm prices up to quotation on the one livestock market here today. Lambs were firm. Hogs, calves and sheep were steady.

Receipts reported by the Dominion Marketing Service were: cattle 2,00, calves 200, hogs 500, sheep and lambs 250. Should four days last week were 180 head of cattle.

Trade was reported as included: Cattle: weighty steers $11.25-$12, butcher steers and heifers $8.50 - $11.50, butcher cows $7-$8.25, canners downward to $5.50, bulls $7 - $9.25, fed yearlings $12-$13.50

Calves: $15-$16 for choice, common vealers downward to $10.

Lambs: $14-$14.50 good ewes and wethers, culls $1-$12.

Sheep: $2.50-$6.

Hogs: dressed, grade A $17.75, B1 $17.35, flows $13.25 dressed.

MONTREAL LIVESTOCK

Montreal, Feb. 5. (CP)—Cattle were steady to 25 cents higher and calves 50 cents higher at the one trading today on the livestock markets, receipts: Cattle 853, calves 200, sheep 137, hogs 522.

Good quality cattle in demand $12-$12.25; medium steers $10.50-$11.50; common thin lights to low $7; cows $7 before $10-$10.50; few tops $11; good cows $8.50-$9 and odd at $9.50; good bull $9 and with one at $9.25. Commoner kinds down to $7.

Veal calves $10-$15.50 with tops as high as $16. Good vealers mostly $15-$15.50 with the best of the inbetween grades at $13-$14.50. Common $7-$9.25, mostly $8.50-$6.75.

Lambs mostly bucks and generally $11-$11.50 with one sale $12 flat. Sheep $3-$7 according to quality. A few early sales hogs to small dealers were at $18-$18.25 for Grade A, mostly $13.50 for sows.

HOGS

Toronto, Feb. 5 (CP)—Prices were unchanged at bacon-hog markets reported early today. Dressedweight: Grade A deliveries: Sunday $17.65; London $17.30; Stratford to farmers $17.50, to truckers $17.65; Barrie $17.75.

23 AIR PERSONNEL KILLED

Rome, Feb. 5 (AP)— A heavily-loaded transport plane of the U. S. 12th Air Force crashed into a mountain 80 miles north of Rome Friday, killing all but three of the 26 persons aboard, Allied headquarters announced today.

The plane, a C-47, was officially listed as a transport.

FIVE DESERTERS HELD

Lethbridge, Alta., Feb. 3 (CP)— Five deserters from an aberdeen from the Canadian active army were taken into custody here by Royal Canadian Mounted Police in the southern part of Alberta from Jan. 26 to Feb. 1, Supt. C. H. Foley, officer commanding the Lethbridge subdivision, said yesterday.

STILL SMILING

London (CP) — Forty-four years of business woes are over for Chas. William Chandler. He has retired after spending that long as principal clerk in the London Bankruptcy Court. He say he still hasn't lost his faith in human nature.

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McGill Testifies On Behalf of Dahl At Court-Martial

Montreal, Feb. 5 (CP) — The court martial of Rancher Whitney Dahl wound up at nearby Dorval Saturday when Air Vice Marshal F. C. McGill, Member for Supplies and Organization, gave character testimony on behalf of the internationally-known flier who has already been acquitted on 19 of 24 charges.

Decision of the court on the remaining charges, dealing with the disposition of government chattels at the Rail Transportation Officer Station at Belem, Brazil, will be communicated to the Judge Advocate General for approval.

Air Vice Marshal McGill said that while Dahl was stationed at Trenton, Ont., from April 1942 to January, 1943, "he always behaved like a gentleman and behaved to my entire satisfaction." Air Vice Marshal McGill was commanding officer at Trenton at the time.

Thirty-Four Fires Set by Superforts

329 Bomber Headquarters, Guam, Feb. 5 (AP)— Incendiary glide bombs from the first Superfortress raid on Kobe, Japan, reported today that more than 34 fires were visible as they left the city.

Twelve of the large ones were burning fiercely along the western edge of the Mitsubishi shipbuilding area, virtually a primarily a shipbuilding plant.

Other fires sprang up almost immediately in the centre of Japan's sixth largest city, and from waters of the 320s were lost in combat. One was ditched, however, and eight men from the Marianas but the crew was rescued.

Twentieth Air Force headquarters in Washington said 29 Superfortress planes were destroyed, 10 probably destroyed and 29 damaged.

Soldier Convicted Of Manslaughter

Cornwall, Feb. 5 (CP) — Pte. Irwin Stata, acquitted on a charge of murdering Mrs. Ethel Smith, of Dickinson's Landing, was convicted of manslaughter in Assize Court here Saturday and sentenced to 18 years in Kingston Penitentiary.

The jury rendered its decision in less than two hours after they heard the defence counsel descend on the Crown prosecutor, Stata's counsel, Mr. Justice Wells charged the jury that if Mrs. Smith was shot to death at her summer cottage at Port Franks, Ont.

In his charge to the jury, Mr. Justice Wells pointed out that the jurors the option of returning a verdict of guilty or not guilty of either murder or manslaughter.

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Three Motor Cars Stolen in City During Weekend

Three motor cars were stolen in Belleville over the weekend, all being recovered within a few hours of respective thefts. Harvey Reid, Foxboro, parked his 1937 model Chevrolet sedan, adjacent to the C.N.R. telegraph office, Bridge St., Saturday morning. When he returned it was gone. Police had it recovered in Shannonville.

Joseph Post, R. R. No. 2, Belleville parked his car on Campbell Street shortly before noon Saturday. It was taken, but was recovered by Sergt. Arnott and P.C. Thomson abandoned at the city limits of the city. A taxi cab operated by the Dafoe Taxi was stolen in Belleville Sunday night and recovered in Kingston two hours later.

Otherwise in police circles authorities are holding Keith Dunning, Plainfield, on a charge of theft. Police announced today the accused was arrested after complaints regarding articles stolen from premises in Plainfield were investigated. He will be arraigned on trial later in the week.

Hayes announced.

An increased number of inebriates were apprehended causing undue disturbances in the downtown area the result the city's coffers were enriched as all but two paid conventional fines and costs before being liberated Sunday.

STABBED BY CUTTLEFISH

Melbourne, Australia, Feb. 5 (CP) — An Australian Army sergeant was stabbed through the heart by a cuttlefish today while swimming in the sea at Bayside, a Melbourne suburb. The sergeant was swimming under the surface when the fish struck. He died as companions helped him ashore.

DEATHS

CALLAHAN — Suddenly at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Alexander, 272 Bleecker Ave., Belleville, Ontario, on Monday, February 5th., Michael John Callahan in his 56th. year. Resting at Ballerille Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell St., Thence the funeral will be held on Wednesday, February 7th., to St. Michael's Church, for Liberty, at 2.30 p.m. Interment St. James Cemetery.

WOMAN INSTANTLY KILLED

Whitby, Ont., Feb. 5. (CP)— Mrs. Winifred Cropley, 50, of nearby Dunbarton was instantly killed and her husband Percy Cropley, 52, was severely injured when their car was struck by a train driven by Arnold Graham of Peterborough, CPR Relief No. 3, while walking on the highway near Dunbarton last night. Mr. Cropley suffered a fractured leg, bruises and shock.

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Rockets Thrown Into Rear Areas Of U.S. Armies

By LEWIS HAWKINS
(AP War Correspondent)

At the Belgian-German Frontier, Feb. 9 (AP).—The Germans started throwing long-range rockets into rear areas of the United States 3rd Army front recently.

The effects of this harassing fire are not being disclosed, but it can be said the rockets have not been particularly destructive or deadly so far.

The projectiles, presumably being fired at a range of about 25 miles, may well be the same type of Nebelwerfer rocket artillery brought into action in the last few weeks against the United States 1st and 9th armies. They are not particularly heavy and probably are in about the same category as an eight-inch shell.

The Beverlywerfer is a six-barreled projector firing six-inch rockets weighing about 76 pounds each and carrying 5½ pounds of TNT in the warhead. The rockets, not very accurate, are variously called "screaming meemies" and "moaning minnies."

Much more destructive but even less accurate are the Wurfkoerper Rocket, many of which were seized intact at an enemy ammunition dump by the 90th Division. The Wurfkoerper Rocket prompted some reports of a new silent secret weapon at the start of the German offensive. Ordnance experts, however, said that all rockets were silent during the final stages of flight.

These rockets, fired from the crates in which they are shipped, are about five feet long and have a payload of about three feet in length and 10 inches in diameter. They carry about 110 pounds of explosive.

STEAL SCOTCH FROM SCOTS

Kilkarn, Scotland (CP)—Thieves believed to be operatin for the black market stole 25,000 ($125,000) worth of whisky from a distillery here.

Hunter Discovers Rare "Snow Bug"

A hunter, in quest of a wary rabbit, came upon a startling discovery. He found a number of small, long-legged insects walking over the snow. First he thought them to be animated particles of snow, but on closer examination he found that they possessed six legs, a body and a small head. He placed a few of them in a piece of paper and stuffed them into the pocket of his hunting jacket.

The following day he brought the insects to the Royal Ontario Museum. Here he learned, from the insect specialists, that he had found a rather rare kind of crane-fly and that little is known about the life history of this cold-loving insect. They appear as wingless, adult flies in the coldest months of the year, but what happens to them when the warmer weather arrives no one seems to know. Incidentally, the insects were seized by the time they reached the Museum. Apparently this peculiar little "snow bug" can't tolerate heat.

MARMORA

St. Paul's Anglican Ladies Guild Holds Meeting

Marmora — The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Guild of St. Paul's Anglican Church was held in the Parish Hall on Thursday evening with the president, Mrs. W. D. Ellis, in the chair, and a good attendance on hand. The meeting opened with prayer by the president, after which minutes of the annual meeting were read and approved and then deals with including letters of thanks from sick members, etc. It was decided to open a fund in the bank to be known as the St. Paul's Ladies' Guild Church Decorating Fund. Groups 1 and 3 handed in donations as the nucleus of this fund. Every member of the Guild is empowered to receive donations for this needed work. A sick visiting committee was also appointed to consist of the following: Mesdames L. B. Wells, G. Kerr, C. Nichol and A. Eggleton. Mrs. E. Hewitt, convener of the social and ganized Prayer Fund, gave the monthly report. It was decided to hold a bake sale and afternoon and evening tea on Saturdays during Lent, in the same Block Groups will handle this in turn. No. 2 Group takes the first event on Saturday, February 17th. The date of Guild meetings was changed by motion from Friday to Thursday to first Monday of each month. The next meeting will be on Monday, March 5th. Those volunteering for the lunch committee for that meeting were Mesdames P. Gray, J. W. Hickey and W. R. Linn, and Miss Miriam Savage. The Guild has completed its arrangements for the World's Day of Prayer which is to be held in St. Paul's Church on Friday, February 16th. The meeting closed with prayer.

News Briefs

Mrs. Bernard Freeman and two young sons of Marmora, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman.

The members of the Sociality of Sacred Heart Church enjoyed a sleighing party on Wednesday evening, after which they repaired to Sacred Heart school, where dancing was enjoyed and lunch served.

Born—In Marmora Township, on Thursday, February 1st., 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Vanvelkenburg (nee Josephine McGrath) a son.

Rev. J. M. Brownlie and J. W. Hickey spent Friday afternoon in Belleville.

Allan Mills

Allan Mills — On Wednesday afternoon the members of the W. I. men's Institute met at the home of Mrs. W. J. Barlow with twenty members present. The president, Mrs. Geo. Eastwood opened the meeting. Mrs. W. J. Barlow read the minutes of the last meeting and dealt with the correspondence. Letters from Jack Frost, Bill Thomson, Ed. Golaway, Gerald Haslett, A. M. Herrington, Don Bromagen and Ralph McKeown, R. Reddcliffe, Don McKeown, boys overseas, were read, all thanking the members for cigarettes and Christmas boxes received from the W. I. A letter of thanks was received from Audrey Bateman, who is stationed in Canada. A letter of appreciation was received from Mr. and Mrs. R. Richeson and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Murray. It was decided to send $10 to the war charity fund $15 was donated to be sent to the prisoners of war fund. A motion was passed that the W.I. pack boxes in the near future for boys overseas. The buying committee included the executive, assisted by Mrs. Gordon Webb, J. F. Baker, Geo. Williams, Mrs. J. M. McKeown, convener for social activities, took charge of the program. Mrs. P. Cosby gave the topic "What Shall We Do to Overcome the Fast Growing Problem of Child Delinquency." Mrs. J. S. McKeown gave the motto, "Who is My Neighbor?" Mrs. John McKeown gave a humorous reading and Mrs. J. McKeown gave a reading followed by a contest. The hostess served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Burkitt entertained the following on Wednesday night in honor of Mrs. A. Burkitt's birthday: Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkitt, Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Burkitt, Patsy and Barbara.

Mrs. H. Stiles, Kenneth and Bobbie visited Mrs. Les McKeown of Stirling, on Monday evening.

Lance Corporal Clarence Anderson spent a few days with his brother, Mrs. Lillian Anderson and Elson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Burkitt called her sister, Mrs. Morley Tanner on Monday, who underwent an operation in Belleville hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stiles visited their aunt, Mrs. Mark Shorti, who is a patient in Belleville Hospital.

Mrs. Fred McKeown and Carl visited Mr. and Mrs. Mel Allen, both of Campbellford, on Saturday.

Mrs. C. E. Burkitt spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. H. Wellman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson called on Mr. Henry Scarlet who underwent a serious operation in the Belleville hospital.

PUP CAUSED DEATHS

Liverpool, England (CP) — Susan, a spaniel puppy, was tired and stretched in her tin-box bed and her weight pulled loose a rubber gas tube from the main pipe. A coroner's jury decided "accidental death" was responsible for the gas poisoning of her mistress, Thomas Kenyon, his wife, their daughter and her six-months-old baby.

West Huntingdon

West Huntingdon — The annual meeting of Huntingdon Red Cross Society was held in the Council Chambers at Ivanhoe on Tuesday evening and was presided over by the president, Mr. Charles Ketcheson, of Moira. At the conclusion of the business for the evening officers were elected for 1945.

President, Mr. Tom Fleming; secretary-treasurer, Miss Margaret Wright; other officers are the same as last year.

Friends and neighbors learned with much regret of the sudden death of Mr. Arthur Wilson on Wednesday morning at the Belleville General Hospital. Although in failing health for some time his condition was not felt too serious. The late Mr. Farrell was well respected and loved by old and young. His family have the sympathy of a host of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Green, Jimmie and George were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrison, 4th. of Rawdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Wilson were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melville Reid.

Mr. Chester Sills has been ill for a few days but at present is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Donnan and Mr. Clifford Green were Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Sharpe of Hoards.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Smith and family and Mrs. Kenneth Wright, all of Belleville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Bray.

Mrs. William Tuff, of John's Hill, spent a couple of days last week with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Post and sister, Mrs. Sandy McCurdy.

Mrs. J. R. Stewart and Mr. Kenneth Stewart were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley at Eggleston on Tuesday.

Those from here who attended the Cheese Producers' Meeting at Toronto last week were: Messrs. George Cooke, Morley Haggerty and Phillip Carr.

Miss Mary Morrow, of Frankford, spent a few days recently with her sister, Mrs. Harold Thompson.

Signboard spring have been noticed here already. Mr. Geo. Sutherland was in the community on Monday last with his sign cleaning plant and Mr. Melville Donnan has his booster banners filled with day old chicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson and Muriel spent a couple of days recently with Mr. and Mrs. George Reid of Campbellford.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mullet at Moira on Monday.

Farmers are predicting a feed shortage before the grass appears in the spring. Old timers say the feeding season has just passed the half-way mark.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw and Wayne of Ivanhoe, were tea hour guests on Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson.

Bancroft

Bancroft — A special board meeting was held at the Red Cross Hospital at Bancroft Thursday afternoon at which meeting Commander Chalmers, R.C.N., of Naval Headquarters at Toronto, along with Architect Charles B. Keele, of Toronto, present. After much discussion re the difference suggested for the location of the new hospital to be erected at Bancroft, the architect, Mr. Keele, pointed out that the river site at the southern end of the village and owned by Mr. Edward Maxwell, was the most suitable for the plans already prepared for the local hospital. As a result this property was procured and the erection of the new hospital which will be under construction early in May.

The finance committee for the active drive to commence at once is comprised of:

Mrs. Frank Eddy, president; Mrs. R. W. Blatherwick, Mrs. G. W. Jones, Mr. J. M. Joynt, Mr. H. H. Loucks, Mr. S. W. Palmateer.

Bancroft and district have to raise a sum of $8,000, as well as the purchasing of the new site and the sale of the present hospital. The maintenance of the new building will have to be taken care of annually by the local board, so every assistance will be appreciated by the committee in charge.

Personals

The ladies of L.O.B.A. No. 702, at Bancroft held a euchre party in the Orange Hall, Wednesday evening at which a very good attendance was present. During lunch the prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies' high, euchre, Miss Gertrude George; men's high, euchre, Mr. Frank Sprung; low, euchre, Miss Stella White, Mrs. G. Hayton won the lucky prize for obtaining the last lone hand. Mrs. Frank Sprung and Miss Gertrude George were tied for ladies' high euchre, Miss George won the cut.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones returned home from Toronto this week having spent several days in the city on business.

Mr. H. M. Allen is in Toronto visiting with relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Simmons were business visitors in Peterborough on Thursday.

The county auditors are in town this week auditing the town books also those of the surrounding districts.

Foxboro

Foxboro — The February meeting of the W.M.S. was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harold Stewart with a good attendance. The president, Mrs. Priest, was in charge. A number paid their dues and also donated to the Birthday Box. It was voted to have the Mission Band dinner on the usual meeting day in March and Mrs. Hart Sills was to interview Mrs. Ash in view of the dinner. The recording secretary read a letter from Mrs. Ash, Mrs. Ida Mills and Mrs. L. L. Dobbin were to be remembered in prayer this year. She stated that the Aldershot was subject to two hundred dollars. Plans were discussed to reach this. The treasurer, Mrs. Scott reported and Mrs. M. C. Reynolds gave a splendid reading on "Temperance, closing with a beautiful poem.

Mrs. W. Simons then conducted an interesting quiz on the Missionary Monthly. The president gave a reading on "Not Rationed." Mrs. Harold Stewart then took charge of the devotional and after giving the theme, she read a poem showing "How We May Serve." The program from the Missionary Monthly then followed. Mrs. J. G. Sills gave a most interesting address on "Christ's Message from the Study Book and Mrs. B. Rombough and Mrs. R. H. Hall took sang a duet with their own accompaniment. The leader led in different prayers and the meeting was closed by the president. The hostess served candy.

Burrs

Burr's — Red Cross quiltings have been recently held at the homes of Mrs. Murray Parks, Mrs. Stanley Brooks and Mrs. Clayton Cruickshanks.

The Red Cross social evening planned for Wednesday was postponed due to drifted roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kinnear entertained at a dinner party on Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. F. Osterhout and Mr. Osterhout were among those attending from this way.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morton entertained at a dinner on Thursday in honor of the former's mother, Mrs. J. Morton, on the occasion of her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Harns were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Osterhout.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burr ,were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Moore in honor of the birthday anniversary of the host's father, Mr. S. J. Monroe, who with Mrs. Monroe were also guests.

Rev. and Mrs. Lorne Burr entertained Mr. and Mrs. T. Pulford and Miss B. Humphrey at dinner on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallman spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Annlebower.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brason, Picton, were Tuesday noon hour guests of Mrs. Herb. Brason and Miss Rita Brason.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Osterhout and daughters were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Osterhout. Pte. Burton Osterhout reported at Kingston for further duty on Thursday. Mrs. Osterhout, Helen and Karen will remain at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Terry, Consecon Road.

Rev. and Mrs. Lorne Burr were Sunday noon hour guests of Mrs. Will Sobie and family, Wellington.

Sgt. Will Sobie, who arrived in England on Christmas Day, was a recent weekend guest of Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Squire, Swanage, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hall called on Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wood, on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Werden, Mrs. Earl Anderson, Mrs. S. Lefontaine, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burr, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wood and Robert were birthday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dick, Barbara and David, of Consecon, on Saturday evening for Mrs. E. Anderson, Mrs. R. Burr, Mrs. H. Montgomery and Mrs. K. Wood, who all had January birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Ainsworth entertained Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Werden, Mr. and Mrs. R. Calnan and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burr at dinner on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Moran and Master Larry Moran were Friday hour guests of Mrs. E. Anderson and Mrs. S. LaFontaine and evening guests of Miss F. Sullivan, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Osterhout were recent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wood, Christian St.

Several from this way attended the sale at Mr. Frank Prindall's on Wednesday.

A dance marking the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Istead was held at the Allisonville Hall on Monday evening.

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D. M. Wilgar
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New Business Effected	40,922,429.
Business in Force	334,671,797.
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THREE BRIDGEHEADS THROWN OVER THE ODER
MANILA FALLS, MACARTHUR SAYS 'ON TO TOKYO'

U.S. Troops Slash 2nd Concrete Belt Of Nazi Defences

Allies Advance 5 Miles, Cave in S. Alsace Pocket

BY JAMES M. LONG
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 6. (AP)—Infantry of the United States 1st Army slashed into the first concrete belt of German fortifications today to within 1,500 yards of Gemund and 1,000 yards of Schleiden, last bastion downs of the Siegfried Line.

Just to the north, the 9th Division drove through the west wall fortifications to within 1,500 yards of Schmidt, north of the network of dams controlling headwaters of the Roer River. Two of the five dams have been captured.

The 3rd Army, fighting seven miles deep in Germany, captured the Siegfried Line village of Habscheid, six miles southeast of the farthest communication centre of Prum, Germans however fell back into Brandscheid, where the 3rd Army had driven in clear through the Siegfried Line.

The 2nd Division and the 9th Division entered the outskirts Gemund and Schleden, both towns of about 2,500.

On the United States 3rd Army front to the south, however, grim resolute Germans burst back into the fortified village of Brandscheid where Lt.-Gen. George Patton's troops had broken clear through the Siegfried Line late yesterday. Heavy fighting ensued and the issue was still in doubt.

3rd Army Advances on 8-Mile Front

Elsewhere, troops of the 3rd Army advanced 1 1-4 miles along an eight-mile front southeast of Habscheid, seven miles southwest of Prum, and Schlausmuhle, six miles west. At other points the 3rd Army was seven miles inside Germany and just over three from Prum, where a spiderweb of rails and roads serves the German front.

Patrol activity was reported from the 1st Canadian Army front in Holland as well as from the British 2nd Army front.

Late front dispatches disclosed that Patton's 3rd Army forces had reached as deep as seven miles inside Germany. Infantry who went through the Siegfried Line backed it in the dense Schnee Eifel Forest.

Permanent Defence 1 1/2 Miles Deep

They found the permanent fortifications about 1 1/2 miles deep.

Supreme headquarters said the 1st Army's 9th Division was well into the last main zone of double Siegfried Line defences south of Monschau. Previously a front dispatch had reported a new penetration.

The 2nd Division, just south of the 9th, was fighting inside the last one-to-two-mile wide Siegfried defence zone. It was three-fourths of a mile from Schleiden and two miles from Gemund, vital road and munication centres southeast of Aachen about 26 miles from the Rhine.

After closing the trap in southern Alsace and forcing the Germans from the Vosges mountains, French and American units hacked out against larger numbers of the enemy backed against the Rhine river.

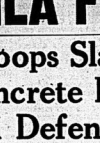
South of Strasbourg, four American divisions and the French 1st Army widened to five miles their cut-off corridor which split the Colmar pocket between the Ill rifle and the Vosges foothills, where German rear-guards were hemmed in by a double line which were caving in the pocket with gains of up to five miles a day.

East of the cutoff, the road between captured Neuf-Brisach on the Rhine railroad bridge was cut and German troops were boxed along the Rhine back to the south with only pontoon bridges and boats for their escape. A dozen or more Alsatian towns were taken.

With Lt.-Gen. Omar N. Bradley back in command of the United States 1st and 3rd Armies in his 12th Army group, the supreme gained steady pressure to the central sections of the west wall fortifications.

Gain Centred on 7 of 5 Dams

The 1st Army already has won control of two of the five dams controlling levels on the Roer, a barrley stream at the edge of the Cologne plain, and a line of small miles southwest of the three remaining dams was being strongly engaged in heavy fighting on the narrow Gulf river to the Heilenthal area. The 9th Division captured


GARFIELD CASE

Progressive Conservative candidate in Grey North by-election who scored decisive victory over Liberal Minister McNaughton and Air Vice-Marshal Godfrey.

Present Liquor Permits for Use For Next Year

Toronto, Feb. 6 (CP)—Liquor permits issued under the Liquor Control Act of Ontario today warned liquor permit holders not to destroy their current liquor permits which would normally expire March 31. He said these permits would be used again for the 12-month period ending March 31, 1946.

Mr. Webster said new books would be issued in order to save the province $90,000 printing costs. Permit holders will be issued a sticker to insert in 1944 books, when reserving their permits for said. These stickers, at the cost of one dollar, will authorize liquor purchases between April 1 .

Those who have not purchased permits in 1944 or before will be issued with an old book with sticker attached, he said.

high ground near Scheuren, which overlooks Schleiden, at the extreme eastern fringe of the double Siegfried Line.

The Germans pulling back their halted defence forces into an arc between Schleiden and Gemund, also at the eastern edge of the Siegfried fortifications, for a last attempt to keep the 1st Army from breaking out of the Roer dam box chain and bursting into the open toward the Rhine 20 miles northeast. The Americans fought within 14 miles of Euskirchen, a major traffic centre.

Belleville Pilot Brings Plane Home Minus Engine and Every Tank Holed

With RCAF Bomber Group in Britain— Signals leader of the Moose Squadron under operational operational flying, F-L. N. McConnachie, D.F.C., recently finished his second tour.

The six-foot-two-inch redhead from Calgary flew a first tour different in many ways to his second. He was a straight navigator in those days, and his place or business was the front turret of an RAF Wellington. The time was the second Libyan campaign. The work consisted mostly of strafing Rommel's tanks, motor transport and troops.

Between tours McConnachie remustered to Wireless air gunner and left North Africa's torrid sands and his RAF squadron for the damp mists of England and the Moose Squadron. Instead of flying a long wave hatch behind a team of machine guns, he found himself fiddling amid a mass of instruments deep in the innards of a big Canadian-built Lancaster.

The second tour proved even more exciting than the first. A dozen Luftwaffe fighters saw to that on

GARFIELD CASE, CONSERVATIVE, WINS IN G. NORTH

Possibility House May Be Dissolved Before He Can Take Seat In Parliament

Owen Sound, Feb. 6 (CP)—The Grey North federal constituency, which boasts a national platform for stormy arguments over the Liberal government's domestic policies, fell to the Progressive Conservatives in yesterday's by-election. The result immediately opened new speculation over a Dominion general election and dissolution of parliament.

Garfield Case, 43-year-old insurance man and former mayor of Owen Sound, scored a decisive victory for his opposition party over Defence Minister McNaughton, LL.D., and A. Earl Godfrey, retired Air Vice-Marshal and C.O.P. candidate.

Mr. Case, whose campaign featured a demand for the government's policies of partial conscription and reinforcements for the Canadian army overseas, had a majority of 1,236 over Godfrey, 4,711; McNaughton, 3,475. Case, who then ran as a National Government candidate, polled 6,099; Godfrey 3,136.

Liberal Vote in 1940

In the 1940 general election, Grey North was won by W. E. Tolford, Liberal, whose resignation because of ill-health paved the way for the by-election. He won by pluralities of 1,707 and 5,104 in a three-cornered contest. The vote in 1940 stood, 7,538; Y. C. Porteous, National Government candidate; Tolford, Lib.,

City and District News

DRIVES CAR INTO TRUCK TO AVOID HITTING CHILD

Swerving his car to avoid striking a child who ran, tumbling across West Bridge St., Orland W. Mastin, 14½ Portia Pl., crashed his motor car into a parked truck Monday. Fortunately no person was injured and the damage resulting was not extensive. The ignition of the automobile was damaged to some extent, but as the driver suggested, it was fortunate the child was not struck.

THIEF ACTS QUICKLY IN STEALING CAR

Apparently it isn't good practice to even leave your automobile unlocked for a minute, at least, W. D. McIlveen, 32 College St., has definite proof of that today. Last evening Mr. McIlveen parked his car on North Front St. while he hastened into a friend's home to pick up a parcel. He left the ignition keys in the car. When he returned a moment later the vehicle was gone. "I only walked into the house, delivered the parcel and returned to find my car gone," Mr. McIlveen reported to police.

CONSECON SOLDIER PENS NOTE TO FATHER FROM JAP PRISON CAMP

A brief but welcome note assuring that he was in good health and working every day, has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vandlet of Consecon from their son, Pte. Donald Vandlet, taken prisoner at the capitulation of Hong Kong following the fall of Hong Kong more than three years ago. The note is the second communication received since he was taken prisoner.

Received Dec. 31st, the card carried no sending date mark, but indicated that it was at Camp No. 8 in Fukuoka, Japan.

"I am hope you are the same," the note read. "I received your letter and was sure glad to hear from you. I also received your parcel. I am in Japan working every day and in good health."

CHAIRMEN NAMED FOR EASTER FESTIVAL AT ST. MICHAEL'S

A meeting was held in St. Michael's rectory recently for the representatives of the different societies of the church to appoint a slate of workers to supervise the Easter Festival which is taking place this year on April the third, the fourth and the fifth.

The officers are as follows: General Chairman, F. Domenico; Vice Chairman, G. Lee; Chairman, Entertainment, Mrs. Mahoney; Asst. Chairman Entertainment, G. Maddock; Treasurer, Geo. O'Leary; Asst. Treasurer, Jos. O'Leary; Secretary, Miss M. Hudon; Booth, Games, Bingo, T. Kabaugh; Wheels, J. Veigh and W. McGuire; Refreshments, T. Flurey and T. Royall; Publicity, G. Forhan and Miss Eicher; Stage Manager, M. Callaghan, T. Owen and Sr. Young; Decorations, Mrs. Dutton and P. Melchior; Cafeteria Supervisor, Mrs. Lessard; Asst. Mrs. S. B. Upper, Pres.; Grand Drawing Ticket, Trustees of Church, Miss A. Doyle, Pres.; children of Mary, Miss G. Lynch; Angel Modality, Miss M. Cannon.

SENDING LIGHTER FLUID DANGEROUS

Despite the fact that overseas soldiers may be in need of cigarette lighter fluid or matches, including these articles in parcels being sent to service personnel may result in many soldiers never receiving mail and letters by loved ones.

Officials of the postal department have stated that these articles frequently are the cause of fire in postal sorting quarters or in ships holds with the result that mail is damaged or lost altogether.

It is universally appreciated that receiving of mail from home is rated the highest among morale builders for troops overseas and no thinking Canadian will be willingly be responsible for lessening the flow of mail through inclusion of inflammable materials in parcels for overseas shipment.

SEVEN ARRESTED FOR INTOXICATION

Just what the occasion happened to be is somewhat of a puzzle to police, but something happened one evening was an occasion of liquid celebration as no less than seven celebrators were arrested for intoxication in Belleville. And this includes a woman, who refused to leave a city bus at the conclusion of a regular run Three men, who had consumed freely, but not well, were apprehended in a downtown restaurant, while engaged in fisticuffs. They also were charged with intoxication. The remaining three were apprehended singly after showing outward signs of having imbibed too freely of bottled refreshments. Those taking out the cafe disturbance will appear on charges of drunkenness. The woman, who refused to leave the bus, was charged with disorderly conduct, police officials revealed today.

FRANK P. CLARKE GIVEN NEW POST

Returned veteran from the fighting in Italy and formerly employed in the Belleville office of the Department of National Revenue, Mr. Frank P. Clarke, of Toronto, has been transferred to the Income Tax Division. He began his new duties with the Income Tax Office in Belleville on February 1st. He was with the Income Tax Division from Sept. 8th., 1944, until Jan. 31st of this year.

CASH DONATIONS TO WRONG ADDRESS

Change of service club executive officers sometimes causes confusion among the rank of members formerly acting in an official capacity with organizations outside of town residents continuing to send their cash donations to the former service club.

This is especially true of the local Kinsmen club with cash donations for the past three year being forwarded to the former, Mr. Harry Knott. This year Mr. Frank Laing is Kinsmen treasurer, but cash donations to the club's cigarette fund and other funds for British aid are still being forwarded to the previous treasurer.

Kinsmen officials wishing to help the various Kinsmen projects along are requested to send the donations asked to address communications to Box 1750, c/o Stephens-Adamson, Box 367, Belleville.

POLICE COURT

Harry Starr, R. R.#No. 8 Belleville, who was arrested in Belleville last week on a charge of stealing ten cents from a Kinsmen Club Poppy Day parade, Post Office today was committed to the Ontario Mental Hospital for observation.

After moving for the committal, Crown Attorney B. C. Donnan asked for the dismissal of the theft charge due to the circumstances of commitment. Magistrate T. R. Wills consented to the dismissal after reviewing the medical certificates presented to the court.

Case Further Remanded.

Charged with breaking, entering and the theft of a rifle and shells, 20-year-old Archie Navin of Napanee, had his case further remanded and is being held in custody.

Charged With Forgery.

Roland McGrath, 18, of Belleville, appeared on a charge of forging a cheque, the property of his employer, C. R. Clapp, and at the request of the prosecution the case was enlarged for one week with McGrath being allowed bail on his own recognition.

Non-Support Charge.

A charge of non-support was read against Harold Allan, Belleville. "If the court will grant a week's enlargement I will endeavor to work out a solution to this problem in the meantime," suggested Mr. E. E. Pollwell, local barrister, who had been engaged by the defendant.

The names of eleven persons charged with intoxication were read from the court records, this including two women, all of whom had either pleaded guilty before the proceedings opened or did in court today to pay the conventional ten and costs.

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Public Dumbfounded by Quickness Of Election Results in Grey North

One of the articles of war is the element of surprise.

And this element entered largely into the picture of the Grey North by-election Monday night when Conservative Garfield Case was returned victor over Colonel G. O. L. McNaughton, and Earle Godfrey, leader of the political faction minded of this city was concerned.

Exactly one hour and fifty-seven minutes after the polls closed at 6 p.m. the telephone rang announcing the election of Mr. Case.

It was the first lively stir of the time that caught the political faithful of this district, which is accustomed to waiting from three to four hours for anything like definite news of an election, left at the post, so to speak.

Many Were Incredulous.

As a matter of fact, a number of the telephone "informers" of this newspaper couldn't believe their ears when some of the editorial staff told them complete results at a time when they expected at the most an early trend of the voting.

Those who like their election fare served up in bulletin platters at intervals, instead of all at once, lay it at one gulp at a time when they think it is being gauged "who is kidding?" when told a few minutes after they expected election night that "war drums throbbed no longer" in this riding as he clinked up the receiver.

Lasted as a result, many who preferred to wait until what they thought was the proper time, when the votes would be tabulated from their figures and decided who was who, were disappointed. It was as far as telephone news was concerned. The first flash from the editorial staff called it a day, and went out to pay or collect their bets.

Good Organization.

It seemed only a few minutes after six o'clock had tolled, marking the closing of the North Grey polls, that press wires began to hum with the news of the election.

Repetition of returns from the various sections of the constituency to tabulation centres and thence to the waiting public on local radio, is a feather in the organization cap of those who ran the election in the Western Ontario constituency.

Wires speeded up in a consistent flow of figures and by seven o'clock or shortly after, Mr. Case definitely proved to be a definite trend of the election returns available to the public. By 7.57 p.m., 104 of the 127 polls in the constituency had returned final figures and the election had been conceded to Mr. Phones.

No wonder, then that the faithful of all three political parties in this city were figuratively stunned when they received final returns at their first turn at the telephone dials.

Much Surprise.

And their surprise was reflected in quick gasps of unbelief, elation or disappointment, all depending on which party horse they were backing.

For instance one of the early callers asked: "What time do you expect returns from the North Grey election?"

"It's all over," he was informed.

"It's what?" the other end of the line gasped.

"It's all over," a reporter told the transmitter, "Case is elected."

"The hell he is. He couldn't be," came a subdued voice.

"But he is."

"Well, I'll be d.....r."

A number of Liberals, who apparently hadn't been following the election closely, called up after a few weeks, wanted to know to which party Mr. Case belonged.

"Hmmm, Conservative, eh? Well, that's bad enough."

A local journalist voice chuckled through the receiver when told of the result.

Another Case for Hing.

"Another troublesome case for Mr. King to have on his hands," was his query as he clicked up the receiver.

And believe it or not, a lady who was told of the Conservative victory wanted to know where Mr. King finished in the fight.

Several apparently staunch followers of Mr. Mackenzie King refused repeat figures of the final returns. One who told there were no flies polls to be heard from proved an outstanding optimist when he said, "Oh, well, we've got a chance yet."

An excited lady fairly shouted over the phone that she was a nurse at the Civic Hospital in Toronto and left Belleville three or four days ago, and was dying to hear the result. When told, the receiver gave forth strange sounds that resembled to some extent the hydraulic hissing of a cooler over a radio set, and which ended in a squeak of delight, and thanks.

Other voices registered keen disappointment. Some did not speak when informed of the final figures, and silently cradled the receiver.

A good percentage of the calls was received from members of the fair sex.

At usual, members of the switchboard staff of the Bell Telephone Company here are sensitive to service to and from the editorial room of this paper.

Two Napanee Army Officers Awarded the Military Cross

Two Napanee Canadian Army officers serving overseas, Captain William F. Sharon, 30, and Lieut. Gordon W. MacGregor, 24, have been awarded the Military Cross for gallantry in action according to an announcement made this morning by the Department of National Defence at Ottawa. The announcement indicated 81 awards had been made, including 3 bars, to the Military Cross, three D.C.M.'s and 41 Military Medals.

According to the citations accompanying the awards, Captain Sharon, now acting major, was in command of a Canadian Canadian Engineer field squadron which was ordered to construct a bailey bridge across the Savio river, three miles south of Bruges, Belgium, last Sept. 9th.

"Major Sharon", the citation continued, "was on the site and under his direction work proceeded until the site was no longer tenable because of the heavy and accurate enemy fire from houses on the area."

Two days later under intense enemy mortar fire and artillery fire, a 90-foot bridge was completed which "has enabled us now to be in final to successfully expand the Allied bridgehead on the approaches to the city" operation Major Sharon remained on the site, his persistence and determined initiative, in conjunction with the example, and his personal courage being responsible for the completion of the bridge.

Lieut. MacGregor received his award for action in the Falaise area last August when his 17-pounder troop was deployed and engaged targets, including Tiger tanks, as his troop hung on for three days frustrating enemy attempts to break out of the Falaise pocket. One tank and 19 vehicles were destroyed, and ammunition dump was blown up and airps number of the enemy killed, wounded or forced to surrender.

"The exemplary achievement of this troop was due to Lieut. MacGregor's great coolness and gallantry," the citation indicated. "The troop undoubtedly contributed materially to the sealing of the Falaise pocket and prevented large numbers of the enemy and their equipment from escaping—a result due to the fine leadership and bravery of this officer."

BANCROFT

Scuffle Results In Man's Arrest

Bancroft, Feb. 6.—As the result of an altercation at the Grand Cafe late Saturday night in which Mr. Lum Chong, owner and proprietor of the cafe was injured in the scuffle Mr. P. Mullen, of Toronto, was arrested Sunday afternoon by Provincial Officer S. W. Palmateer of Bancroft. Mr. Mullen is a contract sawyer fir the Grimsthorpe Lumber Company at Gilmour and after the scuffle at the restaurant left town shortly afterwards and was not apprehended by the officer at a residence on the lower Parkdale road but on their way to the village the accused made good his escape and after about fifteen hours later was re-arrested. Mullen is charged with escaping the custody of the police and also assault causing bodily harm and was later remanded on $1,000 bail.

Sgt. Amos and Opl. Basil Young of the Military Police of Peterborough, assisted by Provincial Officer S. W. Palmateer of Bancroft, arrested two men who have been A.W.L. who were returned to their training centre. The men in question were Harry Dafoe of Madoc and Manley Sutherland, of Hybla.

Obituary

INFANT BRADSHAW

The funeral of Infant Bradshaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bradshaw, College Street, was held from the Belleville Burial Committee. Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon with service in the chapel. Interment was made in Melrose Cemetery.

MRS. HELENA DALES

Tweed—Mrs. Helena Plath Dales, widow of Prof. John Roland Dales, and mother of Dr. M. G. Dales, Tweed, died on February 4th at the York Pioneer Memorial Homes, Toronto.

Daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Adam Plath, she was born at Drayton, Ont., where she received her education. For a few years she taught in the public schools of the district.

After her marriage she spent some time in Kingston, where her husband was on the staff of the Queen's University. Later he became associated with McMaster University, Toronto.

Prof. Dales was a member of the staff of the Christian Seminary in Missouri, returning to Canada in 1933 and taking up residence in Newmarket.

Prof. Dales died in 1936.

Surviving are four sons: Mayor Dr. Merrill G. Dales, Newmarket; Dr. Murray G. Dales, Tweed; Col.; Capt. Charles W. Dales, M.D., with the Canadian army in Belgium; one daughter, Mrs. Gerald Markle, Hartville; one sister, Mrs. E. A. Lawlor, Toronto, and three brothers, Dr. Alfred Plath, Seattle; Dr. Frederick Plath, La Mesa, Cal., and Dr. Everon Plath, Toronto.

Funeral service will be held on Wednesday afternoon with interment in Park Lawn Cemetery, Toronto.

MRS. ELLEN TRACY KERR

Marmora — Residents of Marmora and Deloro will regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Ellen Tracy Kerr, beloved wife of William George Kerr, which took place on Saturday afternoon, last, at her residence, 97 Scollard Street, Toronto. The Kerrs came to Deloro from Toronto in June, 1938, Mr. Kerr entering the employ of the Deloro Smelting and Refining Company as an electric welder and remaining with the company until his retirement in November 1938. The deceased lady during that time was a member of St. Paul's Anglican Church and belonged to the Deloro Group of the Ladies' Aid. She was highly respected by all who knew her. Some years ago Mr. Kerr had a fine cottage erected on the corner of Crown Lake and Far from Booster Park and it was the delight of Mrs. Kerr and herself to tend to one of the best flower gardens to the rear of the cottages. Since their removal to Toronto Mr. Kerr and they have returned to their cottage for a few weeks every summer.

Besides her husband the late Mrs. Kerr is survived by three children all resident in Toronto, namely, Mrs. C. E. Woodford (Estelle); Mrs. G. Condie (Gertie) and William George Kerr, Junior.

The funeral service was held in the chapel of the Bates and Maddocks Funeral Home, 134 Avenue Road, Toronto, at two p.m., on Tuesday, Feb. 6th. Interment took place in St. James' Cemetery.

Opportunities in Salesmanship Await Veterans in Post-War Period

Visualizing a job for each and every returned man as result of the general mobilization activity ever to be enjoyed by Canadian industry coupled with the heaviest consumer demand backed up by cash and by 1946, Mr. Deacon, of Deacon Brothers Ltd., told Kinsmen Club members Monday evening that a job in selling salesmanship only was needed to give full employment in the post-war period. "A tremendous opportunity in selling awaited veterans returning from overseas, according to the speaker who pointed out that since the beginning of the war industry had lost the art of salesmanship because of a ready market for capacity production.

Although he saw a big opportunity in selling for returned veterans, Mr. Deacon stated that this did not necessarily mean an answer to all problems as boys from overseas would have to undergo a readjustment to adapt themselves to the personal problems of selling here that members of a service club, such as the Kinsmen, could do a yeoman service.

Will Need Assistance.

"The biggest problem in the mind of the overseas soldier is whether he can get a job and whether he can adjust himself to again fit into the groove of a peacetime occupation," stated Mr. Deacon. "When they return it is all over. They step off the train and say you are glad to see them. But we must help them. They will appreciate your assistance in getting rehabilitated back into civilian life."

The speaker told of his administration for the Kinsmen Club, indicating that it takes a real effort to show a record such as has been made by the local club in the ten years of its existence. Their gym clinic work, their cigarette fund and Milk for British Fund were the story of sister district clubs, he said.

Knowledge Improves Manufacture.

In conclusion, Mr. Deacon told of conditions entering into the planning and manufacture of protective clothing for personnel of the armed services, indicating that varying temperatures and atmospheric conditions call for different types of clothing. It had been a difficult job but the knowledge gained by wartime experience would be of great benifit in clothing manufacture in the post-war period.

Several staff members of Deacon Brothers were present with Kinsmen dinner meeting, it being a meeting at which the executive to have industrial plant personnel visit their club during meetings to further acquaint them with the work being done by Kinsmen. The speaker was introduced by Mr. Harry Knott, with club appreciation being expressed by Kin Frank Laing.

President Harry Rollins was in the chair, while Art Cruft acted as song leader and Bill Bell as fine collector. Bill Navin substituted for Phil Huddleston at the piano.

LATE MICHAEL ANGUS FARRELL

Funeral services for the late Michael Angus Farrell, who passed away in Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday, took place from the late residence, West Huntingdon to St. James the Minor Church, Stirling, on Saturday for Requiem Mass. Rev. Father Lacey was celebrant and Rev. Father H. J. Farrell, of Marmora, assisted in the service. Father Martin of Desoronto, was also present.

Interment took place at St. James' Cemetery and the bearers were Messrs. Jack Farrell, Michael Kerby, Sam Donnan, Goldie McInroy, J. B. Hagerman and W. J. Richards.

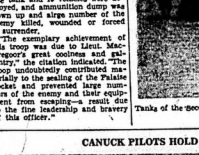
Many friends and neighbors were present to honor the memory of an esteemed friend and neighbor and sympathy is sincerely have the sympathy of a host of friends. The numerous floral offerings and beautiful flowers bore testimony of the esteem of the departed.

Partisan Leader Given High Award

By WILLIAM BOOS
(CP War Correspondent)

Ravenna, Italy, Feb. 6 — (CP) — Canada's Ravenna's Partisan leader since November, 1943, the 29-year-old man whose work culminated in the capture of Ravenna, Feb. 4, has been awarded Italy's highest gallantry decoration, the Medaglia D'Oro.

WINTER ACTION IN HOLLAND



Tanks of the Second British Army in Holland slide into a ditch as they move into action.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

CANUCK PILOTS HOLD GAB SESSION DURING REST PERIOD IN BURMA



It's the old east-west argument on again, as a group of Canadian pilots gabbby for a session at an airfield on the Burma front. They fly Thunderbolt fighter-bombers.

Spy Trial Opens In New York

New York, Feb. 6 — (AP) — For the second time in this war, a United States jury today began weighing the power to impose the death penalty as charges were brought to this country by a German submarine to commit "espionage, sabotage and other hostile acts" as agents of the German government.

While swaiting trial, they were confined by the grave — the tomb-stone by the 136-year-old Castle Williams, Governors Island guard house which was used to hold Civil War prisoners and eight feet thick.

The castle was built on that island in Upper New York Bay.

The seven-member committee unanimously agreed on conclusions twice daily, at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., on the trial's progress.

BIRTH

MEEHAN — P/O. and Mrs. Meehan (nee Doreen Tupnette) wish to announce the birth of their baby son, Peter John, 1945, in the Belleville General Hospital, 4 son. Private Marold Jr. Daddy overseas.

MALE—At Belleville General Hospital, Thursday, February 1st, 1945, to Sgt. and Mrs. Orval C. Male (nee Margaret Nolan) a son, Charles Collin.

DEATHS

CALLAHAN — Suddenly at the home of her sister, Mrs. Grace Alexander, 372 Bleecker Ave., Belleville, on Saturday, February 3th., Michael John Callahan in his 68th. year. Resting at Belleville Funeral Company Funeral Home, Campbell St., Belleville. Funeral will be held on Wednesday, February 7th., to St. Michael's Church, for Libera, at 2.00 p.m. Interment St. James Cemetery.

CURRY — Suddenly at the Hastings County Home, on Tuesday morning, February 6th., Thomas Curry, late of Tweed, formerly of Tweed.

Resting at the Benson Funeral Home, Church Street at Victoria Ave., where funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon, service in the Chapel at 2 p.m. Interment Belleville cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

KEECH — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Cliff Keech, who passed away January 24, 1927, and a loving son and brother, Ralph Keech, who died in Cambridge Hospital, Ontario, February 6, 1940.

God knew best they were suffering, That the hills were hard to climb, So He closed their eyes in silence, Bid whispered, "Peace, be thine."

—Ever remembered by Wife and Mother, and sisters and brothers, Maibel, Pearl and Arlie.

BELTON — In loving memory of Sgt. Belton, who died February 6, 1944.

Thomas St. East, who died one year ago today.

Oh, what we'd give to clasp your hand:

Hear your dear, kind face just to see:

Your loving smile, your welcome voice.

That meant so much to me.

No one knows the silent heartache, No one knows the pain each can tell Of the grief that is borne in silence For the one we love so well.

—Ever remembered by wife, Vera.

WILSON — In loving memory of Arthur Wilson, who died February 6, 1944.

From the lonely home and circle God has taken one we loved.

One that filled our home and sacred now

To a holier rest above.

No one knows how much we miss him,

Never but aching hearts can tell:

Lost on earth, but found in Heaven, Safe with Jesus, God loves well.

—Ever remembered by wife and children, Florence and Helen.

Ever remembered by his friend, Mrs. Cameron.

The prayer said the remote Maine fishing village of Hancock Point, Nov. 26 after being brought to this country by a German submarine to commit "espionage, sabotage and other hostile acts" as agents of the German government.

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Post-war Program For France Set Out By Gen. De Gaulle

Paris, Feb. 6 (AP) — General Charles De Gaulle, setting forth a three-point post-war program for the preservation of peace in Europe, said Monday night that France would not be bound by any inter-Allied decisions unless she had a voice in framing them.

In a radio broadcast which coincided with conferences of Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin, may even now be in conference, the chief of the French provisional government demanded:

1. Occupation of the entire length of the Rhine River—the traditional natural barrier between France and Germany.

2. Separation of the river's western banks and the Ruhr industrial area from the rest of Germany.

3. Assurance of independence for the smaller countries of Europe.

Gen. De Gaulle predicted French troops gradually would become the predominant element in the occupation of Germany and said that the Allies had "shown great comprehension" of the French request for sole occupation of the Rhineland.

Outlining these aims as essentials, he asked assurance for the independence of Poland, Austria, Czechoslovakia, and the Balkan States, "in friendship with" the nations which will have to carry the principal burden of maintaining the peace of Europe."

Omitting Spain from his list of neighbor countries, Gen. De Gaulle said France intends to seek mutual security and economic pacts with Belgium, Luxembourg and Holland and, in time, to resume pact relations with "renovated Italy."

After the war France will be ready to negotiate for a world peace organization, he added.

"This organization will include the United States of America at its head and will promise to each state a supreme guarantee of its life and development in human society."

Billie Hughes Meets Joe Louis In Winnipeg

Champions of the squared circle of yesteryear and the present day met in a Winnipeg ring the other day—but there were no blows exchanged. They shook hands, posed for photographers . . . and smilingly went their way.

One was the dusky Joe Louis, undefeated heavyweight champion of the world, immaculate in his uniform of a sergeant of the United States army, and the other Billie Hughes, former lightweight champion of Canada, decades ago.

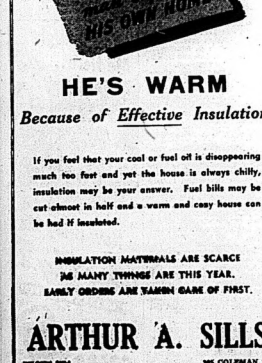
The meeting took place during the International Inter-Service Boxing Show held in the Winnipeg Civic Auditorium last month, at which Joe was a guest referee with Billie handling other ring assignments.

Billie Hughes, who gained fame years ago not only as a boxer and trainer of the famous Queen's University and Winnipeg Blue Bomber champion football squads, is well known in Belleville and resided here for several years. During his leisure here as a representative of a well known brewery firm, Billie assisted in the training of local boxers and athletic squads.

His den, lined with pictorial souvenirs of his service to King Sport was visited by many athletic and other sport enthusiasts of the city. Billie left Belleville some time ago to reside in his native Winnipeg.

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Post-election Statements

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DEFENCE MINISTER McNAUGHTON

Owen Sound, Feb. 6 —(CP) — Defence Minister McNaughton, in a broadcast last night shortly after the defeat in Grey North by-election was ascertained, said that the "forces of Tory reaction have won the first skirmish in the great battle which must now be joined."

The stirring broadcast over the Owen Sound radio station read:—

"Tonight I speak to you briefly from North Grey where for the moment the forces of Tory reaction have won the first skirmish in the great battle which must now be joined.

"That battle is to decide the future of Canada for a long time to come. It is to decide whether our young men and women will have a proper opportunity to grow up in freedom of conscience, of faith and of expression — to have their lives in happiness and abundance or whether they are to come under the bondage of a completely uncongenial dictatorship which inaugurates under the false front of a Progressive label.

"We have fought this election campaign. We have been fair and square in every respect. We have done our best.

"We do not yet know the full reasons for today's results but you may be sure that they will be most completely looked into and guarded against in future.

"We have had a lesson. We are not likely to be reminded in that event that in the final count we will win through.

"I thank all the workers in the cause most sincerely for the great support given to me and mine.

"I regret that duties at the Defence Headquarters in Ottawa have kept me away from them for many days. I ask that all our friends be of good courage for the future. I ask that they carry on.

"Above all I have given my loyalty and devotion to the present Minister, Prime Minister and leader in the great cause for which the Liberal party stands. I will fight on and lead in the end our cause will triumph."

PRIME MINISTER KING

Ottawa, Feb. 6 — (CP) — Text of statement on the result of the Grey North by-election follows:

The result of the by-election in Grey North raises immediately the question as to whether or not any useful purpose can be served by having another session of parliament before a general election.

The constituency of Grey North was opened by the government in the expectation that, in the circumstances, no opposition would be offered to the minister and a subsequent session of parliament before a general election would thereby be assured.

It was obvious from the outset that the Minister of National Defence could not give his full attention to a political campaign and, at the same time, discharge his heavy war-time responsibilities. The returns make it apparent that had Gen. McNaughton's time in the constituency not been so limited, he would have been elected.

The returns also make clear that one cause of the success of the Progressive Conservative candidate was the splitting of the vote of those who are opposed to reactionary forces.

As everyone is aware, I have all along sought to avoid a general election while our men are fighting at the front.

The by-election has, however, raised the question whether by their attitudes in the present campaign, the parties which have offered opposition to the government in the by-election have not created and fostered the very circumstance which make a general election inevitable, and this at what may well prove to be the most critical of all stages of the war.

To this aspect of the situation, the government will give immediate and close attention.

FIRST COMES WRAPPER CONTENTS FOLLOW

London, Ont., Feb. 6. (CP) — Mrs. O. Meadows was a trifle upset last week when, of a long-awaited parcel of souvenirs from her soldier husband in Italy, only the outer wrapping arrived. She complained to the post office, and a few days later the missing box arrived, its contents intact.

THRIFTY'S FAT PLASTIC PLATES

Petersburg, Ill., Feb. 6 — (AP)— Now turkeys as well as buildings are seating the soy-plastic Illinois license plates. A Menard County farmer reported he caught one of his gobblers gobbling a chunk from his 1945 tag. Stray pups in Springfield and Joliet recently were seen nibbling at plates.

SAYS MEAT SPEAKEASIES EXCEED ONE THOUSAND

New York, Feb. 6 —(AP)— Paul Henkel, president of the Society of Restaurateurs, said yesterday that more than 1,000 "meat speakeasies" were in operation in the city, serving black market beefsteak and roast beef. "You can still get meat in these speakeasies if you tell them John, Joe or Tom sent you," Henkel said.

Conservative

GARFIELD CASE

Owen Sound, Ont., Feb. 6 —(CP)—Garfield Case, winner in the Grey North by-election, said last night after the results were known that he did not look upon the victory as a personal one, but rather as one for "my people . . . and the boys overseas."

"With this mandate, may I assure you that I will go forward, not in any sense by repayment only those who have supported me, but each and every citizen in this riding and I hope you consider me your representative in his broadest sense," said Mr. Case.

He said he wished to congratulate his opponent—Defence Minister McNaughton, government candidate, and Air Vice Marshal A. E. Godfrey, C.C.F. candidate—for the clean way in which the campaign was fought.

He thanked those who had helped him during the campaign and expressed the hope that he would be able to discharge his responsibility to the entire satisfaction of everyone in the constituency.

Mr. Case, who broadcast the statement over the local radio station, spoke shortly before Air Vice Marshal Godfrey made a similar and thanked those who had supported him and helped him during the campaign.

JOHN BRACKEN

Ottawa, Feb. 6 —(CP)— Text of the statement issued by John Bracken, Progressive Conservative National Leader, on the Grey North by-election follows:

The election of Grey North have spoken. Once they are counted, lead to the nation on the plebiscite. Now they have given a mandate only on the manpower issue. Their decision today will be a great encouragement to the men who are so valiantly carrying on overseas.

The results indicate three things: First, that when a government is faced with a crisis in war it should call upon its man-power fairly, not unfairly; Second, that the unity of the nation's sons are called upon to defend us in the days of peace; the provision for standing behind them with reinforcements in a great crusade, not instead; Third, that in a matter where the lives of our youth are at stake, there must be no approach to equality of sacrifice—declaring on military matters must be determined by military needs, not by political preference.

I need not say that I am deeply appreciative of the work of our organization in Grey North and also for the splendid support I endorse in our policy and in our candidate Mr. Case so positively indicated by the electors of that constituency.

C.C.F.

M. J. COLDWELL

Ottawa, Feb. 6 (CP)—Text of the statement issued by M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. National leader, on the result of the Grey North by-election follows (125):

Air Vice-Marshal Earl Godfrey fought a magnificent fight. It was clean and raised the issues the country must face squarely. The (C.C.F.) did not participate in the mud-slinging that featured the closing days of the campaign.

The C.C.F. stands four square for reinforcements for our fighting men but demands, too, that industry and wealth shall serve the nation in the same manner and on the same terms as our men and women serve in war.

We did not win, but our candidate and his workers deserve the thanks of our entire movement for their self-sacrificing effort in the people's cause.

The educational work which they have done in the past few weeks will bear fruit in the days to come.

Grey North was in many respects very ground for our movement, but in such contests the message and the program of the C.C.F. have been brought to thousands of Canadians.

Youngest Member Of the Fighting Carters Home on Furlough

Bandaman Arnold Carter, youngest member of a fighting family of six, who are in the armed services, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carter, of 52 Purdy St.

The youthful bandaman is a member of the crack Royal Canadian Navy Band, stationed at HMCS Stadacona, "Somewhere on the East Coast."

Four brothers and a brother-in-law of Bandaman Carter are in Canada or on the far-flung fronts where Allied Nations are battling for civilization.

Supply assistant Eric Carter is with the Royal Canadian Navy on board a Canadian warship doing convoy duty somewhere on the North Atlantic.

Sergeant Gordon Carter, a member of the famous British 8th. Army on the Italian front, is still fighting with his unit despite the fact that he has been wounded twice.

Flight Sergeant Clare Carter, an RCAF air gunner is flying with one where in Canada, while Lieutenant Jack Carter is with the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps and stationed at Hamilton.

A brother-in-law, Captain M. Moffatt, is an armament officer with the United States Army Air Corps and at present is on duty at Pindall Field at Panama.

2 NCO's Awarded Military Crosses Posthumously

Ottawa, Feb. 6. (CP)—Unusual but not without precedent in Canadian military annals, two non-commissioned officers have been awarded Military Crosses, usually reserved for officers, it was disclosed today when Defence headquarters issued citations covering 81 awards for gallantry in northwest Europe.

R.S.M. Wilbert Pindley McRae, Campbellton, N.B.; and C.S.M. Abram Arbour, 27, Winnipeg, both since killed in action were included in a list of 30 winners of the Military Cross.

McRae was cited for his cool organization work in ensuring reinforcements and supplies reaching a heavily shelled position while Arbour took over from a wounded company commander and assaulted an enemy force killing many and capturing the remainder.

Beside the 30 M.C.'s there were seven Distinguished Service Orders, three Distinguished Conduct Medals and 41 Military Medals.

Cheese Producers Ask Increase in Price

Members of the Ontario Cheese Producers' association in convention at Toronto last week elected W. O. Coon of Elgin, Ont., as their president for the current year, succeeding W. H. Montgomery, Carrying Place. J. L. Ballantyne of Atwood was elected vice president.

A convention through resolution expressed appreciation to the Ontario Government for its subsidy of two cents per pound on all cheese produced in the province during the past four years, and asked that it be continued, and also appealed to the Dominion government for a 2 3-4 cent increase in the basic price of cheese bringing the price to 25 cents the pound.

In Ontario this would mean an increased income of more than two and one half million dollars for producers on the basis of 95 million pounds of cheese produced last year. The resolution asking for an increase in the basic cheese price was also passed in Regina recently at the convention of the Dairy Farmers of Canada.

John A. Bell, of Marmora township, was appointed as a director of the association for Hastings county, while Hector Arnold of Campbellford will represent Northumberland, and W. H. Montgomery, Prince Edward county.

C.C.F. Candidate Loses Deposit In By-election

Owen Sound, Feb. 6. (CP)—A. Earl Godfrey, C.C.F. candidate, lost his $200 deposit in the Grey North by-election on the basis of unofficial voting figures.

The Electoral Act provides that when a candidate does not obtain half of the vote polled by the winner the $200 deposited with the Returning Officer when nomination papers are filed, is not returned.

Unofficial figures gave Mr. Godfrey, 2,196 votes. Defence Minister Conservative, the winner, polled 7,238. Mr. Godfrey would have had to have polled 3,619 to avoid losing his deposit. Defence Minister McNaughton's total was 6,099.

SUB FAILS TO RETURN

Washington, Feb. 6 — (AP)—The submarine Tang has failed to return from a war patrol and is presumed lost, the United States Navy announced today. The Tang was the 39th United States submarine lost since Dec. 7, 1941.

EVACUATING WOUNDED FROM BURMA FRONT



Canadians are co-operating with British and American Air Ambulance units in India and Burma, relentlessly driving the Japs to destruction. Sometimes attached to Royal Air Force units, they fly their patients in converted bomber planes. Warrant Officer Joe Edwards of Regina, Sask., has a tricky job. He pilots a light (Stinson Sentinel) ambulance plane—landing and taking off from tiny emergency strips on the advanced fighting front. An oblique-wing Stinson Sentinel is shown above with stretcher cases are placed.





WE have the Right to SPEAK...

TO PLAN OUR FUTURE AS WE WILL

WE Canadians are democrats.

Adolf Hitler would never have had a chance in our country. The Fuehrer ranted and roared his way to leadership. His beer-parlour oratory impressed his countrymen . . . they were ready to be swayed, eager to be convinced. Here was a dictator's opportunity.

We Canadians don't do things that way. We don't like being led by the nose. We want to think for ourselves. We want to do things in our own way . . . to plan our future as we will. This is the way we have built Canada into the great nation she is today.

From a primitive land, uninhabited but for a few tribes of Indians, Canada — in a short 100 years — has grown from a *terra incognita* to one of the greatest trading nations of the world.

This has come to pass through the vision and pioneering spirit of our forefathers, through their determination, enterprise, self-reliance, and the deep-rooted knowledge that only through hard work, intelligently applied, can anything worthwhile be built.

We have made our war effort in the same way, contributing in the struggle of the United Nations to a degree that has amazed everyone — Hitler included.

We are well into our stride in putting this war assignment over, and when Victory comes, we will face the problems of peace with the same determination to do things in our own way.

We have not reached our present place in the scheme of things without mistakes, and we will probably make mistakes in the future. But, as in the past, so in the future, we will profit by our errors . . . building surely and steadily by individual determination and self-reliance to make life a strong and worthwhile thing.

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Children and Rinks

Merry shouts of laughter are heard from the school boys and girls of Belleville in the hours after schools close and in the evening on the two rinks which the city council has provided this winter. Parents of the children have been cared for in history. Their clothing can endure the worst rigors of the climate for King Winter and his associate Jack Frost have no terrors for the robust children of today, dressed in the most sensible styles of clothing.

On the rink and in the snow they disport themselves and grow strong, ready to meet nearly every task in an age when the proper kind of food is stressed as of paramount importance.

The providing of such rinks is a tribute to the vision and public spirit of the city council.

Manila

At the time when Berlin is not far from the advanced forces of the Russians, the capital of the Philippines, Manila, is now under control of the American forces. The coincidence of these two events can lend little cheer to the German people and to the Berlin residents especially for the coincidence itself is very suggestive of that destiny of fate which has overtaken the German capital as it has happened to Manila.

The taking of Manila to the Americans is a brilliant comment on the swift advance laid by the brilliant military leader, Gen. MacArthur. It is also a commentary on the weakness of the Japanese war machine. The fall of the Philippines to the Japanese a few years ago was taken by the enemy as a proof of the inevitable defeat that the Japanese plotted to deliver to the United States and British. Now after the intervening years Japan finds she cannot retain the islands for the U. S. advance in Luzon to Manila has been an epoch-making event in the Far East struggle and a symbol of the ultimate doom of the Japanese people now and after Germany's fall.

Berlin can gather no hope in what it sees going on in the Far East. The destiny of superior weapons and power and of spirit of the United Nations has marked both the Japs and the Germans for crushing defeat.

Reading Serves in War

In no war in history has there been such a demand from the keenly interested services for books and all other sorts of reading, newspapers, magazines and letters. The young men of freedom and democracy are keenly interested in their home towns and cities and therefore read home towns and cities and therefore read with avidity every letter from home and family and relatives, every newspaper goes to the front and to all the other establishments where men and women of the services are. This is because the youth of Allied lands are alert youth, who have carried with them to the front and even back to the hospital if they are wounded their keen thirst for fact and knowledge, for romance and for all the interesting things that make up life. They are not like the soldiers of fortune of centuries ago who made a practice of warring anywhere in the world but they are the modern soldiers of democracy, who expect to return and enjoy and take up the life they left behind—the homeland they know and love so well.

That homeland's influence is their guide and friend when they are abroad and so they are eager for the thrills of the heart and imagination which come from reading. For these boys and young men and women are alert and are a part of the world that is at war and of the world on the home front.

So there comes back to the home folk the most powerful appeal for reading of all kinds. Just now the I.O.D.E. of all parts of Canada is at work raising a fund of $300,000 to send books wherever they are needed. It is a big task and a task of love and will therefore succeed.

A similar condition is to be expected in the United States which reports a tremendous increase during the last year of requests from the fighting soldier for "any kind of books." The Council on Books in Wartime has announced a planned production this year of no less than 85,000,000 books to be distributed free of charge to men in the American Armed Services.

Lieut.-Col R. L. Trautman said the other day in New York, "the fighting man's interest in reading books has reached the pitch where he is willing to pay another soldier for the privilege of being next in line to read his book." Production will be speeded up to the point that in July it will be at the rate of 8,000,000 copies.

Boys and girls of the New World nations have a zest for reading and the I.O.D.E. is seeing to it that their desires are met.

Electrons Put to Work

Electrons have been put to work making 24-foot-diameter propellers for American warships and can do the job in one hundred per cent less time than by hand when it took two weeks to make one.

The value of electrons is to control the exact automatically guides two steel-cutting tools over the surface of the propellers cutting both sides simultaneously. A steel finger moves lightly over the surface of the model controlling the motion of the size of the propeller blade. Movements of this travelling finger in turn control the movement of the actual cutting tools so that the propeller is chiselled to the exact shape of the smaller model.

This is an indication how quickly every new discovery of science is speeding up, developing industry and transforming the world.

These tireless impersonal little things, the electrons, are the servants of the scientific enlightenment of the world today and they are a sign of the great reservoir of power than can be harnessed in nature for man. War has used materials for destruction but on the other side the destruction is for the purpose of destroying the destroyer, the Nazis, who would plunge the world into slavery's chains if they could. Under the freedoms of democracy science will advance and save and aid man.

Germans Want a "Miracle"

(Buffalo Courier-Express)

Exhortations are pouring from German radio transmitters these days—exhortations calling for every man who can shoot to rush to the defence of the country and pleading for a "miracle" to stop the on-rushing Russian armies.

The Germans had their crack at Moscow and failed. Now the Russians are using their crack at Berlin, and failure is not indicated. But the principle of turn and turn about was never part of the Nazi creed. The German slogan at the moment is: "They can't do that to us!" That's where they're wrong. The Russians are doing it.

Thoughts are but dreams till their effects be tried.—Shakespeare.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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WIFELY DUTY

This curious about the wives
Who help the men and cheer their lives,
Find home is none among the lot
But does what she would rather not
And daily tries the best she can
To hide the blunders of her man.
Still, I would say the saddest dames
Have men who can't remember names.

When he has been as cold as stone
To friend, and kin, he should have known
And said to Santa Claus: "Your face
I'm sure I've seen in many a place,
But at the moment, curse it all!
Your name I simply can't recall,"
She knows she's doomed in moments grim
To be a handy guide to him.

At parties she must whisper low:
"The lady's Mrs. Heavydough!
The man—you must remember him—
He's still my nicest cousin Jim.
My dear, turn off that icy glare.
The woman with the silver hair
Most every other day you meet;
She lives three houses down the street."

Oh, how do bachelors get about
Without a wife to help them out?

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Why Grandfather...So you're my blind date."

There's Elastic and Liquor In New York But No Butter

(By Kay Dillon of The Ottawa Journal Staff)

Visiting New York just for the first time in seven years, I was impressed with the many changes since my former stay in Manhattan. I was a happy visitor, as "many of the problems" the seven-day tourist did not affect me. I stayed with a friend in a smart central apartment, so the hotel situation didn't bother me. But all the large and small hotels, uptown and downtown, huge crowds, or lugage are piled up while the weary traveller roams the town looking for a room to lay his head. The restaurants are all crowded and very expensive, and Coffee Shops are full of the stars.

Cigarettes are a thing of the past, with just the merest chance of getting a package at one of the theatres.

The meat situation for private homes is something else again. I went on a tour of the butcher shops with my friend, and found nothing to buy. She had not seen a chop for a year. Restaurants, hotels and clubs have their priorities, there is nothing left for the householders. The only delicatessants were like Paradise to a Martimer, with all kinds of food, well and prettily arranged, and the prices not too exorbitant.

I had better only once, this in an Italian cafe. Everywhere else a dish of cottage cheese or a spoonful of jam was served with your bread or rolls.

Now the theatres . . . the brightest spot for the tourist. I was able to see a play "cheap" in the week, smart plays with sophisticated lines and pretty and attractive girls. Coming from a city of no theatres, it was a Roman holiday. Such a play as "The Song of Norway" was simply marvellous, with good music and superb ballet and well-done dialogue. With a jolly musical and girl show to follow, the good measure for the "tired business man" or the returned soldier on leave. An illustration leaves nothing to be desired.

The shows are not as well stocked as formerly and prices are high. Stockings are a "find" when you run out of such good quality as our own when we can get them.

Dresses are out of the question, with prices too high and generally inferior to our old clothes. Costume jewelry rates a tax of 20 per cent on the dollar. Shoes are persistent in the search you can obtain the same articles in the downtown stores for one-third the price. In one department hunt I actually discovered rayon panties with elastic in the legs and sizes almost forgotten in Ottawa. What was formerly 98 cents is now a dollar and you are lucky to get them—that is the attitude of the blonde saleslady. Grab it, grab them? Well rather!

A problem is to obtain cleaning tissues. "No tissues" is the cry of the day. Even in the best hotels many a clerk in dirty aprons and grimy cuffs attaches are another aching commodity . . . a little hard to find.

Now for the liquor situation, the problem child of Canada. Every second door is a bar with drinks selling at 70 cents. "Scotch" is available in most bars and in the cocktail lounges hotels and cocktail clubs, but not in the liquor control stores. Gin, however, where one goes to a dreary and cheerless counter for the monthly 26 ounces the New York shops are a thing of beauty and delight. All kinds of bottles of rum, gin, rye, sherry, port and what have you are there to choose from. They actually love to deliver, believe it or not. I have a calendar to prove it.

In one bar, popular with actors, I met the Fourth Estate, where the walls were decorated with crayon drawings, the drinks were 70 cents each, but alas the lowly hamburgers was $1.50. I could not imagine a reporter having that much money after buying a drink, even if the question is another worry. Gone are the days when you could telephone for a "cab" from the nearest stand. Now you stand on the corner and wildly wave your arms, and if you are going the way the cab is going the driver may take you in or he may shrug his shoulders and move on. The food is good, if you are lucky enough to have one, will always do this time of the year, but is a problem. So the lot of the tourist in New York today is not such a happy one.

Last but not least is the weather. I arrived there in the teg end of a mild snowstorm. The streets were filled with slush and mud and everyone was wearing rubbers. Then came the mild to mid-winter. The streets were dry and dusty and everyone was going to us—, then about the middle of the week the streets were clear and the sun shone. Never in all my Ottawa years have I been so cold as during the Christmas week-end in town on Fifth Avenue, except perhaps when on our Fanning Island Place. In the Village the wind whistled like a gale and I longed for the good old-fashioned overstockings.

COMMAND DISBANDED

Sianmore, Middlesex, England, Feb. 6. (Reuters)—British bomber command, whose "cold floppies" guarded the country during all form of German air raids in five and a half years of war and destroyed 978 flying bombs, has ceased to exist. The barrage balloons will continue in use, however, but will pass under the various R.A.F. Commands.

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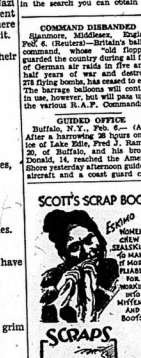
Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 6. (AP)—After a hurricane blew figures on the ice of Lake Erie, Fred J. Rambusa 30, of Buffalo, and his friend, Donald, 14, reached the American Shores yesterday afternoon aboard an aircraft and a coast guard crew.

REGIONAL SURVEYS

Kingston, Feb. 6 —(CP)— Proposals for regional surveys of various Ontario watersheds to determine future action in connection with water supplies and woodlands were adopted Saturday at the closing session of the conference on conservation for Eastern Ontario at Queen's University.

MATERIAL WITNESS

Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 6. (AP) Chief Detective George H. Smith, 55, was held today by court order as a material witness in the cases of two men indicted Dec. 30 by an Erie County Grand Jury which investigated gambling activities in Buffalo.



By R. J. SCOTT

GARFIELD CASE

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All three candidates broadcast statements to Grey North, Mr. Case described his victory as "one of the big upsets."

". . . And the boys overseas," and not as a personal triumph," said Mr. Diefenbaker, added the "forces of Tory reaction have won the first skirmish in the battle for which we must now be joined" and added: "that battle is the battle for the soul of Canada for a long time to come". . . . He thanked the Liberal voters for their support and C.C.F. Party workers for their help.

Russell Keane In Two Races

Gen. McNaughton twice held the lead in the early returns but when the results for 30 of the 127 polls became known, Mr. Case forged to the front and steadily increased his margin. His victory was flashed by The Canadian Press less than two hours after the polls closed at six p.m., E.S.T.

The Progressive Conservative candidate led in the returns of the 13 polling divisions in the riding. The single exception was Peterborough Township where Gen. McNaughton was absent. Mr. Godfrey polled in all. In Owen Sound itself the member-elect received 2,635 votes, Mr. Dermot Minister 2,635 and Mr. Godfrey 1,197. In the 39 polls in Grey County, Mr. Case led in eight divisions, Mr. Porteous in four and Mr. Case in one.

79 Per Cent of Vote Out

Although the official campaign oratory left voters outwardly unmoved — speakers seldom drew a standing ovation — the conventional reachings of such "authorities" but Gen. McNaughton's "Godfrey told-

WOOLER

Continuation School Prizes, Awards Presented

Wooler — Before a fine attendance of parents and friends, the Wooler Continuation School staged a concert in the school auditorium on Monday evening, January 29.

A varied program of choral numbers of various classes was well received by the crowd present.

The numbers as follows: Opening chorus was community singing. All the girls sang a chorus, Miss Eleanor Fox favored with vocal rendered solos. Presentation of diplomas was made by Rev. J. A. Lawson. All the boys sang a chorus, Miss Kathleen Sharpe favored with a piano number. There was a quintette chorus, comprising Messrs. Francis Walker, Francis McCormick, Homer Leavitt, Arthur Donald and A. Hall. Presentation of medals and shields was made by Rev. W. R. Davis. A piano solo was given by Miss Lillian Doreland. There was a reading by Mabel Gunter and a vocal duet by Misses Jean Crewe and Eleanor Fox.

After this fine program, refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake and small cookies with hot coffee were served by the students. Y.P.A. Sleigh Ride.

Members of the Young People's Association of the United Church, under the supervision of their pastor, Rev. Wm. Ingle, gathered at the church parlors for their annual sleigh ride, recently. Two sleighs with Mr. George. Darling's tractor attaching to the lead, left the church at 8 p.m. Enroute to Trenton, they stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Walker and were treated to apples. Arriving at Trenton they held a call on Mr. Clarke McColl, the former Wooler boy, now of the Trenton police force. Back to the church parlors at twelve midnight they were greeted with a nice fire and refreshments of sandwiches, cake and hot coffee.

Radio Program.

A radio program, sponsored by the Wooler Red Cross workers, was held in Wooler town hall recently. Mrs. Kazi Austin and Mrs. Lloyd Bell were piano accompanists for various choruses, songs, etc.

Mr. Lambert Whaley acted as chairman for the program.

The Harper Gang, Georgian Wade and Cornhuskers; Midget Four sang "Mairzy Doats." Claire Walker; Advice to the Lovelorn; Piano Twins; Oracle Fields (June Whaley) sang "There'll be a Hot Time in Old Berlin" and "Dance With the Dolly." The Colored Singers; a reading by Mrs. Wm. Ashby, "The Jinxers," Kathleen Sharpe as "Little Gertie," a reading by Mrs. H. Haggerty dressed as a private, a reading, "A Skunk in Gill;" Alex Bell, a violin solo; the Cornhuskers, a quartette all attired in old time dresses, was one of the highlights.

Refreshments were served with the Canadians playing until 1.30 a.m.

Proceeds for the evening were $71 and will be used for various supplies for the boys in military service overseas.

Personals.

Mrs. Donnahan and son accompanied Mr. A. Bell to Brighton on Saturday on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell were on hour guest of Mr. and Mrs. Reid Armley Masters and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bell, also on Saturday.

Mrs. Lloyd Bell spent Wednesday with friends at Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chang and small son spent Thursday afternoon with relatives at Trenton.

Claude Rutan, R.C.N.V.R., is visiting his mother, Gordon, and friends at Waterford for a few days.

Clifford Blake, attached to the armed forces, is visiting his brother Mr. Lester Blake, Mrs. Blake and Shirley.

Claude Rutan, R.C.N.V.R., stationed at the east coast, is home with his mother, Mrs. Rose Helper Arthur Rutan, for two months.

Mrs. E. A. Hicks was a noon dinner guest of Mrs. Marion Mitchell on Saturday and paid a call on Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neely at Trenton. Another caller there was Mrs. A. Hagerman, of Wooler.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rubble, Mr. and Harry Rubble, Mr. and Mrs. Reid Armley Masters were in Belleville on Sunday last calling on Mrs. Harry Rubble and Mrs. Clinton Terrill, both patients at the general hospital.

Mrs. M. A. Doherty of Ottawa is here visiting her mother, Mrs. L. E. Scott.

Says Mannheim Is Virtually Destroyed, 100,000 Occupy Cellars

Stockholm, Feb. 6 —(AP)—Julius Hagander, Swedish consul who has just returned from Germany, was quoted in an interview in Svenska Dagbladet yesterday as saying that the Rhine city of Mannheim was virtually destroyed, with but 100,000 or its normal 300,000 population still live there.

Electric light, gas and water systems no longer function, but communal kitchens make it possible for people to continue to live in cellars, he added.

Hagander, who travelled by train through Germany, Holland and to the southwest up of Germany, also was virtually levelled, but that Dresden and Heidelberg had suffered only unimportant damage therefor.

MADOC

Mr., Mrs. G. Walsh And Son Honored By Neighbors

Madoc — On Wednesday evening neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Walsh gathered at their home to honor them before they leave for their new home at Port Credit. Cards and dancing were enjoyed during the evening and Mr. and Mrs. Walsh were presented with a purse of money. Their son, Pat, was presented with a pen and pencil set. Mr. and Mrs. Walsh have resided in the community all their life and will be missed by their many friends in the activities of the community and the church life of which they were active members. Best wishes go with them in their new home.

St. Peter's W.M.S.

The February W.M.S. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Hoey.

Miss Mary Mackintosh had charge of the meeting which was the first chapter of the new study book "Christian Literature". Mrs. Mackintosh said that the Bible was first given to India. It was then read by Asia Minor. Mackintosh here after many difficulties, with printing presses, etc., was given to the South Seas, Madagascar, Burma and Persia. An article from the October Tidings showed the shortage of literature in India, that was available for the children to read. The hymn was sung and business was taken care of. Mrs. Gerald Walsh, recaptured Lama Di Sotio yesterday in an advance on a 19,000-ard front spanning the valley. The Nazis virtually restored the line held before the counter-attack of the American 92nd Division back several miles in December.

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Allies Wipe Out Nazi Gains Made Last December

Rome, Feb. 6 — (AP) — Fifth Army troops are now steadily along the Serchio River valley today after virtually wiping out gains made by the Germans last December and taking three towns against light opposition.

The Allied troops occupied Albiano and Castel Vecchio Sunday and recaptured Lama Di Sotio yesterday in an advance on a 19,000-yard front spanning the valley. The Nazis virtually restored the line held before the counter-attack of the American 92nd Division back several miles in December.

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Berlin Warns Allies Preparing For Big Drive

London, Feb. 6 — (CP) — The Berlin radio, in a broadcast to German forces in the field, declared today that Gen. Eisenhower has completed his preparations for a new offensive from the Roer River line and that the capture of Cologne appears to be his first major objective.

The broadcast warned that the zero hour for an all-out Allied attack in the west is near.

Berlin indicated the main blow was expected in the Linnick-Duren area, but reported increasing artillery activity on the British Second Army front to the north. German commentators reported that increasing pressure by American forces east of Monschau was designed to pin down German troops and prevent reinforcements from being thrown into the battle farther north to meet a push there.

Tokyo Says 3,000 Yanks Landed Jan. 10 on Jolo I.

San Francisco, Feb. 6 —(AP)— An unconfirmed Tokyo broadcast yesterday said 3,000 American troops landed Jan. 10 on Jolo Island in the Philippines. Jolo is the largest of the Sulu group, lying midway between Mindanao and Borneo.

The broadcast claimed that up to Jan. 27 the Japanese garrison on the island had inflicted casualties on the landing party "amounting to more than 300. The loss of one mountain gun, three amphibious tanks, and 20 bivouacs, which were demolished."

The broadcast, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, said the Americans brought 10 tanks ashore.

PICKED UP IN SEATTLE

Vancouver, Feb. 6 — (CP) — Pacific Command officials said last night they had learned that two Canadian soldiers absent without leave have been picked up in Seattle. They are being held and will be returned to Canada. Officials here said they understood other absentee Canadian soldiers have been apprehended in United States cities, but gave no indication of the number.

MAY TRANSPORT TROOPS

London, Feb. 6 —(Reuters)— German troops in Silesia were told by their forces radio Sunday that Marshal Stalin had handed to Prime Minister Winston Churchill and President Roosevelt a plan to transport 4,000,000 Germans to work in Soviet Russia. "You may be sure that the figure will soon increase to 10,000,000," the announcer added.

RAWDON

Bethel Church W.A. Sponsors Social and Play

Rawdon — Bethel United Church was filled and all available sitting space taken when crowds gathered Thursday evening, Feb. 1st, for the pie social and play sponsored by the W.A. Women's Association.

A large number of guests were present from Marmora, Pleasant, Salem, Brimghrook, Stirling, Wellmans and nearby points.

Mrs. Harold Elliott and son Robert delighted with a prelude of piano music. The pastor, Rev. T. F. Townsend, was chairman for the occasion, and the main feature was a three-act play 'Too Many Relatives'.

Mrs. Thomas Laycock directed the play and the cast was as follows:

Harry Savage, a young writer—Bill Heath.

Mabel Savage, his recent bride—Muriel Hewitt.

Mrs. Donolly, the land lady—Mona Hall.

Grace Evans, Mabel's sister — Laura Shorey.

Jasper Wilkins, her bashful beau —Don Heath.

Officer Butterfield, a poetic policeman — Ken Hagerman.

Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Ora Hagerman.

Mabel's Aunt Ermatrude—Pearcie Heath.

Uncle Savage, Harry's uncle — Ray Shorti.

Smoky McGee, a criminal — Stanley Hagerman.

The scenes were all in the living room of Harry Savage's apartment.

The play was full of laughs which kept the audience in a state of excitement.

Between acts Mrs. Walter Warren with Mrs. Ray Shorti as accompanist, sang "Good Night Beloved."

Mr. R. A. Hermiston of Stirling and Mr. Ira Hall and Mrs. Harold Elliott at the piano contributed a couple of solos.

The young couple in the play planned a quiet evening after returning home but were constantly interrupted by too many relatives. However, in the concluding act, all ended happily.

The ladies' W. A. Group served sandwiches, pie, of all kinds, and tea.

The proceeds of the evening were approximately one hundred dollars.

The young people have been invited to stage their play at other communities during the winter months.

Carmel

Carmel — The men on this line are busy shovelling snow and clearing the snow off the roads from the last storm.

Wing-Cmdr. H. M. Wilson and Mr. W. Mcintyre, C.N.R. Station agent Saturday at Mr. O. Vandervoort's.

Mr. Noel Guay has secured a position at the C.N.R. Station, Belleville.

Mr. Percy McDavitt is back at Coe Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Homans and family spent Sunday evening visiting with Mr. and Mrs. O. Vandervoort's family.

A number on this line attended the Vandervoort Church in Stirling one night last week.

Mrs. E. Horton and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hamilton have arrived home after attending the funeral of their brother-in-law, H. Latta, Rosseford.

The neighbors on this line are glad to see Mr. Art Smith able to be around again after his operation.

Much sympathy is extended to Mrs. E. Horton and Mrs. J. Hamilton in the loss of a loving brother.

A number from this line attended the Farm Forum on Monday evening held at Mr. Geo. Hicks'.

WREATHS LAID ON GRAVES

Lodz, Poland, Feb. 6 —(AP)— Charred bodies sprawled beside the great crematorium the Nazi prison camp and sobbing Polish children laid tiny wreaths and flowers upon the graves today as F. Zarembi, 30-year-old Polish carpenter, told how German S. S. Guards slaughtered from 1,000 to 2,000 young Polish men on Jan. 18, the day before Lodz was liberated by Soviet armored forces.

COST TOUCHES NEW HIGH

Chungking, Feb. 5 — (AP) — The cost of living in Chungking touched new records yesterday with eggs costing $24 (Chinese) apiece and matches $15 a box. The price of pork rose in a single day from $120 to $180 a pound. The official rate of exchange is 20 Chinese dollars to one American dollar while the black market rate is around 400 to one.

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Mess Room Chatter Of Canada's Airmen

With the R.C.A.F. Overseas, Feb. 6 —(CP)— A Junkers 88 with its wheels down for a landing became the eighth enemy aircraft destroyed by Wing Cmdr. Russell Bannock, D.F.C. and Bar, of Edmonton and of Toronto, top Canadian in the destruction of robot bombs with a score of 18½.

He was flying his Mosquito over a German airfield when he saw the Junkers and his gunner, Flt. Sgt. Ingo into the ground for his first kill since taking over command of the City of Saskatoon night intruder squadron.

Wing Cmdr. Bannock's navigator is Flt.-Lt. C. J. Kirkpatrick, D.F.C., of Saskatoon.

FO. J. Hardy of (Power-Line Ave.) Timmins, Ont., parachuted from his flak-damaged Typhoon just south of his Holland airfield and his descent interrupted the chimes of gentlemen, Merry Christmas.

"Their jaws dropped," he chuckled later in his own mess. "I'd get out on that."

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Australian Letter

By J. E. HOLDSWORTH
(Canadian Press Correspondent)

Sydney, Australia, Feb. 6—(CP)— Almost all of the eastern half of Australia, embracing South Australia, Victoria, New South Wales and Queensland suffered from an extreme heat wave during the latter part of January.

There have been some drought-relieving rains over a large area but this huge area, with rainfalls of several inches in coastal regions, but they brought valuable relief to farmers and cattle suppliers and ended the worst of the bush fires which broke out during the dry spell.

However, in the far interior of New South Wales and in northern Queensland no worth-while rains have fallen at all. In those areas temperatures have ranged above 100 degrees for many days and there have been hot winds to blow off valuable top soil.

Less Wool: The world now knows that as a result of the drought Australia, which normally exports 100,000,000 bushels of wheat yearly, is faced with the necessity of importing wheat for home requirements. A report just published gives the first indication of the serious effect of the drought on wool production.

This shows that for the first half of the current wool season 11 per cent fewer bales were received in stores than during the corresponding half of the last season, while the average weight was eight pounds a bale less.

In cities and towns residents already are paying the price of the drought in extraordinary shortage and darkness of vegetables.

PURSE FOUND IN FIELD

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 5.—(AP)— Mrs. Rachel Hyrwill lost her purse stolen from a parked car last September. But it's back now, with it came a note from a soldier: "I found this beneath the seat of a truck in Italy."

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Vs. DISTROY VICIOUS DOGS

Toronto, Feb. 6 —(CP)— The two large dogs which attacked Fred Culver, 12-year-old newsboy, in North York Township two weeks ago are to be destroyed as a result of a judgment given in county police court here yesterday. The dogs' owners pleaded guilty to keeping vicious dogs" and consented to having the dogs destroyed by the Toronto Humane Society. Both owners said that the dogs had never before given trouble.

The boy's face was badly mangled by the dogs is now reported to be progressing favorably in the Hospital for Sick Children here.

ELECTRICAL CAMOUFLAGE

An "electrical camouflage" may be temporarily around a broadcasting station by new electronic equipment.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

ENGAGEMENT NOTICE

Mr. and Mrs. John Frederick Barlow announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Mary Elizabeth (Betty), to W.O.1 William James Wibberley, son of Squadron Leader and Mrs. J. Wibberley of Toronto. The marriage will take place the latter part of February.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Williams, of Picton, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George A. Lee, Cedar Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spencer, of Madoc, and Mrs. Gertie Caverly, formerly of North Marmora, attended the funeral of their uncle, Mr. David Hubble, near Rossmore, on Sunday.

Friends of Mr. R. J. Noyes will be sorry to hear of his illness in the Belleville General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor, 54 Cannifton Rd., celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on February 3rd.

Mr. Arthur W. Buck, C.N.R. engineer, is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital, as the result of a knee injury received while at work on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lloyd, of Northbrook, visited in town over the weekend.

NIGHT FEEDERS

Few people realize that some of the more common and injurious insect pests found in gardens feed only at night. This explains why in many cases the work of these marauders is plainly visible but the culprits themselves remain undetected. Probably the most common night-feeders are cutworms and garden slugs. Both of these are nocturnal in habit, lying hidden in the soil during the hours of daylight at the base of the plants upon which they have been feeding. To be effective, control measures for such species must be applied in the late evening or after dark.

How CWAC's Dress To Endure Rigors Of Coastal Breezes

Halifax, Feb. 6 —Do not underestimate the freezing power of an Atlantic coast breeze—nor the ability of a "CWAC" to cope with it.. A Canadian Women's Army Corps detachment engaged in coastal defence work is frequently on duty in the open under climatic conditions which, to say the least, are rugged. But O.T. equipment, supplemented by that ready friend of service personnel, the Canadian Red Cross, renders them comfortably immune to the rigors of below zero weather, as their irrepressible spirits and splendid morale testify.

Underneath it all the girls wear "woolies"; not the soft, fine "woolies" that cannot be bought today, but husky, double-knit, four-ply snug looking creations, that add at least an inch to the girth of the wearer. Then comes a turtle neck, double strength khaki sweater, a button-to-the-neck coat sweater is next in line, topped by the regular battle dress of the Canadian Army. Four pair of heavy woolen socks under bulky looking rubber boots is a "must". By this time the slimmest "CWAC" presents a definitely sturdy appearance, but the girls believe in no half measures. After knitted Balaclava helmets under the regulation hats (these down), and woolen gloves under reinforced leather mitts of the last item, a head-to-thigh sheep skin lined windproof coat, with a collar that completely obscures the head. Thus protected, the girls clamber into open trucks which transport them to the scene of duty.

Of course this sounds like an impasse for the most gullible individual but it isn't. One reporter with a wry grin conceded to wear a sheep skin over battle dress, with none of the embellishments which prompted a feeling of keen respect for the C.W.A.C. detachment who will venture forth in that weather —at all!

Onion Shortage in Britain But Certainly Not Here

By Laura C. Pepper
Chief, Consumer Section
Dominion Dept. of Agriculture

An onion offered as first prize in a home show, selling at Belgian charity auctions for $300 and up and, coming closer to home, unofficially rationed . . . one to a customer. The absent onion is sorely missed and has a multitude of functions that only Canada at the moment. How the British would envy us!

Making the best use of available foods is plain commonsense in peace time, in wartime it becomes a patriotic duty. There are two aspects to "making best use". When pets to "making best use". When a food is in short supply, it means economy in use, stretching, not shopping around to get more than a fair share. When supplies are abundant it means increasing use and variety.

Now is the time to treat the family to onion soup in the French style, to Hamburg smothered in onions, to serve flavour crisp as a garnish. If cream gravy is a favorite in your house, onion cream gravy is doubly as nice to make a hit. In the testing kitchen of the Dominion Department of Agriculture the home economists "pan" the meat, first, as in the recipe for panned onions given below. The flour is blended with the fat and the onions and the milk added. This gravy is excellent with pork chops or liver, and with sliced hard-cooked eggs added it makes a tasty, quickly prepared supper dish.

Panned Onions.

2 tablespoons drippings
4 cups sliced onions (4 to 6 medium onions)
Salt and pepper to taste.

Melt fat in frying pan or heavy saucepan. Add onions, cover and heat on the burner, and cook slowly until tender, about 15 minutes. Stir occasionally to prevent sticking. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Six servings.

Apple and Onion Casserole.

6 medium onions
6 medium apples
6 slices bacon
3-4 cup tomato juice
1-2 teaspoon salt
1 cup soft bread crumbs

Peel onions and cut in 1-8 inch slices. Peel, core and slice apples similarly. Cut bacon into small pieces, saute and remove from pan. Pour off all but one tablespoon of the fat. Add crumbs, tossing to coat with fat and brown slightly. Arrange alternate layers of onions, apples and bacon in a greased baking dish. Add salt to tomato juice and pour over other ingredients; top with the browned bread crumbs. Cover and bake in a moderately hot oven, 375 degrees F, for 30 minutes. Uncover and cook 15 minutes longer. Six servings.

Onion Soup.

6 medium onions, sliced
2 tablespoons solid-flavored fat
2 tablespoons flour
2 cups milk
1 quart well-seasoned bouillon
6 slices toast
1-2 cup grated cheese

Cook onions in boiling water to cover for thirty minutes, then rub through a sieve. Melt fat, blend in flour and gradually add the milk, stirring until thickened. Add sieved onions and bouillon. Heating well. Simmer twenty minutes. Place a slice of toast in each soup plate, add soup and sprinkle with grated cheese. Makes about one quart.



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Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

A WAR JOB vs. CERTAIN DISASTER

The fact that a job is so easy to find at present would solve many more problems than it does if the persons involved were always ready to welcome a problem's solution. Do you doubt that? Let me quote an example:

The problem is: Shirk Lenore F., aged 22 years, both of whose parents were recently killed in an accident, go to live with her slightly younger married sister a month ago?

This may not sound like a problem at all, but Lenore writes me:

"I have inherited enough money not to be a burden to my sister and her husband, Steve, who have kindly invited me to share their home. But naturally I cannot forget that I was I whom Steve first came to see and that he still likes me, and to tell the truth I like him in spite of his deserting me. My sister Edna, is said to be prettier than I and I suppose that is how she won Steve over.

"I just did nothing and let him go for I knew plenty of other men, although I didn't care much about having Edna married first. Steve has a war job here and will not go overseas. I will admit that they seem terribly happy together. What do you really think, Miss Fairfax, about my joining that household? I have practically decided to do it. You see I am now all alone in the world."

(Signed) Lenore.

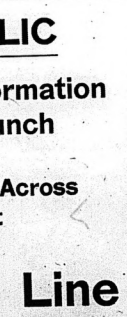
If Lenore is determined to act the part of a war bomb in her sister's happy married life, my advice will scarcely count with her. But there is really no excuse for her doing so, and to accept the hospitality of a man with whom she had at least the beginnings of a romantic affair, promising the while nothing beyond a platonic friendship revive, if the man isn't very steadfast—would be in very bad taste, as well as cruelly unkind to her sister.

At 22, the young woman need be dependent on no one. Let her take a war job, rent an apartment of her own, marry the right man when she finds him and keep away from Edna and Steve. It is possible that she owes them both a grudge and is willing to accept this very dangerous opportunity to retaliate? This I am willing to believe. But I cannot too strongly recommend the war job.

HONEY YEASTS

Yeasts in the cause of honey fermentation. All yeasts may be killed by the application of heat, "commercial sterility" being obtained in less than 30 minutes at 140° degrees F., or by momentarily boiling to 176 degrees F., states the Dominion Apiarist.

It's About Time



It's About Time to make this gift a mother-to-be. A nightie to take to the hospital. Open down the back like a hospital gown. In front have a buttoned closing from neckline to waistline. It would be perfect to have three of these.

Women's Activities

EVENING BRANCH
CHRIST CHURCH W.A.

The Evening Branch of Christ Church W.A., met for its monthly business meeting on Monday night at the home of Mrs. J. Grant Sparling, Everett Street. The meeting was opened by the World Day of Prayer was used with Mrs. E. Hodges as leader. The Scripture readings were given by Mrs. D. Stewart, and the offering dedicated by Mrs. H. Pitt. Mrs. J. Hibbard was at the piano for the singing of hymns, and Miss Ella Bowell read portions of the service. The President, Mrs. Pitt conducted the regular business period. Mrs. Sparling and Miss Ella Bowell, members, reports of contest afforded everyone a great deal of pleasure. Mr. Sparling closed the meeting. Refreshments were served by the hostess with Mrs. Pitt presiding over the tea table.

BRIDGE STREET
UNITED CHURCH W.M.S.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Bridge Street United Church was held in the Ladies' parlors on Feb. second, with Mrs. Parliden presiding.

Mrs. Brown reported for the Christian Stewardship and Finance Committee and stated that the allotment for the year was $1,400, an increase of $200 over last year.

Silent prayer was offered in memory of Miss Ida Bleecker, who passed away recently.

Mrs. Woollard and Mrs. Broad had charge of the program for the afternoon. Mrs. Woollard offered prayer. Mrs. Broad then gave a that one have compassion for all, even as He had compassion. Mrs. Price gave the Scripture reading from the 15th Chapter of Matthew.

The subject for the study of the afternoon was the chapter on the Philippines from the book "West of the Date Line". Mrs. Crook introduced the subject with the story of the heroic defense of Bataan and Corregidor in the year 1942. She then told the story of Cuba in its relation to the Philippines and their acquisition by the United States.

Mrs. Woollard gave a paper on the religions of the Island and told of the many missionaries who have been interned there by the Japanese for the last three years.

Mrs. Parliden sang the solo "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked" with Mrs. Alex Gordon at the piano accompaniment.

The meeting closed with the benediction.

Annual Ball Of K. of C. Is Enjoyable Event

Featuring the Commodores Orchestra, the annual ball of the Knights of Columbus was held in the Club Quality Pool on Monday night. The Knights, their wives and friends comprised a very fine crowd, and heartily enjoyed the occasion which was termed a "marvellous success" by the Knights. Refreshments were served buffet style in the Knights of Columbus Hall from eleven-fifteen to one o'clock. Responsible for the dance arrangements was the Entertainment Committee composed of Lecturer T. Mason, chairman, assisted by T. Lynch, Frank High, J. MacMullin, K. Carroll and T. Royle.

SOME PURE SILKS

IT WOULD SEEM that pure silks are coming up from South America and also are being imported from Switzerland. A pearl of great price this summer will be the little suit fashioned of rough crepe silk, pure silk. There seem some and they are usually in pastels, with a few browns and blacks, and all simply made, with square boxy jackets.

MAY SIT IN

Paris, Feb. 6 (AP)— French official circles predicted on Saturday that Gen. de Gaulle would be invited to sit on the second half, or political portion, of the "Big Three" conference which would "most probably" be followed by a visit of President Roosevelt to the French capital.

Wife Preservers



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Young Women's Guild Given Review of Social Credit Govt. in Alta.

The Young Women's Guild of Tabernacle Church held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Harrison, 14 Ferris Street, recently, with a good attendance. A business meeting was conducted during which tentative plans were outlined for an open meeting.

Miss Joy Nichols in charge of the worship period took as her theme "What of the Future?", with some thoughts on beginning a new year based on four prophecies regarding the future from different sources. The service ended with a prayer of sentence for wrong doing and a plea for strength to do the Father's Will.

The topic for study was entitled "Social Credit Review", ably led by Miss Hazel Thompson, who gave a concise review or the theory of Social Credit as espoused by Major Douglas, economist of Pump Tree Court, London. It was interesting to note that the age old credit could not function as such in an agricultural community as that of Alberta where it came to power under the Aberhart regime in 1935. An attempt was made to increase industry and to have an amount of credit to the value of the citizen but the federal government prevented this by not allowing the use of the provincial treasury banks. Mr. Aberhart was a powerful speaker, a keen preacher and evangelist and received the support of the people of Alberta until his death.

In 1940 Mr. Ernest C. Manning was returned to power with 50 out of 57 seats.

Achievements Outlined

Miss Alice Heaman outlined the achievements of the government in Alberta from 1935-43, beginning with the payment of the provincial debt by reducing the interest from 5 per cent to 3 1-2 per cent. Agriculture was aided through distribution of purebred cattle; a health of animals service; broad extension service for dairying; poultry raising; home economics for farm women; and aid for farm mortgages. Industry was helped in various ways and there has been permanent labor legislation. Laws have been passed for consumer cooperatives including home building.

The public health services lead in North with free clinics and medical and surgical care for tuberculosis, all cancer, all poliomyelitis, and all maternity patients; progressive nursing services; and an increase in health units for prevention of ill-health. The school system has advanced until it is a model for some others on this continent. They have made larger school units with better supervision and have raised the teaching standards and rates of pay.

Post-War Plans

Mrs. Coulter gave a paper on the post-war plans of the Alberta government. In her introduction Mrs. Coulter stressed the importance of co-operation and that Christian ideals of brotherhood be remembered in this connection. It is important too that the ground work be done now for the returning men.

Alberta sets forth public control as opposed to private control of interests. They propose a pension equal to a private for three years to each returned man and his dependents, with a home and an opportunity to work at a suitable job; that agriculture be encouraged through interest-free loans; that needed homes be built and shorter working hours be established to assist employment.

During the social hour refreshments were enjoyed.

Hint of Spring



A suit for Spring in Blue Gabardine

BY VERA WINDSTON

PRESENTED here is a soft suit in navy blue gabardine to bring in the hints of Spring. The lady includes tiny buttons from a band collar to the waist, fastening the soft swing jacket, and a slim in belt above the peplum which has a pretty pleat in front for a dressy look. Navy and pink striped taffeta makes the neat tab and gloves, since this is the type of suit that takes blithely to dashing accessories.

'Swear-Box' Buys Kine-CWACs Mascot Collie

Technically-minded and ever busy are the kine-theodolite operators, especially trained members of the Canadian Women's Army Corps.

Having tasted the rigors of life as a "Kine-CWAC", one could readily overlook a little language in the "not approved" category, but one particular group of these specialists in Canada, have become their own strictest censors, and will allow no deviation from the straight-and-narrow in their midst.

Flaced conspicuously inside their sleeping quarters is a "swear-box" to which every offender must sacrifice payment suited to the extremity of her language. Proceeds are used for the good of the group in general and the occasional "Irish" temper has proved a lucrative asset to the platoon.

Dividends from the first swear-box clean-out bought Gunner, who waged his way into the hearts of everyone in the unit at the age of six months. Gunner is probably the most spoiled collie this side of Valhalla and is likely to remain so. There's not a girl in the platoon who wouldn't sacrifice her last pair of Gunner improperly fed. He is always starving.

Of course, meeting Gunner at the age of "nearly 2", one can understand his popularity and one feels that the "Kine-CWACs" certainly deserve a mascot. The only problem is—who is responsible for his rehabilitation?

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W.M.S. of Belleville Presbyterial Holds Winter Executive Meeting

(By FLORENCE MacMULLEN)

Rawdon, (Special)—The Winter executive meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of Belleville Presbyterial convened in Bridge Street United Church, Belleville, on Thursday, February 1st., with twelve members in attendance.

The morning worship was in charge of the Press Secretary, Mrs. Percy MacMullen, whose choice was the theme "Your Talent and Mine".

The President, Mrs. Arthur Spafford, presided over both sessions and she conducted the afternoon devotional on the theme "It is not what we Give but What we Share."

Mrs. MacMullen was appointed secretary protem.

Reports Given.

The Treasurer, Mrs. H. A. Bust, reported remitting approximately $14,000 dollars for the branch.

Mrs. E. S. Denyes reported 76 afternoon auxiliaries and 7 evening auxiliaries and one new evening auxiliary at Trinity Church, Napanee. The relation between auxiliaries and yearly groups has been of mutual helpfulness. Thirty-six missionary members have passed on to a richer reward during the year. Four auxiliaries raised money for special objects.

Mrs. E. G. Bailey has a total of 99 stewardship secretaries in the various organizations. Thirty-three have adopted special missionaries for prayer; 25 reached their allocation; 11 use the budget and 6 have quarterly envelopes. She recommended that a Finance Committee be appointed at Presbyterial by the Nominating Committee, composed of three ladies for a term of three years, one retiring each year and another added.

The executive sent in two names for the Branch Nominating Committee, Mrs. Fraser and Mrs. Denyes.

339 Meetings Published.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen reported that 63 organizations had published in fifteen local newspapers accounts of 339 regular and special missionary meetings. There are five scrap books completed which will be displayed at the Presbyterial and Branch to compete for prizes.

Mrs. W. F. Osborne gleaned from her reports that 2,125 calls were made in homes; 323 visited in hospitals and nearly all secretaries held special Community Friendship meetings.

Vice-Presidents' Report.

The three Vice Presidents, Mrs. Empey, Mrs. Wilson and Miss Wallbridge brought brief messages.

Hazards and Cherry Valley Ch. celebrated their 50th anniversaries in 1944.

Mrs. A. D. Way said twenty societies enrolled in the Temperance pledge.

Mrs. F. J. Nickle reported 1,243 subscriptions to Missionary Monthly and $90 to World Friends.

Mrs. Arthur McCreary sold $190 worth of literature including 114 Study Books, and 74 Annual Reports. The Book Club has 16 members. The library fund is growing with several auxiliaries reading their books.

Miss M. Hawley received 60 babe bell filled 30 allocations. Mrs. R. Harrison heard from 48 bands with a membership of 1,121. Mrs. Geo. Finlay reported from ten C.G.I.T. groups with a membership of 131. In Mrs. Ashley's report, the six Mission Circles held 47 meetings and collected $252.

A program committee was appointed and plans made to hold the Presbyterial in Rollaway Street Church, Belleville, probably in April.

Massassaga

Massassaga — Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Gray, June and Jack entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jose and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams and family for supper and the evening on Saturday of last week.

The Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. Beaumon'ts on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss can Vader spent Friday night with Miss Jane Gray.

Mrs. Morley Davidson returned home on Friday from the Belleville General Hospital but is still confined to her bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Broad spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Burt Hickey and children at Bellcedas and were compelled to remain for the night due to the roads being blocked.

Mrs. Wm. Jose spent the dinner hour with Mrs. Ernest Lloyd Locke, in Belleville on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fraser and Beverley were supper guests of Mrs. Flower's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hutchings of Rednersville.

Mrs. B. Clarke and little granddaughter Margaret Rowe on Saturday after spending a few weeks at Newcastle.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jose called on Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson in Rednersville on Sunday last week.

Mr. Harry Wallbridge spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. V. Newbotham and family in Belleville.

Latta

Latta — A quilting Wag held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Elliott on Thursday. There were fifteen present for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilder and David Stanley Wilder spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. N. Wilder.

Mr. Ralph Wilder has been redecorating the interior of his parents' home.

Mrs. Harry McCreary is visiting her sister, Mrs. Blue, in Belleville since leaving the hospital. All hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. Carnes Denyes left for Toronto on Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Hall, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Maynes, Toronto, and her sister, Mrs. McQuay, Dr. McQuay and family at Whitby, returned home the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Raymond Sullivan spent Tuesday at her father's home, Mr. Wallace Sills.

Mr. Christie Carleton spent the dinner hour on Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Carleton.

Mr. Brenton, of Corbyville, is visiting Mr. Elmiug Carleton's residence and other buildings.

Mr. Norman Hall, Sr., has been in bed with lumbago.

Mrs. Henderson, who has kept house for Mrs. J. O. Latta for a number of years, is taking care of Mrs. J. Downey at Mrs. Jack Colderan's.

Mrs. Rose Lott and Mrs. Wilbert Elliott spent Monday in Belleville.

Mrs. Erle Denyes attended the W.M.S. meeting on Thursday in Belleville.

Mrs. Raymond Sullivan spent Monday evening with Mrs. Wilbert Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall and Barbara spent the tea hour on Sunday with Mr. and and Mrs. Norman Hall and Miss Rose Marie Hall.

Mrs. Wilbert Elliott entertained for dinner on Tuesday Mrs. Fred Prindle, Miss Annie Hamilton, Mrs. Peter Hubel, Mrs. Stanley Hazard, Mrs. John Rollins, Mrs. Robert Rollins and Robert, Mrs. Ralph Wilder, Mrs. Archie Meeks, Mrs. Charlie Beatty, Miss Helen Tunnmon and Mrs. Rose Lott.

Mrs. J. O. Latta motored to Toronto on Tuesday evening to spend a short while with her daughter and family.

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Sherman Parks on Thursday afternoon.

Allan Mills

Allan Mills—Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKeown entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McKeown, Mr. and Mrs. John McKeown, Miss Helen Wright, Mrs. W. Stiles and Ernest on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Johnson of Wellman's Corners spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Andrews.

Mr. Harry Linn of Western Canada, is visiting his brother Mrs. Fanny Linn and Mrs. Percy Linn and friends in this vicinity.

Bill Sgyr, of Madoc, visited his sister, Mrs. C. Lough.

Mr. Roy Clough has accepted a position in Toronto.

Word has been received here of the promotion of Flt. Lieut. Ward Stiles to the rank of Squadron Leader.

Mr. Fred Barnum attended the Cheese Producers' convention in Toronto.

Mrs. Thos. Fry spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rob. Mumby.

Mrs. Floyd Simpson is a patient of Belleville General Hospital.

Congratulations to Mrs. A. Rutherford who on Monday, Jan. 30th celebrated her 80th birthday.

Mrs. Gerald Burkitt received word on Friday stating that her brother Lance Corporal Elton Burkitt of Ajaly was being sent home in the near future.

While working in the woods on Friday, Mr. Bert Anderson narrowly escaped death when struck by a log on the back of his head.

Melrose

Melrose — The annual meeting of the Melrose United Church congregation was held at the church on Wednesday last and the circuit board meeting was hel don Tuesday of this week at the home of Mr. Walter Sniders.

Rev. Mr. Loughead spent the Sunday dinner hour with Mr. and Mrs. Carman Milligan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Badgley were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant McLaren.

The ladies of the third line were unable to attend the January meeting of the Melrose W. I., owing to weather and road conditions.

A number from the fourth line met, as was planned, at the home of Mrs. Clarence Hagerman and 2 quilts were quilted.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Milligan entertained the Ladies of the Radio Forum on Monday night.

The meeting of the F.F.U. was held on Thursday last at the home of Miss Jean McMechan.

GERMAN GENERAL REPLACED

Stockholm, Feb. 6 —(AP)— Gen. Hermann von Hannecken, German military commander in Denmark, has been replaced by Col.-Gen. Georg Lindemann from the Latvian front, and has returned to Germany, a Malmo dispatch quoting information from Copenhagen said. The replacement was interpreted by some as a definite indication that the German fear the loss of Denmark.

Circulation of Books From Corby Public Library Shows Small Decrease

Although showing a slight increase in all departments, circulation of books from the Corby Public Library for the month of January, during 1944 showed a decrease as compared with 1943. It was shown in the report submitted by Librarian Mrs. Ethel Bell, to the library board at their annual meeting held Friday evening.

Total circulation of books in all department was 109,410 as compared with 110,000 in 1943.

Use of books among adult readers during the year was 74,502 including 60,616 fiction, as against a circulation of 75,400 during 1943. Boys' and girls' books issued for home use during the year totalled 34,013 as compared with 32,401 during 1943. Circulation last year included 16,144 fiction books and slightly over 7,000 non-fiction books.

Memberships Higher.

Adult book borrowers at the library increased by 336 during the year with memberships for 2,000 December 31st totalling 6,566. Juvenile borrowers totalled 2,821, an increase of 6 over the previous year.

Although as a whole book circulation at the library had held fairly steady in the view of increased memberships it was considered that book borrowings should have been slightly greater and the library board's report recommended that additional books be purchased. Lack of funds was cited as the reason for the decrease in adult reading. The library association in recommends a library having two books per capita whereas the Corby library has only 17,937.

Demand for some of the new books had continued great according to the report with reservations still being made for books published since December, 1943. There was also a steady demand for non-fiction books.

1,333 Books Added

During the past year 321 adult non-fiction books had been purchased as well as 668 fiction books, while 364 books had been purchased for the boys and girls' department. Total number of books purchased during 1944 was 1,333 which expanded an unfit for further use.

Periodical books had been donated to the I.O.D.E. for the Navy, to the Guelph reformatory and to the city jail.

The township library system had been re-organized during the year with Sidney township; not very active during the past three years, joining with 11 schools and Thurlow with 18 schools. Just before the end of the year Tyendinaga formed a library unit and joined with 11 schools participating. The township library system is a co-operative library movement for rural schools organized some six years ago with the local library acting as a central lending centre and also in an advisory capacity.

The financial statement of the local library included in the library's report showed receipts of $8,278 including a grant of $6,000 from the municipality, while on the expenditure side salaries had amounted to $3,900; $675 for light, heat and water and the balance made up for books, periodicals, book repairs and other expenditures.

Board Members Re-Appointed

Members of last year's board were re-appointed with Dr. J. W. Elmore being named chairman, succeeding W. G. Anderson, Honorary chairman for the current year is Mayor Frank Pollwell, while H. J. Wills was re-elected Secretary.

Members include C. I. Walters, Miss Stewart Mawson, J. E. Bateman, Miss Beatrice Rierdon, Chas. Brown, J. C. Black and Chairman Dr. Kinnear.

Library staff members include Miss Olive Delaney as librarian; Irene Moore as librarian for the boys' and girls' department, and Shirley Jackson as assistant librarian. Part-time assistants are Elinor Newman and Maida Woodley.

Civilian Internees At Manila Kept On Starvation Diet

By BARBARA CLEAR
(Canadian Special Correspondent)

Manila, Feb. 6 —(Reuters)—Nine hours ago I was one of 3,700 civilian internees here. Now prison doors were opened when American troops hacked their way with knives through Japanese resistance to rescue us from our internment camp.

I had been interned since Jan. 3, 1942, and for the past five months we had been gradually starving to death. In June, 1943, we were getting 1,500 calories a day—enough to keep a bed-ridden patient barely alive. By October, the Japanese cut down our diet to 1,200 calories. In December another cut was made to less than 1,000 and in January it dropped to 720.

When the Americans landed on Leyte Japanese discipline became more strict and when the Lingayen Gulf landings were made on Luzon they became extremely strict. Doctoring, except internes, were giving death certificates showing cause as malnutrition to the Japanese reminding that must be allowed to join the British Legion, an ex-service-men's society. The Legion decided at a conference here.

HELD FOR MURDER

Victoria, Feb. 6 —(CP)— Saanich district police today charged Johnny James, 33, on a charge of murdering Clarence Dick, 39, following a fight between the two men on the West Saanich Indian Reserve at nearby Brentwood early Sunday. Officers said Dick died from a knife wound in the heart.

CAN'T JOIN LEGION

London, Feb. 6 —(CP Cable)— Members of Britain's home guard—privates, corporals and sergeants, officers and business who couldn't join the Legion, but who worked in the day of Dunkerque to defend Britain—must not be allowed to join the British Legion, an ex-service-men's society. Brentwood and Legion decided at a conference here.

Berlin Says Tokyo Fears Russia May Enter War vs. Japan

London, Feb. 5 (CP)—The Berlin radio reported today that there was fear in Tokyo that Russia may enter the war against Japan as a result of the Big Three conference now generally believed to be in session.

"Undoubtedly the problem of the common prosecution of the war against Japan is the agenda of the Big Three," wrote the Japanese commentator of the newspaper Asahi as quoted by the German Transocean Agency. "Both Japan and the western powers are setting themselves what is Russia's position regarding the war against Japan now the war against Germany has entered its decisive phase.

"Just as in the war against Germany a decision also must be reached in the war against Japan. For this reason we must keep our attention especially focussed on this question today more than ever before."

Quoting German foreign office circle, Transocean said there were indications that the Big Three conference now was in session and was being held on a warship in the Black Sea or in a Black Sea port. German radio propagandists have stepped up their campaign for backditch resistance.

TEN FORCED OUT

London, Ont., Feb. 5 — (CP) — Ten persons were forced out of their second and third storey apartments and damage totalling several thousand dollars was caused by four gasoline establishments by a gasoline basement fire which firemen took more than an hour to control. No one was injured.

SPRING LONG WAY OFF

Fort Erie, Feb. 5—(CP)—Judging by the reported action of a ground-hog here, spring is a long way off. A group of Buffalo anglers who went fishing through the ice in Lake Erie, cold hungration officials a groundhog had dragged their bag of charcoal from the back of their parked car into his burrow.

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, 'arthritic, or neuritic pain, try this easy, inexpensive home recipe. It's a pain reliever that has helped thousands even for stubborn, chronic cases. It's wide spread success is due to the fact that each ingredient used in this recipe is well known for its ability to relieve pain.

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Kingston RCOC Team Defeats Fast Trenton Squad by 5 to 1 While Mohawks Tie Sixardees

Army Team With Brown and Szabo Too Much for Raymond and Company

Kingston R.C.O.C. "Army" raced to tonight for three last period goals to beat the Trenton "Flyers" 5 to 3 while Deseronto "Mohawks" twice came from behind to battle "Sixardees" to a three-all tie in a service hockey league doubleheader at the Hume Arena Monday night.

Using a big, rugged, fast-skating sextette the Kingston Army spotted Padre Malka's "Flyers" their first and only tally and then sped them for two goals in the first period and added a trio more in the last stanza with a scoreless middle session as the Flyers were kept off the scoring sheet for the last 52 minutes of the game.

Headed by Adam Brown, former Detroit Red Wing star in the N.H.L., the Army team skated too fast for the Flyers to race back and give Goalie Laing plenty of protection with a five-man defence, although Laing stood out with a sensational nights work in the nets as he seemed to repeatedly rise to dizzy heights between the Army goal posts.

Eleventh hour, it was Szabo, speedy Army wing, who walked off with the scoring honors of the night, notching three goals, two of which were of the solo effort of the most thrilling nature.

Exhibition Nature

As it was an exhibition game the squads resorted to some trading and fast passing to delight the fans with fast skating and lightning-like combination plays that gave both goal keepers a busy night in front of the nettes. Trenton scored first, and it was also their lone counter of the game, when Paul Raymond raced in fast-off left wing to drive in Ginastar bliss line pass following which play drove hard both ways with the Army carrying more two-way hockey to harass the Flyers on their offensive attacks. Szabo evened the count by beating Robertson at close range on a pass from Crowe and St. Pierre made it two for the visiting Army by whipping the rubber past Robertson on Desbiens' pass.

Streak in Face

Laing was struck in the face and sustained a nasty injury on the first play in the middle session, but following medical aid returned to his post to give a sterling exhibition of goal tending and blank the Flyers by the remainder of the match, as the middle session went scoreless.

Early in the last period Szabo broke away and in a neat stick-handling effort raced through the Flyers' defence to beat Robertson cleanly before he set up another goal for Brown and then Szabo gave the fans another thrill by driving home his third counter while being tripped and completely off balance.

After the game representatives of the Fire Marshal's Department learned that smoking no longer would be permitted in the Hume Arena during future hockey games.

Kingston R.C.O.C.—goal, Laing; defence, Crowe and Andrychew; centre, Brown; wings, Szabo and Cancil; subs, Spence, Ruthowski, Andrychuk, St. Pierre, Aubrey and Dobelna. Trenton "Flyers"— goal, Robertson; defence, Barnes and Marshall; centre, Raymond; wings, Rasmingky and Gingras; subs, Ray, Atkinson, Mercer, Greenback, Peck, Reinhardt, Perras and Thompson.

Referee: Holway and St. Louis.

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The battle for first place in the Quinte service League will be played-at a the Hume Arena on Wednesday night when the Mountain View "Bombers" and Trenton "Flyers" meet in their final game before the league play-offs move in next week. At present Trenton is trailing by a point and must beat P/L Jimmie McCha's Bombers to create a tie for first place, the Bombers boast of a new defenceman . . . by the name of Bevins, they announced, after practice at noon today.

The line-ups—No. 4 Repair Depot —goal, Archambo; defence, Derry and Campbell; centre, Horton; wings, Pfaff and McInnis; subs, Russell, Fox, Stuart, Deserotio—goal, Carter; defence, Lalonde and McColl; centre, McLelland; wings, Cummins and Wickes; subs, Foster, Burley, Andrychuk, St. Pierre, Aubrey and Dobelna. Trenton "Flyers"— goal, Robertson; defence, Barnes and Marshall; centre, Raymond; wings, Rasmingky and Gingras; subs, Ray, Atkinson, Mercer, Greenback, Peck, Reinhardt, Perras and Thompson.

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Richard, Lach Lengthen Lead In Scoring Race

Montreal, Feb. 6—(CP)—Maurice Richard and Elmer Lach of Montreal Canadiens lengthened their lead over the National Hockey League scoring race last week, official league figures showed today, while Boston's Bill Cowley crowded The Blake of Canadiens out of second place.

Richard picked up four points during the week, to move into a tie with line-mate Lach, who added two to his total. Blake got 50 points for the week put him one up on Cowley, 31 and Blake 30. Syd Howe of Detroit holds fifth place with 42 points, five ahead of team-mate Doug Bentley and Ted Kennedy of Toronto Leafs.

Richard has a goal mark to 29, four off the modern league record, and one to go in the goal shoot of his nearest competitor. Lach leads in assists with 41, eight off the league mark and 10 ahead of his closest pursuer, Cowley.

Gus Bodnar of Xgan kept a firm hold on bad man honors with 58 minutes in majors and minors. His closest competition came from Bob Dill of Brooklyn with 45 minutes, misconduct as well.

BIG LEAGUE TEAM GOES TO PACIFIC

By ALVA DOPKING

Pearl Harbor, Feb. 6 —(AP)— The world's all-big league baseball squad, as a prelude to its tour of the Pacific fighting front, starts here Feb. 8 against the Army Air Force all-stars, it was announced, which is also sprinkled liberally with Major League stars.

Lieut. Jimmy Dykes, Navy team manager, said his squad would depart soon after the game for a spot which will take it to the Marshalls, Guam, Saipan, Leyte and possibly Australia.

All Major League clubs except Boston Red Sox and St. Louis Cardinals are represented in the squad which is split into two teams for exhibitions for the fighting men in the forward areas.

A BIG ASSIGNMENT

By the end of October the first Canadian Army most importantly assignment since the beginning of the war — spine of the Scheldt estuary surrounding the port of Antwerp.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 6 —(CP) — After all the advance build up of last week's N.H.L. meeting, it was disappointing to find things run off so smoothly. Of course, an encouraging feature was the word that the two clubs may seek entry to the league at the next annual meeting in Montreal in June, a decision they are really serious about post-war expansion of the loop.

And there will be some things stirring when Maj. Conn Smythe gets going with his new rule experiments on the amateurs. At that, it's a mere step from the non-contract impovisations among the non-contract boys before the N.H.L. experiments with them.

Clothespin Feat:

Most interesting means of communications we've heard of in some time are in vogue at the Soo, on North Bay, Ont. When the referee wants to call attention to goal scorers to the public address system, the details are given to the timekeeper, who scribbles it on a piece of paper, clips it on a clothespin and, then, hoisted up into the gondola above. Primitive, but effective!

They the Great:

Big Eddie Shore's put in a strong plug for Tiny Thompson that will make Tiny wish considerably less glittering considerations in getting the greatest of goalies. When Eddie and Tiny were teammates in Boston, Thompson used to bet Big Eddie he couldn't get two pucks by him in five rushes during practice sessions. Nels, a spry potent-sniper in his day, said, "Tiny never came out much better in a financial way during these little deals."

Old Acquaintances:

Sammy McManus, one of the Allan Cup-winning Moncton Hawks 19 years ago, is still around the Maritime ice circuit. Sammy is playing with Saint John Beavers, a team of veterans who have been familiar in hockey circles down east as long as McManus has. Others are Bim Barton, Moose Leblanc, Bill Guilfoyle, Dan Snaderski, Bert George Apsley and Colin Sherwood.

JIMMY BIVINS WINS EASILY

Washington, Feb. 6. (AP)—Jimmy Bivins, big Cleveland heavyweight who has fists that would make Joe Louis envious, easily outpointed Lee Savold, veteran Chicago slugger, in a 10-round bout here last night. Parks, felled for nine seconds twice in the third round, couldn't come out of his corner for the fourth and was awarded a technical knockout victory.

The possibility of future action seems in store for Bivins, ruled by many months, tested only three rounds to dispose of Georgie Parks, one-time American heavyweight champion. Savold, a veteran of 90 bouts, was considered a set-up for Bivins-Parks winner.

At 188 pounds, Bivins enjoyed a 20-pound weight advantage over Parks.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.)
Associated Press Sports Writer

New York, Feb. 6. (AP)— Tom Lieb, who once proposed building an athletic "Hall of Fame" in Florida to keep out-of-state institutions from snatching the best football stars, has come up with a new idea for equalizing gridiron competition after the war. Tom's proposal, briefly, is that conferences adopt player limits, as in baseball; at the start of the season, each team's roll would turn in its squad list and then he'd have to stick to it. . . "It is ridiculous," he declares, "for the school due to bowl game receipts, to grab off all the available talent, each year carrying a squad of 80 and playing only eleven. The boys who do not play are cheated out of competition that would really do them good."

Not So Goofy.

Here's another that Letty Goetz was telling us the other day in Basketball Writers' dinner. . . One of Letty's duties as recreation director for a bombsight company—we make the bits, the other guys make the sights—is umpiring softball games. . . In one tough game between two of Letty's teams, a man in the winning run then dashed to the plate to protest Goetz's decision. . . "I just told him", says Letty, "that if I were you I'd be saving umpires are blind, so what have you got to complain about?"

QUALITY LONGEST CANAL

The longest canal in the world is in China, completed in 1260 A.D. and famous in its construction. It is 2,100 miles long.

Bombers Must Win To Keep Up With Flyers in Race

When the Mountain View "Bombers" lost to the Trenton "Flyers" 6-5 in the first meeting earlier in the season, it was pretty much a fluke, according to manager Paul Raymond, one of the Trenton Canadiens' men who turned the trick. However, coach Jimmie McCha has had his Bombers in practice at the Hume Arena this morning and did some fine defensive methods to stop the "Flying Frenchmen" in the next Bombers and Flyers meet with the Quinte R.C.A.F. service league championship at stake Wednesday evening at the Hume Arena.

It will be the final meeting of these two strong teams, who are battling for first place, for all points count. The game concludes the Bombers part of the schedule and they must win to assure themselves of a berth in the play-offs, as the Flyers have a game in hand versus the Mohawks next Monday night. "We must win and we can stop Raymond. It will be the last game of the season," predicted P/L. McCha after practice today.

"I'm leaving the Trenton station on the 5 and the Bombers need no a win before my departure," was all coach Padre Malka had to say regarding this important meeting.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

As a precaution against the activities of gamblers, President Will Harridge of the American League and League announced at New York last night he would follow the decision of President Frank Shaughnessy of the International League in forbidding the managers to give out pitchers' names in advance. President Ford Frick of the National League said he would stamp out any sign of gambling in ball parks, adding that extra care has to be taken because of the many young players in major baseball.

The spectators in New York last night were offering "inside" information on horse racing would be resumed as Belmont Park in the spring if Germany is defeated off quickly. They were also saying there might be late-season racing at Gulfstream and Tropical parks in Florida with the same proviso.

Gunder Haegg and Haakon Lidman, Swedish track stars, yesterday were granted visas in London to have made special arrangements to leave shortly for New York to participate in the track meets scheduled at waiting 10 days for inoculation procedure before departure.

Manager Al Murray of Galt Red Wings in the O.H.A. Junior "A" series yesterday signed Cecil Cruhi, defence ace of Port Colborne intermediateonists, to replace goalie Bruce Phillip of Toronto. After the latter had had a run-in with the referee in Saturday's game at Maple Leaf Gardens with St. Michaels and was suspended indefinitely.

The annual international softball tournament, in which Canadian teams have participated, will be staged Sept. 12-17 at Lakewood Stadium, Cleveland, it was announced last night by president Raymond Johnson of the Amateur Softball Association of the United States.

What was claimed to be a world record for two furlongs was set yesterday at the Hippodrome track, Mexico City, when Big Racket, ridden by Jockey Ellsworth Pyrtz, covered the distance in 20 4/5 seconds, comparing with the old mark of 21 1/4 seconds, set in 1800.

With a margin of seven points over Bob Gracie of Pittsburgh Pirates, Paul Courteau of Ponce de Leon Reds continued to lead the scoring parade in the Intermediate Hockey League with a total of 60. Bob Watson of the Pirates stood third with 56 in the table announced last night.

Nils Trembley of Quebec Aces is leading the Quebec Senior League scoring race with 44 points on 30 goals and 24 assists, followed by Joe Carthy of Montreal Royals one point behind, according to statistics issued from the circuit headquarters in Montreal last night.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



CASUAL COMMENT
by K.J.C.

Inexperienced.

Police Judge: "Well, Sam, about your son stealing those chickens. Have you had him off this time, but why don't you show him the right way?"

Sam: "I've done tried hard, Judge but he goes and gets hisself caught anyhow."

Looking Ahead.

Regarding the post-war sports period Arthur Daley, in the New York Times, seems satisfied there will be the inevitable boom. He recently commented on the subject as follows:

"A group of athletic directors from various Eastern colleges was discussing the inevitable boom in sports which everyone confidently expects will follow the end of this war. Just as the fabulous Golden Decade followed the last one.

"Can you imagine what it's going to be like?" said one graduate manager, a weird gleam in his eye. "We'll not only have the athletes we have now but all the former varsity stars will come trooping back to the campus for greater competition than ever before."

Then up spoke Capt. Owen Humphreys of Navy. "I'll bet that most people will agree with your prediction," he stated, and then added bluntly, "But I don't. This isn't like the last war, which lasted a little more than a year. I doubt greatly that a man will be born off to war for at least years will have the slightest desire to return to college—at least as an amateur. They'll all want to marry and settle down. Maybe they won't go off to the fronts as boys but they'll come back as men."

"That's right," agreed Comdr. William R. (Killer) Kane, the new Navy Pre-Flight Physical Training program. "From my own experience I know that they mature awfully fast in the combat zones. Boys of 18 or 20 become men almost overnight."

This was a new but logical slant on something everyone had taken for granted. The popular impression always has been that the varsity stars would flock back to Alma Mater and the collegiate game would not only pick up where it left off but would do so at an accelerated pace. Sports in general will boom in unprecedented heights, but intercollegiate athletics, it seems, may receive a complete setback for a couple of years and square away. However, another brief period of peace, if due, It can't miss."

Junior Picture.

PO. Stan Jackson's Trenton junior team is back into first place in the "Little Six" last night by beating the Hastings "Amalgamates" 4-3 in Trenton. Today we find Trenton on top with 13 points and a game to play. Stirling is second with 12 points and no league games left, while the Belleville Bees have 11 points and can move into a tie with Trenton by winning at Tweed tonight. That leaves but one game left, Campbellford at Trenton on Wednesday night. With the Hydro Town out of the play-off picture Tools Holway's charges must win at Tweed tonight if they hope to gain top or at least second place in the final standing. As the top two spots give the first and second squads the odd game in three for the group play-downs and Bees hold their destiny in their own hands, as there is a decided edge on the home ice. A say raid the play-offs commence Friday night and it will be the Bees' brother they open at home or on the road.

Kingston Army Good.

Major J. C. Irvine, of the R.C.O.C. Kingston, brought his "Army" puckiters to the Hume Arena "R" an exhibition service hockey game last night and the "Soldier Boys" headed by Alex Szabo, former Detroit Red Wing star, and Mike Szabo, no relation of the thrilling work of goalie Laing, were much too speedy for the Trenton "Flyers." The Army, new for the Army just about indicates the play. The "soldiers" are a big, rugged, fast-skating team who back-checked as speedily as they drove to the offensive, which is the secret of modern hockey. It was a real exhibition game, with plenty of speed and razzle, dazzle passing to entertain the fans and give Belleville puck patrons just some conception of the splendid brand of hockey that is being played in the Kingston City League. Which is what "Army" officials hope to do.

However, in the Quinte RCAF. service league the title of the season comes up Wednesday night when Trenton "Flyers" and the Mohawk Five "Bombers" meet for the group leadership.

Remember When.

John L. Sullivan became the last of the bare-knuckle boxing champions, 50 years ago tomorrow, when he lost the heavyweight title championship from Paddy Ryan in nine rounds. Sullivan was never defeated in a bare-knuckle fight afterward and carried the title to his grave. He was defeated for the heavyweight boxing championship of the world by James Corbett.

Rael a Lawyer.

Born in St. Louis, February 20, 1896, Harold (Muddy) Rael advanced from the sandlots to a 20-playing career, 18 of which were in the majors with the Boston Braves, Red Sox, Senators, Tigers and White Sox, for whom he now is coach.

A graduate of Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., Rael-Lieut. Rael is qualified to practice in Missouri and before the United States court and before the U.S. Supreme court. He also is associated with a St. Louis bank and trust company, but refused an executive post with that institution to remain in the game.

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IT'S ALL RIGHT, BOB. I KNOW YOU'D LIKE STEAK EVERY DAY
WHY, NOT? MEAT'S NOT RATIONED
THAT'S RIGHT! THANKS TO YOUR MOTHER AND OTHERS LIKE HER WHO ARE SENSIBLE ABOUT THEIR BUYING
GOOD! GOOD!
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They're doing a real job. How many men could run their businesses, in the face of shortages, as quietly and efficiently as these women do? They are planning, day after day, varied, balanced meals. No mean task in wartime. So let's forget the complaints and remember to thank our wives and mothers, instead.
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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 159
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

A bridge expert often puzzles where most of us dub along. Mulk. He plucks from the sky a trick here and there by cracking hoeding details. Like in this deal:

NORTH	
♠ 7 4	
♥ 7 5 4	
♦ 8 3	
♣ Q J 8	
WEST	EAST
♠ 10 8 7	♠ 5 3
♥ Q 10 6	♥ 9 8 2
♦ A 10 9 4	♦ J 10 7
♣ 6 5 4	♣ 7 2
SOUTH	
♠ A K Q 6	
♥ A K 3	
♦ 5	
♣ K 10 9 3	

South is declarer at a stretched contract of six clubs. West starts out with a diamond lead and wins the first trick. A second diamond from west is trumped by south.

To make the contract, declarer must plan in such a way that he will lose no more tricks. The third round of hearts is a worry. But the third diamond can be shifted to the fourth south spade.

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However, the handling of that and the trump suit requires some attention to future details. So, anticipating need for dummy entries, south trumps the second diamond lead with the club ace.

The club trey was now led and overtaken with dummy eightspot. This gave dummy an entry with which to lead back a diamond, south trumped that with the club king.

Then the club ten was led and overtaken by dummy with the club jack. This entry to dummy permitted the last diamond to be led from there. South trumped it with his last club.

Dummy was entered again, this time by leading the small spade and winning with the jack. That permitted the club queen to be led for picking up opponent's last trump.

On that trump queen lead, south shuffled a small heart. After that, south took the remaining tricks with top spades and hearts.

This hand worked out so slick, the plays in it may seem simple. But if you look closely you will see how declarer must plan in every move. Especially in a hand that is so scarce of entries.

It is an example of making dummy trumps the master cards.

W/C CARLING-KELLY MISSING

Toronto, Feb. 6 — (CP) — Notification that Wing Commander F. C. Carling-Kelly, commander of the Thunderbird Squadron of the Royal Canadian Air Force overseas, is missing, was received today by his wife here. A few minutes after getting the telegram she received a letter from her husband in which he told of assuming command of the squadron.

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CANADIENS LEAD N.H.L. IN POINTS AND PENALTIES

Visited the Penalty Box More Frequently Than Any Other Team

(By The Canadian Press)

National Hockey League statistics seem to indicate that anyone who wants to succeed need not always do the right thing. Looking at the statistics compiled from records in the weekly statistics, we see that the Montreal Canadiens have visited the penalty-box much more frequently than other clubs, while a similar glance at the league standings show the Habitants on top of the heap.

In fact, the lineup in regard to penalties runs just about the same as the standings, with the exception that Detroit Red Wings and New York Rangers have traded places. All the teams except Detroit and Chicago have spent more than twenty minutes in the sin bin this season—maybe the mid-western atmosphere has a soothing effect on one's disposition.

The Canucks, in addition to 264 minutes in the cooler, also have 3 misconduct and one match penalty last against them. The Rangers are a distant second with 229 minutes and one misconduct, while close behind, the Toronto Maple Leafs have 227 minutes and one has a penalty.

But the large number of penalties has not taken the edge off the Habitants' scoring prowess, for the Montreal club is leading in this department, with 165 goals scored in 36 games, while Bill Stewart's Rangers have to rate as the top goal-tender with 81 goals scored against him for an average of 2.25 a game.

Old-Time Boxing Fan Reaches Some Strong Conclusions

By RUSS NEWLAND
(Associated Press Sport Writer)

San Francisco, Feb. 6 (AP)—An oldtime boxing fan, Michael Mahoney of San Francisco, has been around at the United States best fighters since 1905, and has come up with some interesting—almost violent—conclusions.

He points out that some of the "boys in the business never won a title because they either (a) got discouraged after a loss, or (b) never got a chance at all."

On the other hand, he says, "there have been some terrible champions," he writes. "Jack Johnson was given an awful lacing for 20 rounds by a nondescript Jeffries. Hart (Hart was decided, 1905). Joe Choynski, an over-stuffed middleweight, and Joe Gans, also a few rounds (three rounds, 1901)... Battling Nelson, Jack Dempsey (Shows) McFadden, and New York Jack O'Brien could have cut Joe Louis down in the week...

"If Jack Dempsey and Joe Louis had come around forties in the turn of the century they would not have been known as the Manassas Mauler and the Brown Bomber. Look at their competition.

"I name these as the best men in every division:

"Heavyweight—Jim Jeffries; Tom Sharkey, No. 2.

"Light Heavy—Bob Fitzsimmons.

"Middleweight — Kid McCoy; Tommy Ryan, No. 2.

"Welterweight—Mysterious Billy Smith; Joe Walcott, No. 2.

"Lightweight — George (Kid) Lavigne.

"Featherweight — Terry McGovern.

"Bantamweight—Jimmy Barry.

"Flyweight — English Jimmy White.

And how do Mr. Mahoney's boxing selections strike you?

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)
O.H.A. Junior "B"
Kitchener 5, Woodstock 3.
Markham 7, Newmarket 3.
Western Ontario Juvenile
Lucknow 5, Hanover 1.
Ontario Midget
Goderich 13, Exeter 2
Manitoba Armed Services Sr.
R.M.C.S. Chippews 6, Army Grenadiers 5.
Antigonish-Pictou-Colchester League
Pictou Refiners 5, Debert Army Recruits 4.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)
New York, — Elmer Ray, 163 3-4, Los Angeles, knocked out Johnny White, 215, Jersey City,—1; Tony Pellone, 141, New York, T. K. O. Bill Haber, 136 3-4, Brooklyn, 5.
New Haven—Willie Joyce, 127, Hartford, outpointed Willie Roache, 132, Wilmington, Del., 10 (non-title); Maurice Arnault, 128, Hartford, outpointed Kenny James, 147, Waterbury, Conn., 6.
Philadelphia —Willie Joyce, 135 1-2, Gary, Ind., outpointed Chalky Wright, 133 1-2, Los Angeles, 10; Ray Robinson, 127, Detroit, outpointed Dusty Brown, 129, Philadelphia, eight.
Boston—Henry Chemel, 161, Portland, Me., outpointed Bert Lytell, 154 1-2, Fresno, Calif., 10; Cliff Mell, 130, Montreal, Flocked out Jerry Dunn, 132, New York, 3.
Washington— Jimmy Bivins, 168, Cleveland, T.K.O. George Parks, 196, Washington, 4; Perry Wright, 167, Cleveland, outpointed Smurgy Harvey, 150, Washington, 6.


AT THE CAPITOL—Edmund Lowe shares top billing with Jean Parker and Marjorie Rambeau in the mystery-comedy "Oh, What a Night," now at the Capitol Theatre. On the same program is "Enemy of Women" (the Private Life of Dr. Paul Goebbels).

Recreation Alleys

Ladies' 2 Games League

Optical 0 pts. — Soule 303; Cook 239; Clapp 222; Langevin 274; R. Langevin 196. Total 1234.

C.D.S. 2 pts. — Russell 433; Reid 395; Adams 318; Forte 227; Gibson 262. Total 1635.

Nightshawks 2 pts. — Wannacomber 277; Royle 264; Stewart 391; Rawson 302; Doe 146. Total 1580.

Bank-staters 0 pts. — Bell 311; Morris 286; Johnson 272; Mills 202; Ford 246; Wilson 234. Total 1551.

York 1 pt. — McLean 319; Smith 315; Simpson 232; Sheffield 276; J. Doe 318. Total 1460.

Bombers 2 pts. — Thompson 256; Crosley 322; Gardiner 281; Lee 294; Genova 240; Carter 246. Total 1320.

Doodlers 1 pt. — Hall 277; Weaver 324; Brown 236; Phillips 260; Doe 212. Total 1436.

Clabettes 2 pts. — Waite 272; O. Morris 263; M. Sullivan 269; D. Sullivan 232; Stevens 240. Total 1376.

Amateurs 2 pts. — Farmer 201; D. MacDonald 202; Dawson 266; M. Farmer 232; J. Macdonald 216. Total 1306.

Blue Streaks 1 pt. — Giffin 197; J. Huffman 268; Hopkins 227; H. Huffman 277; Gray 231. Total 1377.

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K. of C. 0 pts. — Hatfield 438; Schriber 522; Young 449; Northgrave 436; Doe 387. Total 2396.

ITCS 4 pts.—Evans 366; Carfepy 542; Graves 466; Hinchey 453; Shiver 466; Roper 494. Total 2801.

Callaghan 1st 2 pts. — Cornell 417; J. Callaghan 318; M. Callaghan 466; F. Cornell 390; M. Callaghan 366. Total 2077.

Goodrich Oil 3 pts. — Titterson 426; Sills 549; River 485; Adams 566, Hatfield 576; Hopkins 721. Total 2947.

Black Birds 3 pts. — Kerr 305; Wood 436; Clancy 497; Ward 542; Dixon 500; Delcour 394. Total 2658.

Optical 1 pt. — Weaver 342; Cooney 547; Raymond 513; Towns 376; Valley 373. Total 2291.

Little Benny's Note Book

I was taking a walk with pop before supper, partly for pop's appetite and partly for his figure, and some man was standing on a corner trying to make people stop and listen to him, saying, I've 25 good of your soles brothers and sisters, give me a minute of your time. Would you lose your sole brothers and sisters, for the sake of a minute? he said.

Being a man with kind of long hair, and I said to pop, Pop, could anybody really save your sole in a minute?

Maybe an unusually healthy sole could be saved in a minute, but any sole might at least be put on the right track, pop said. My sole feels very comfortable at the moment, but I have my doubts about yours. Your mother says that since almost told her a lie this morning, he said, and I said, Well Jimminy, almost isn't all a ways, pop.

Even almost is bad for the sole, pop said. It shows that your moral compass was pointed East for Evanston, instead of due South for Dependable Sincerity. So maybe your sole needs attention. Maybe we better go back and hear what the man is saying, he said.

Which we did, and he was saying, And now, brothers and sisters, I'll come to my point. In these days of rubber scarcity, you'll find it practically impossible to get reasonably rubber soles when they wear out. But with the aid of simple preparation that I have here, at the astounding price of only 26 cents or a quarter of a dollar, you can save them by patching them with this. Now a few easy flicks of the wrist, he said, and pop said, By golies he's obtaining the solution under false pretences. A low trick like that will probably be illegal when the world starts its post-war state of perfection. The man's own sole is in danger, and I thought it would do any good I'd tell him so, he said.

Only he didn't, claiming he thought it wouldn't do any good.

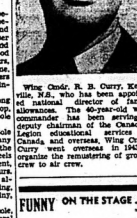
WAGES INCREASED

Ottawa, Feb. 6 (CP)—Magistrate Glenn Strike, chairman of the Board of Police Commissioners, announced yesterday that wage increases amounting to 10 per cent. and in some cases to over 15% rates will be granted immediately to all ranks of the Ottawa Police Force.

NAZI RESIGNS


Col.-Gen. Heinz Guderian, German commander-in-chief on the eastern front, reported by the Paris radio to have resigned his command. No less, according to the same report, been replaced by Col.-Gen. Lothar Rendulic, until recently commander in Norway.

ALLOWANCES HEAD


Wing Cmdr. R. B. Curry, Kentville, N.S., who has been appointed national director of family allowances. The 40-year-old wing commander has been serving as deputy chairman of the Canadian Legion educational services for Canada, and overseas. Wing Cmdr. Curry went overseas in 1940 to organize the remustering of ground crew to air crew.

RESULTS AROUSE

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Premier Assemble.

In last night's statement and in previous utterances Mr. King has said that Defence Minister Col. Ralston's presence in the Cabinet was essential if Canada's government was to hold another brief session of Parliament facilitating for the passage of money bills for the war effort and government services. Gen. McNaughton's return to Italy or North now makes this impossible.

Mr. King also has said he had repeated this in his latest statement—that he has sought all alone to avoid a general election while Canadian troops were fighting at the front.

Last week the Prime Minister announced in a message to the Grey North voters that he would call a by-election before March 17, when the five-year term of the present parliament expires.

90 Days Must Elapse

As 60 days must elapse between the writ of election and nomination and a general election the earliest date for polling could be April 9, assuming that no session is held. Should a by-election be called it could be considered to be unlikely—it could be expected to continue to the last possible day, April 16, that would make June 18 the earliest possible election date.

The government already has made provision for Canadian service personnel to vote in the general election for one of the candidates in their home constituency.

Regulations contain the machinery which will enable service personnel in Canada, at the fighting fronts and in various areas throughout the world to vote directly or by proxies and enable service personnel interned in neutral countries to vote by proxy through their next-of-kin.

Political circles here considered it likely that the reinforcement issue, of which the Grey North by-election and the granted campaign were developments, would also play a large part in the general election.

HELD UP DRUGGIST

Toronto, Feb. 6 —(CP)— Four men, two of them armed with revolvers, held up Lloyd Bell, 21, clerk by in his Kingston Road druggists Saturday night and escaped with $150 from the cash register and $50 from Bell's pocket. One kept watch at the door while the others carried out the robbery.

BLITZ HEROES FIRST

Dover, England —(CP)— First priority for house repairs in this and other shell-shattered south coast towns will go to those who remaining on their jobs through the blits, it has been announced. Those who left fast had to return because of their work will be next in line.

GYMNASTIC SUBS FOR CLERK

Kingston, England—(CP)—Lieut. S. C. Biggs, Toronto lawyer now in the Canadian army, wore his uniform when he acted as clerk for Justice Sir Norman Birkett at Surrey Assizes, because the Judge's own clerk was unable to attend. At present on convalescent leave, Lieut. Biggs is a guest of Sir Norman he met in Canada.

HELD FOR MURDER

Montreal, Feb. 6. (CP)—Rene Lefebvre, formerly at Montreal jail, was arrested yesterday on a charge of murder arising from the death in a prison cell last June of Gerard Lauzon, 30-year-old inmate.

LIVING ORNAMENTS

In Cuba, the click beetle is worn as an ornament in the hair or among the folds of dresses of Cuban women. It gives off a brilliant green light and looks like a living emerald.

Gymnastic Program To Feature Health Week Program at BCI

Special program in connection with the observance of National Health Week is planned by P. T. instructors at Belleville collegiate this week with gymnastic displays and lectures on health to be given Wednesday morning at the school auditorium.

Emphasis on health as a national and individual asset will be the underlying thought in connection with the program which will consist of a talk on the importance of health by Medical Officer of Health Dr. G. S. Cronk; a moving picture of athletic sports, girls dancing under the direction of P.T. instructor Miss Isabel Morton, with honing and wrestling, parallel bars, pyramids and mat work under the direction of P.T. instructor Honor Townsend.

Pulpit recognition of National Health Week was given at Sidloway Street United Church during the morning service by Rev. J. A. Dills who preached on "Religion and Health."

Quoting scriptures God's promise of health to those who obey the commands of His statutes, Mr. Dills pointed out the relationship between health and Christianity. Disobedience to His commands, Mr. Dills pointed out, brings disease. As illustration he pointed to the rising prevalence of venereal disease, this being the result of disobedience.

Dire results of anger, fear and worry to the mental health of the individual were pointed out by the speaker who indicated preventive measures were most important than a program of healing.

SWEDISH VESSELS STOPPED

Stockholm, Feb. 6 —(Reuters)— The Swedish newspaper "Expressen," quoting a Swedish naval captain, said Russian submarines had on three occasions stopped Swedish merchant ships with cargoes for Allied prisoners of war in Germany. The ships' captains were courteously advised to return to port, the report said.

OPTICAL PROTECTION

Sloaks have a protective storm window over their eyes—a translucent membrane which serves the organ from scratches and injuries.

TODAY - WED.
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A SHOCKING FILM!
BRUTALLY FRANK!
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WOODS DRAKE
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McCARTHY
THERE LITTLE
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PEARL OF DEATH
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Livia had been working for six weeks when a handsome movie star drove in. Both she and Ann were without customers at the time, and they raced to serve him. He smiled at their eager faces, then gave his order to Livia.

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"I must ask you to leave this young lady alone," he stuttered. "I warn you, she'll lose her job—shall I call the police, Miss Clarkson?" Bruce turned from Livia and advanced slowly toward the manager, who retreated nervously.

"It's all right," Livia assured him. "I—er—I know him. It's all right."

"When you're finished your tete-a-tete," the manager said, "you might let me know because there'll be some customers who want to be served." He left them. He wanted to see her. But he was afraid Ted Curtiss would repeat the performance on him.

"You don't have to hold my arm," Livia looked angrily at Bruce. "I won't run away." Bruce eased his grip, but did not let her go.

"Where've you been hiding?" he asked. "And why?"

"She's beautiful," Livia said.

"Who's beautiful?"

"Your—the girl in the car." Bruce was nonplused, but answered vaguely:

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RADIO PROGRAMS

TUESDAY, FEB. 6

4.00 p.m.
WGR, WBEN—News, Sports.
CFRB—Sport Memories.
4.15 p.m.
CBL—News, Farm Market.
4.30 p.m.
WBEN—News Quiz.
4.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes McKnight on Sports.
5.00 p.m.
CJBC—Clary Settell.
WBEN, WHAM-B—Lowell Thomas
5.30 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That? Quiz.
7.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
7.15 p.m.
CFRB—Jimmy Blackstone.
7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
CJBC-NBC—Haynes-Forrest Show.
8.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Ginny Simms.
CFRB—Big Town.
CJBC—Guy Lombardo.
CKOC, CBC—Big Town Drama.
8.30 p.m.
CJBC-Blue—Alan Young Show.
CFRB—Fun Parade.
WBEN—A Date With Judy.
CBL—Of Things to Come.
8.45 p.m.
WKBW-CBS—Inner Sanctum.
WGR—Toronto Symphony.
WBEN-NBC—Mystery Theatre.
WGR—B—Gracie Fields Show.
9.00 p.m.
CKEY—N.HL. Hockey
9.30 p.m.
CBL-NBC—Fibber McGee

WKBW-CBS—This is My Best.
WGR-B—Bob Strong Orch.
9.45 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—CBC News.
CJBC-NBC—Bob Hope.
11.30 p.m.
WGR-B—Let Yourself Go.
CBL—Make Way For Tomorrow.
CJBC—Shirt Front Orch.
WBEN-NBC—Hillbillies.
11.00 p.m.
CBL—CBC Radio Newsreel.
CFRB, CHML, CKTB—News.
CKEY—News, Mickey Lester.
CFRB—News.
11.15 p.m.
CBL—Off the Record.
11.30 p.m.
WGR-B—"Mel". Opera, U.S.A.
CFRB-CBS—Casey Drama.
12.15 a.m.
WGR-B—Dance Bands.
12.30 a.m.
CFRB—NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 7

6.00 p.m.
CBL—Relax and Enjoy Music.
6.15 p.m.
CBL—News. Farm Markets.
6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes. McKnight, sports.
7.45 p.m.
WBEN—Lowell Thomas.
CBL—BBC News.
8.56 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
7.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
7.15 p.m.
WBEN, WGY-N—Vandercook, news.
7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WKBW-CBS—The Easy Aces.
WBEN—At International House.
7.45 p.m.
WBEN—H. V. Kaltenborn.
8.00 p.m.
WBEN, WGY—Mr. and Mrs. Meich.
CFRB-NBC—Jack Carson Show.
8.15 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Sunny Skylar.
8.30 p.m.
CFRB—Treasure Trail.
WBEN-NBC—Carlton of Chesrs.
CJBC—The Little Revlew.
WGR-B—Hit Parade.
WJR, WKBW-CBS—Dr. Christian.
8.10 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Eddie Cantor.
WKBW-CBS—Frank Sinatra.
WGR-Blue—Keep Up.
8.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—District Attorney.
WKBW-CBS—Which is Which.
10.00 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—News.
WBEN-NBC—Ray Kyser.
CFRB-CBS—Great Music.
10.15 p.m.
CBL—The Soldier's Return."
10.30 p.m.
WGR-B—Dorothy Amby.
CBL—Piano Masterworks.
CJBC—Dinner Dance.
CKEY—Horace Lapp orch.
WKBW-CBS—Milton Berle.
11.00 p.m.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
CKEY—News, Mickey Lester.
WBEN, WGY, WABC-CBS—News.
11.30 p.m.
CBL—Symphology.
WBEN—Church Program.

THURSDAY, FEB. 8

6.00 p.m.
CBL—Relax and Enjoy Music.
WBEN, WGR—Sports, 5.15—Sports.
WKBW-CBS—Major Eliot.
6.15 p.m.
WBEN—News. Farm Markets.
6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes. McKnight, sports.
7.45 p.m.
CBL—BBC News and Comment.
WBEN—Lowell Thomas.
8.56 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
7.00 p.m.
CBL—Quartette Quartet.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
7.15 p.m.
WBEN, WGY-N—Vandercook News.
CFRB—Musical Interlude.
WKBW-CBS—Martin Block Show.
7.30 p.m.
WKBW-WJR—Lo$t Persons Finder.
CJBC—Bert Niosi Little Band.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WBEN-NBC—Bob Burns.
8.00 p.m.
CJBC—Service Forum.
CFRB—Dr. Christian Chesterborough
WKBW-CBS—Gang Busters.
CKEY-MBS—Sammy Kaye.
WBEN-NBC—Dinah Shore.
CBL—Victor Show.
WGR-B—Town Meeting.
8.30 p.m.
WJR, WKBW-CBS—Major Bowes.
9.00 p.m.
CFRB—War Front Stories.
9.30 p.m.
WGR-Blue—Tommy Tucker Orch.
CFRB—The Old-Timers.
WBEN—Jimmy Durante.
WKBW-CBS—Corliss Archer.
CJBC—Canadian Cavalcade.
10.00 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—News.
WBEN-NBC—Abbott and Costello.
WKBW-CBS—Mary Linn.
CJBC—Light up and Listen.
WGR-Blue—Fred Waring.
10.15 p.m.
WBEN—Rudy Vallee.
CJBC—The Cavaliers.
CFRB—Musicial Nightcap.
WKBW-CBS—Ray Bloch.
WGR-Blue—March of Time,
11.00 p.m.
CBL—News and Commentary.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
CKEY—News, Mickey Lester.
CFRB—News.

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Toronto, Feb. 6 —(CP)— C. E. Zackner of the Dairy Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture said Saturday night there is a shortage of experienced cheesemakers in Ontario and appealed to young men willing to work in cheese factories to communicate with Selective Service. He said 10 experienced cheesemakers were needed in the province alone, along with 31 helpers.

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Why Englishman Was Not Rescued By U.S. Rangers

By FRED HAMPSON
(A. P. War Correspondent)

An Evacuation Hospital on Luzon, Feb. 6 (delayed)—"I thought they were the Americans ary here", said 2nd. Lt. Bond.

"I thought they were there to kill me. I played dead and went back to sleep. Amazing, wasn't it?"

That was why the elderly Englishman, captured by the Japanese, recuperated when the United States 6th Ranger Battalion raided the Japanese garrison at Cabanatuan prison in the early darkness Jan. 30 and whisked the prisoners to safety in a swift raid.

The imperturbable Englishman's bunk was in a dark corner and he was overlooked by the hurried Rangers.

And Rose enjoyed a good night's sleep. He awoke to find himself the only living occupant of the barracks.

"Blimey," said Rose with some astonishment, "they didn't stay after all."

By the time Rose washed, shaved and made himself breakfast, some Filipinos arrived and hustled him off to a guerilla camp since the Japanese—angry about the raid—were still there in the area.

Rose, 46 years old and still suffering from a machine gun shrapnel wound which had never healed, escaped just two days after the others.

He was a purser on a British ship plying between Hong Kong and Singapore before the war. The ship left the Manila Bay for safety by Dec. 19, 1941. He was wounded, evacuated to Corregidor hospital and captured.

Snow Plow Blade Dislodged Causes Accident, Tie-up

When the front portion of the blade of a government snow plow became dislodged on Highway No.2 two miles west of Marysville, on Monday, it struck a motor car driven by Squad Ldr. J. D. McCallum, of Deseronto. The government snow plow was driven by Ivan MacFarlane, of Napanee. Fortunately no person in the automobile suffered injuries although the car was damaged. When the front blade became dislodged the tractor portion of the snow plow mounted the bank and nose-dived into the north ditch. Provincial Constable Hamilton investigated and assisted in clearing the highway from the traveled portion of the road.

Half Million Huns Lost in 2 Weeks Of Red Offensive

London, Feb. 6. (CP)—A Moscow broadcast today said the first two weeks of the Red Army's winter offensive had cost the German nazis 500,000 men. It gave no breakdown of the figure.

FORMER EDITOR OF PRO-NAZI NEWSPAPER EXECUTED

Berlin, Feb. 6. (DNB)—Robert Brasillach, former editor of the pro-nazi newspaper Paris Soir, put to death during the German occupation of France, was executed today by a firing squad for collusion with the enemy.

Despite this, hurrah for France", he shouted as the rifles barked.

3 MORE JAP ADMIRALS REPORTED KILLED

San Francisco, Feb. 6" (AP)—Three more Japanese admirals have been killed in action, the Japanese Domei Agency reported today. This makes 18 admirals whose deaths have been announced since last May.

The Japanese dispatch, intercepted by the Federal Communications Commission, named the naval officers as Rear Admiral Kozo Kimura, Yoshiyuki Kishi and Eichiro Jo.

TEN FORCED OUT

London, Ont., Feb. 5 — (CP) — Ten persons were forced out of their second and third storey apartments and damage totalling several thousand dollars was caused to four business establishments by a stubborn basement fire which firemen were more than an hour to control. No one was injured.

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Bidgood	41-1-2
Brakens	17 1-2B
Brenlan	76
Buffalo Ank	43B
Calgary and Edm.	186
Can. Malar.	118
Central Pat.	1.01
Chesterville	222
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Falconbridge	525
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Pamour	155
Perron	138
Pickle Crow	315
Pioneer	90
Powell	118
Preston E.	26B
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San Antonio	475

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE

Toronto, Feb. 6 (CP)—Profittaking dulled the gilt edged group in the early market session today and the index slipped back moderately, industrial oils and golds down slightly. Substantial gains were held by the industrials and base metals at noon. The trading tempo showed little change at midday.

Teck Hughes touched $4 for a gain of 25 cents and gains of 5 cents were held by Wright-Hargreaves, Griffiths, Coulson Malartic, Pioneer and San Antonio. Falconbridge retained the lead in metals, climbing 50 cents to 5.50 on 6,000 volume.

In the industrial section prices were stronger for the liquor and utility stocks. Distillers-Seagrams gained more than a point.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE

New York, Feb. 6. (AP)—The Stock Market resumed its selective advance today under leadership of Rails, after absorbing considering early profit cashing on the five-session upswing.

Near the fourth hour plus signs of fractions to a point or more predominated.

Ahead most of the proceedings were Santa Fe, N.Y. Central, American Telephone, Pennsylvania, Easton, Eastman Kodak and United Aircraft.

Plus signs were sprinkled through the Canadian list. C.P.R. was up 1-8 and Lake Shore gained 1-4. Dome Mines was off 1-4.

Bonds were steady and commodities easier.

The War Today—
Steady Pressure by Eisenhower Will Likely Produce Results Soon

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Associated Press War Analyst)

The European war has just about touched the peak of its crisis on both eastern and western fronts, for now (if ever) is the time when the Germans, having reached their Oder line of defence, will make their great retreat across Poland, should they begin to make their final desperate stand.

And desperate it is, for the Nazi leaders are deliberately sacrificing Germany to their own hopeless personal interests and to Hitler's maddest chapters. The inevitable finish of this sorry affair is foredoom, will be Gotterdammerung—the end of the world.

On both fronts the Allies are exerting more and more pressure against the Germans' main fortified positions. The two great millstones at last have begun to grind firmly between them and are grinding more than an hour to control. No one was injured.

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Dr. John T. Phair Deputy Minister Of Health Dept.

Toronto, Feb. 6 — (CP) — Dr. John T. Phair has been appointed Deputy Provincial Minister of Health for Ontario, it was announced today by Health Minister Heenan. Dr. Phair, who succeeds the late Dr. R. T. McClure, who died recently, retains his post as chief medical officer of health which he has held since 1936.

Dr. Phair has long been active in the public health field, beginning his career as district medical officer of health for Toronto. Later he was appointed chief medical health officer for Ontario schools. When the Department was brought under the health department, he was appointed director of maternal and child hygiene.

He is honorary secretary of the Canadian Public Health Association and a member of the Ontario and Canadian medical associations.

He was born in Toronto May 17, 1897.

Tommy Farr Pleads Innocent

Brighton, England, Feb. 6 — (CP) — Tommy Farr, former British heavyweight boxing champion, pleaded innocent in police court here today to a charge that he assaulted a young naval cadet after reference had been made to Farr as a "third rate boxer."

Counsel for Cadet John Bottomley, D.S.M., said Farr broke Bottomley's nose with a Scotch decanter his hands in his pockets.

He said Farr offered to fight all the cadets at Bottomley's group in his tavern for $1 each. He contended that as soon as the cadet knew he was not in the ring now was that he could not find an opponent at his price.

HOGS

Toronto, Feb. 6 (CP)—Prices were unchanged at bacon-hog markets reporting early today. Dressed grades delivered, Barrie $17.75; London $17.60; Hamilton $17.65; Stratford, to farmers $17.50, to truckers $17.65. Hull $17.75, plus transportation, Brantford $17.25.

Heads Group Formed To Oppose Teaching Religion in Schools

Toronto, Feb. 6 — (CP) — Rev. A. C. Cochrane, Presbyterian minister from near Orillia, Credit, last night was elected president of a newly-organized association for religious liberty, formed to oppose religious education in Ontario public schools.

Dr. Cochrane, who has been active in councils and his own church in opposing religious instruction in the schools, said: "In the Northern Ontario village of Chile, 13 miles from Cochrane, a teacher member of Jehovah's Witnesses taught the tenets of her religion to all the pupils of her school. When the Board of Education heard this, they let her go but she got another job in a school not far away and continued her own religious instruction."

Dr. Helen Infield, elected chairman, said: "We have already been informed of flagrant abuses by individual teachers." She added that the manual of instruction was a poor guide and "each course is entirely subject to the views of its teachers."

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CRIME STORY, WRITER DIES

Lewes, Sussex, Feb. 6 — (Sussex) — J. R. Turney, better known as David Hume, writer of best selling crime mystery stories, died at Haywards Heath, Sussex, on Saturday. At one time he wrote a novel in Portuguese. He frequently spent weeks at a time living in London's underworld to mix with criminals.

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This is a view of the shafthead during rescue operations. Only one of the 16 survived the plunge and he died on the way to hospital.



Here is a view of the Paymaster Gold Mine, Timmins, Ont., where 16 miners lost their lives when a cable broke and the cage in which they were riding plunged 1,500 feet.



Pte.-Sgt. Russell (Mickey) Dillon, R.C.A.F., who had been working at the mine only three weeks. Recently discharged from the Air Force after a tour of operations, as the result of a ruptured eardrum, he was sub goalie for Ottawa Flyers the year they won the Allan Cup.

Canada's Northland Theme of Talk To Rotary by Rev. Grant Sparling

Outstanding efforts drawn by the magnet of war from the ingenuity of man are the colossal feats of engineering that have been performed in Canada's northland, the Rev. Grant Sparling, rector of Christ Church told the Rotary Club on Monday.

The speaker, a former chaplain in the Royal Canadian Air Force, and who spent considerable time in the northwest and in the vast territory between Edmonton and White Horse, painted a graphic word picture of conditions as he saw them and of the huge activities that eventually opened Canada's northern oil and goldfields and highways for the insatiable appetite of her war demands.

Unlike the traditional sailor "who saw the world through a porthole" he visioned the vast territory that extends from Edmonton to White Horse through the porthole of a Lockheed Lodestar freight plane "on his knees." "I had to kneel in order to see the country as the port was so placed that it was impossible to use either sitting or standing."

Made Survey.

With a Roman Catholic colleague, Mr. Sparling was ordered on an official survey of scattered R.C.A.F. landing fields in a chain of stations along the 1,000-mile flight to the northern post of White Horse.

Over rough terrain, to Fort St. John, the big aircraft felt its way with its 18 passengers seated on crates of supplies. Leaving this stop, the ship flew through blue skies over the beautiful Peace River district, on its left the Rocky Mountains and a thin yellow ribbon that was the Alaska highway. Spiralling blue smoke marked construction camps, dust puffs denoted the onward march of vehicular traffic. On to Fort Nelson and its rough bush country. Across the Rockies which seemed like a giant hand with cruel claws reaching for the tiny ship."

Held First Church Service.

The big aircraft landed at Watson Lake where Mr. Sparling conducted the first Protestant service held in the northland under R.C.A.F. jurisdiction. After two days' stay, the party left for White Horse. To the left and far below glimmered the waters of Lake Laberge, famed in R. W. Service's "Cremation of Sam McGee." Landing in the northern post with its war-swollen population of 15,000 odd souls in 1939, the party saw the old fashioned river paddle steamers resembling the mates of white horses from which the settlement got its name.

Mr. Sparling visited several outposts of the R.C.A.F. during his aerial visit, and made extensive reports on conditions as he found them. On the return journey the big Lockeed aircraft negotiated the 1,000 miles between White Horse and Edmonton between dinner in the first place and supper in the Alberta city.

Referring to the Alaska Highway, Mr. Sparling stated that seven months and twelve days after the first stone was dug on Feb. 12, 1942 in Dawson Creek, the 1,631 mile road was completed at Fairbanks, Alaska. Constructed mainly by American engineers and labor, the road will revert to Canada after the war. Terming it a "colossal feat of engineering," Mr. Sparling stated that the road was built at the rate of eight miles per day. Over mountains and rivers, across treacherous marsh swamp, the road, 24 feet in width pushed its way to completion. Two hundred bridges were built during the period of construction.

3,000 Barrels Oil Daily.

Transportation of oil, that proved flowing gold in the later days of war, from Fort Norman on the Mackenzie River, 75 miles south of the Arctic Circle, afforded another challenge to engineers. Discovered in 1920, some of the oil was supplied to areas within the territory until the Alaska Highway was built. This source of valuable fuel was a Godsend in 1940 when war was declared, but the question of delivery proved a colossal task. A pipeline, 600 miles long was installed between the Fort and White Horse and took two years to build. Along this line are stretched 75 stations which take care of the 3,000 barrel daily output of oil. Incidentally this kind of oil has a paraffin base which allows it to flow in a temperature of 70 degrees below zero.

Material for the construction of the line proved another problem. It had to be transported by rail from Edmonton, transferred to steamers to cross Lake Athabaska and up the Slave River. From a point here the cargo had to be portaged to the Great Slave Lake and thence by steamer again to its destination.

Annual Upkeep High.

During the first winter a road, 1,000 miles long was built to transport the supplies and material. It was just a "tote" road and was opened by an argument between two vehicle drivers when they met at the junction, instead of the usual ceremonies.

Speaking of the future of Canada's northland, Mr. Sparling told the clubmen that some have estimated its annual upkeep at the one and six millions of dollars. Some are of the opinion that it never will be to its old status while others think it will open up another rich area for the nation.

The speaker was introduced by Rotarian Dr. Robert Howard while club appreciation was expressed by Rotarian Bill Turner. President Pink Pinkston was in the chair.

German Offensive Written Off As Complete Defeat

Allied Supreme Headquarters, Paris, Feb. 6 — (AP) — A Supreme Headquarters war review today wrote off the German Ardennes offensive as a "complete defeat" for an enemy who has suffered 1,260,000 casualties since D-Day, and a strategic error on Hitler's part upon which the Russians now are capitalizing.

At the same time the review, issued yesterday, disclosed that the United States 9th Army, which was transferred to Field Marshal Montgomery's command at the outset of the offensive, was returned to Lt.-Gen. Omar N. Bradley's 12th Army group as soon as the 1st linked up with the United States 3rd Army in that battle.

No mention was made of the United States 9th Army, which with the 1st and 3rd made up Gen. Bradley's group. (A dispatch from Associated Press correspondent Wes Gallagher, dated Jan. 19 and delayed by the censor, said the 9th was left under Field Marshal Montgomery, 21st Army Group Commander, presumably for future military operations in which British, Canadian and American forces would work as a unit.)

The review placed the western front losses since the Normandy landing at the equivalent of 110 divisions. It divided the total into 800,000 prisoners and 400,000 killed and wounded. Allied losses were only a fraction of the enemy's.

In summing the assault phase the review said, the Germans lost enough to refit 15 armored divisions.

"It was the continuous aggressive action of the 12th Army group between September and the middle of October that kept the 6th S. S. Panzer Army to the west of the Rhine, and thereby prevented it from being available in the east when Stalin and the magnificent Red Army launched the great Russian offensive," the review declared.

E.L.A.S. Accepts Amnesty Proposal

Athens, Feb. 6 — (AP) — The E.A.M.-E.L.A.S. delegation has accepted the Greek government's amnesty proposals, it was announced last night by John Sofianopoulos, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Information, who said the conference seeking to settle the country's civil strife probably would resume sessions today.

Sofianopoulos said the E.A.M.-E.L.A.S. delegates were ready "to continue negotiations in order to prevent a break which would inevitably lead to disastrous consequences for the country."

The government proposals, transmitted to the E.A.M.-E.L.A.S. delegates in a letter Sunday night, were said to have offered general amnesty except for criminal prosecutions for terroristic violations of the laws of war and the Greek penal code.

Predict Death Toll of Forty

New York, Feb. 6 — (AP)—Navy men and police, predicting a probable death toll of 40, grimly surveyed the charred hulks of two ships and the flotsam of New York Bay for additional victims of the inferno of high octane gasoline and oil which killed 17 by present count and injured 122.

The disaster occurred yesterday when an incoming vessel, the Clio, rammed the 16,000-ton tanker Springhill, loaded with 120,000 barrels or high octane gasoline. An explosion and flame enveloped the tanker, spreading to a nearby Norwegian vessel, the Virl, loaded with diesel oil.

Twenty-two men still are missing. Of the injured at least six are in a grave condition.

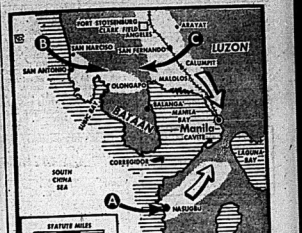
Three other vessels were damaged.

ON BURMA FRONT



PO. George Stewart of Morriston, Ont., perches on one of the overhung petrol tanks with which his aircraft is fitted for long sorties over Burma. Stewart is one of many Canadians flying Thunderbolt fighter-bombers on the Burma front.

YANKS REACH MANILA



U. S. Eighth Army troops have reached Manila in the Philippines and 25 Canadians held by Japs there may be liberated. The three recent vital operations which led to the sealing off of the Japs at Manila are indicated by the dark arrows. U. S. Eighth Army troops landed on the Balangas coast (A) of Luzon, 41 miles southwest of Manila, and placed the Balangas capital inside a two-army pincer, whose jaws were only 66 Philippine miles apart. The Eighth Army's 11th Division swarmed ashore without loss of a man at Nasugbu and struck up the coast toward a junction with elements of Lieut.-Col. Walter Krueger's Sixth Army, which pushed south and westward (C) along Highway 3 towards Eighth Army forces (B) driving from the Subic Bay landing.

ON THE RIGHT ROAD TO MANILA



American soldiers look at a road sign in Tarlac, Luzon. The sign had been bit by a shell—but there is enough of it left to point the road to Manila, capital of the Philippines, which the Yanks have now reached.

BUILDING RESEARCH

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Storm Across Our And Sure Rivers At Seven Points

Invasion Gives Continuous 120-Mile Front to Cut West Wall

By ROBERT C. WILSON
(AP Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 7 — (AP) — Four divisions of the British Second and 3rd Army invaded Germany anew on a 32-mile front today, storming across the Our and Sure Rivers between Echternach and a point in northern Luxembourg five miles northeast of Clervaux.

Shock troops crossed the rivers by boat and bridge at seven points and attacked the Siegfried Line. Immense naval arms fire from the Channel to Switzerland was concentrated, but early artillery reaction was light.

The German invasion gave General Eisenhower's armies a virtually continuous 130-mile front in western Germany between Holland and the industrial German city of Saarbrucken.

In the north, the United States 9th and British 2nd Armies are beyond 26 miles of the Siegfried Line. The United States 1st and 3rd Armies are at or through the first west wall fortifications on a 57-mile sector from the upper Roer river near Schmidt to Echternach.

Initial gains by Lt.-Gen. Courtney Hodges's 2nd Army men a half mile inside Germany and among pillboxes of the Siegfried Line.

The new 3rd Army invasion of Germany started before dawn. The 6th Armored, 17th Airborne, 5th and 90th Infantry Division were used in the drive.

Farther north in the area where the 3rd Army had bored clear through the Siegfried Line, foot troops advanced 1 1/4 miles in wide in three miles of Prum, major enemy supply and transit base.

The 1st Army, flanking the 3rd to the north, encountered stiffest opposition in the last half mile of the eastern belt of the last known Siegfried Line fortifications. The 2nd and 9th Division won control of two thirds of Hellenthal, three miles south of Schleiden, and fought for the remainder.

Other of Lt.-Gen. Courtney Hodges' 1st Army men fought within a half mile of so of Schleiden, Gemund and Schmidt — all bolt positions at the extreme edge of the double belt of fixed fortifications.

French and American troops swiftly beat down the German fortifications south of Strasbourg, capturing numerous Alsatian towns and rounding their prisoner toll since Jan. 20 to more than 16,000. In the imposing and threatening Colmar pocket had been split in two. The western prongs in the trap were less than 50 square miles.

The eastern part of the pocket was compressed against the Rhine south of Neuf-Brisach, the old moated Rhine fortress which supreme headquarters said finally had been cleared. The western approaches to the Rhine bridges to Breisach were captured.

Steady drizzles and continued thaws hindered activity on the front.

The 1st Canadian Army fresh in Holland and the British 2nd Army front along the Maas and the Rivers in Holland and Germany remained quiet.

Says Nazi Women Patrol Streets In Berlin

Stockholm, Feb. 7 —(AP)— A Swedish traveller said today that women wearing Volkssturm armbands were patrolling streets and barricades in Berlin, and that Volkssturm men were being trained in street fighting by specialists who fought at Cassino, in Italy, and at Aachen.

This informant said girls belonging to the Hitler Youth and "Bliss Maedel" were working on street blocks and other improvised defences in "Fortress Berlin."

The newspaper quoted German sources in Stockholm as saying Germany's central administration would be moved to southern Germany—probably to Dresden—but that the people would be evacuated 75 believe their government was remaining in the capital to the last.

The decision to move remaining government departments southward was reported reached Monday night in a meeting held by Gestapiet Goebbels.

Many members of the Foreign Office, together with the Gestapo and the General Staff, were said to have fled to Krummhubel, in Riesen Gebirge 60 miles west of Breslau and 170 miles southeast of Berlin.

Superfortresses Raid Japs in Thailand And in Indo-China

Washington, Feb. 7 — (AP) Separate fleets of Superfortresses struck at Japanese military installations in Thailand and Indo-China, today.

Flying from India bases, the B29s of the 20th Bomber Command, spread the twin attack by daylight. A war bulletin from General of the Army H. H. Arnold, commanding the 20th Air Force, did not disclose additional details.

Results of the missions will be announced when operational reports are received from the bombers.

Possible targets were Bangkok, capital of Thailand; Saigon, chief city of Indo-China, and the fleet base at Camranh Bay, 200 miles northeast of Saigon.

MacArthur May Get Assignment From President To Invade Japan

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
(AP Staff Writer)

Washington, Feb. 7 — (AP) — Gen. Douglas MacArthur's "on to Tokyo" cry has been echoed in speculation among the military people here that he may well get from President Roosevelt the assignment to invade Japan.

Actually the idea that the liberator of Manila would probably want to go beyond the Philippines has a bit some of the ranking officers here as a surprising but — now generally accepted — step in the logical notion. Moreover, it fits in with published developments in the final stage of the war to crush Japan.

The task is three-fold: to keep command of the seas and the ocean supply lines leading to Japan and the China coast, to invade Japan and to invade China.

The odds on favorite for the China invasion assignment, despite his recent run-in with President Chiang Kai-Shek, is Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, the United States Army's new ground forces commander. Gen. Stilwell knows the Chinese better than any other top flight American officer and is considered by most of the military men to be well equipped to plan the future grandstrategy for China.

But the China assignment is a full time job that may continue, as it has since first, long after the invasion of Japan. These will be months of negotiating and working by separate problems of strategy and supply with the Chinese high officer centres on Gen. MacArthur for this top role in what will be the last act of victory in the Pacific.

The third of the leading characters is Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, whose responsibilities are those of the naval commander in the Pacific as he has since the beginning of the war.

The problem of how to divide the command of the seas and the ocean supply lines leading to Japan and between MacArthur, Nimitz and the China coast, to invade Japan and to invade China.

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TRAPPED JAPS IN SHEER VENGEANCE SET MANILA AFIRE

American Infantrymen Pick off Defenders Barricaded on Both Sides of Pasig River

Manila, Feb. 7. (AP)—American infantrymen picked off Japanese barricaded on either sides of the Pasig River today after the trapped defenders, in sheer vengeance, had set Manila's heart afire.

Under smoke-blackened skies, Gen. Douglas MacArthur told his men "you will shortly complete the liberation of the Philippines", and declared that "the end is in sight, the worst military defeat in its history".

"I personally have the names of certain very sinister Germans who have been getting out lately with false passports and I know not only the names on the passports but the identity of the creatures that they conceal."

Lord Vansittart specifically criticized Eire's refusal to give assurances that war criminals would not be allowed to hide there.

Eire has challenged the Allied right under international law to say whom she would admit, but announcing that no one would be allowed to enter who would jeopardize the country's neutrality.

Sir John Simon, Lord Chancellor, said he did not think Lord Vansittart's statements was "evil timed," and declared: "I cannot imagine a worse time for stressing the Allied unity than they should not admit crime-stained fugitives than by shouting at them that the British Houses of Parliament or one of them has received Hitler's love by the right."

Attacking other neutrals as well as Eire, Lord Vansittart said:

"Portugal, supply our enemies with vital materials. Sweden, even allowed passage of German troops. Spain, Franco Spain, more and material support to our enemies, but actually sent troops to fight our Allies."

'Certain Very Sinister Germans Getting Out With False Passports'

—Lord Vansittart

London, Feb. 7 — (CP) — Lord Vansittart told the House of Lords today that he personally knew of "certain very sinister Germans" who have been escaping from Germany safely on false passports.

Lord Vansittart, former undersecretary of Foreign Affairs, made the statement in calling on the government to announce that the rights of neutrality did not extend to granting asylum to war criminals.

"If we admit the rights of neutrals in this quarter," he said, "these men will use neutral countries as a cover to organize sabotage and political assassination in Germany and elsewhere, and they will use those countries as a base for organization of new German war potential.

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WEATHER-IMPOSED STALEMATE IS BROKEN BY ALLIES

Strong Attack Launched Southeast of Bologna and Objectives Gained

By NOLAND NORGAARD
(AP Staff Writer)

Rome, Feb. 7—(AP)—The strongest attack in Italy since October has driven 600 yards into German lines southeast of Bologna and gained the objectives in spite stiff enemy resistance, headquarters announced today.

United States troops of the 5th Army who launched the attack Monday and broke a long winter stalemate pushed toward German strongholds of the Gaggio Montano-Gothic Line guarding the Po Valley road hub in front of Bologna.

The strong opposition encountered indicated there has been no weakening of German defences despite reports the Germans were shifting some troops from Italy to guard their Russian-threatened home front.

Limited Objectives

From line dispatches said the attack did not constitute a large scale offensive but headquarters described it as aiming at "limited objectives."

The heaviest artillery bombardment of months preceded the drive, which was supported by bad weather. Some 15,000 rounds of ammunition were fired. Numerous casualties were reported.

Germans raked American columns with some 1,500 shells. Thirteen mine fields were encountered.

Allied advances also continued in the Serchio valley near the west coast. The villages of Monte Bono and Renaiai, east of the Serchio river, were occupied against only light opposition.

Only patrol clashes were reported on the British 8th Army front in the Adriatic side of Italy. Patrols of the 8th Army encountered heavy machine-gun fire in many areas.

Heavy Nazi Shelling

German guns laid down one of the heaviest shellings of recent days on the 5th Army lines and communications immediately south of Bologna. In a two hour and 40 minute burst or action, the Germans pumped more than 400 artillery shells and 200 rounds of mortar fire into the area of Livergnano and other points lying along the main road to Bologna from the south.

For the first time in several weeks long range German 170 millimetre guns also opened up, landing their explosives in the area of Porretta, nearly 30 miles southwest of Bologna.

Allied fighter-bombers flew close support of the 5th Army attack while medium bombers again were hitting the Brenner Pass supply lines. Two Allied planes were lost. Three MEI09s were shot down.

REORGANIZATION OF GERMAN GOVT. A POSSIBILITY

Hitler Would Give Up Title of Fuehrer With Von Papen as Chancellor

Stockholm, Feb. 7 —(AP)— The Stockholm newspaper Aftonbladet said today it believed that a reorganization of the German government under which Hitler would give up the title of Fuehrer to become the German president, with Franz von Papen as chancellor, was imminent.

The information was attributed to rumors in Berlin which reached German circles here.

Von Papen, an ace of the German diplomatic service, was ambassador to Turkey when relations were strained with Berlin last Aug. 2.

The reports had the earmarks of a Nazi trial balloon, Aftonbladet to sound out Allied reaction to reorganization. A revamped government would have any chance of selling to anti-Nazi Germans.

It came while Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin were reportedly in conference with war problems including Germany's fate.

Aftonbladet, which in the early stages of the war had a strongly pro-German attitude, said Hitler's retirement, for the good of the war he "is no longer able to manage both the matters of state and war leadership."

By becoming president of the Reich, Aftonbladet believed Hitler would be "laying a favorable basis for taking up international negotiations," the paper said.

KAI-SHEK SENDS MESSAGE TO MANILA'S CAPTURERS

Chungking, Feb. 7 — (AP) — President Chiang Kai-Shek sent his congratulations to President Roosevelt, Gen. MacArthur and Admiral Nimitz today on the liberation of Manila, the Generalissimo's headquarters announced. "The lustre of your recapture of Manila gladdens our hearts," he cabled to the Chinese people, who look forward to speedy junction of American and Chinese forces in the task of driving Japan from the mainland."

SOLDIER ON PROGRAM DISCOVERS HE IS HEIR

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 7 — (AP) — Pfc. Lloyd Barnes, Camp Adair, Barnes, Calif., wounded veteran of the South Pacific and patient at an army hospital here, found it profitable to appear on a military program. A lawyer who had been trying to locate a relative of the late Joseph A. Pratt of Okanogan, Wash., sent Foster speak. The soldier found he was his cousin's heir. His inheritance includes a home, three automobiles, $3,000 in cash and some war bonds.

PRINCIPAL POINTS TO BE COVERED BY 'BIG 3' LISTED

Whitehall Very Angry About Announcement Meeting Now Being Under Way

By FRASER WIGHTON
(Reuters Political Correspondent)

London, Feb. 7 — (Reuters)—Two years and six months after the momentous Teheran meeting, the Big Three are reported in historic session again and the agenda for the meeting, disclosed yesterday by Sir Winston Churchill to be taking place "at this very moment," would be no less formidable than that undertaken in November and December, 1943.

The disclosure by Sir Walter, general secretary of the British Trades Union Congress, to Prime Minister Churchill's attendance at the conference with President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin presented him addressing a Trades Union meeting in London was the first intimation from any British source that the long-awaited meeting was taking place.

William Broadbent, the Daily Mail's veteran diplomatic correspondent, reported yesterday that Sir Walter was not authorized to make the announcement and Whitehall is "very angry about it."

Principal points to be covered by the conference may be listed as:

1. The final destruction of the German military machine.

2. The broad draft of the conditions to be imposed on Germany after her unconditional surrender, "unconditional surrender" terms, it is believed, that such a draft already exists.

3. The switching of the might of the Allied war machine to the Far East immediately upon the collapse of Germany. The prospect of an earlier than was expected defeat of Japan, consequent upon the Philippine invasion and the British Burma offensive, may result in an alteration of the strategy so far planned for the Pacific theatre.

4. The political questions arising out of the liberation of Europe and the Balkans. Harry Hopkins, Mr. Roosevelt's adviser, is reported to have stated in Rome "the impossibility of leaving the Balkans until after the war."

5. Polish relations, the status of France as a partner in the Allied control of Germany, and the Dodecanese question.

ARCHBISHOP TAKES OATH

London, Feb. 7 — (CP) — Rt. Rev. Geoffrey Francis Fisher took the oath as Archbishop of Canterbury yesterday at Buckingham Palace. The Prelate was received by King George and Queen Elizabeth and took the oath of allegiance to His Majesty, Secretary of State for the Home Department and Minister of Home Security, administered the oath.

Big Three Meeting Stirs Balkan Hopes For Greater Post-War Collaboration

By FRANK O'BRIEN
(AP Staff Writer)

Ankara, Feb. 7 — (AP) — Hope beat strong among the Balkan nations today that the "Big Three" conference, now reported in progress, may open the way to peaceful, post-war collaboration through the great powers in dealing with southeastern Europe.

There was a steadfast conviction in the Balkans that the conference is being held in some part of the Black Sea region and that its proximity will speedily bring to a head many problems which historically have troubled the peace of Europe.

Bulgarian-occupied Bulgaria, Rumania and Yugoslavia, British occupied Greece and Turkey, viewed the conference with mixed feelings of hope and fear.

If the meeting ends without an unequivocal agreement giving British and American political methods and economic practices an equal footing with Russian influence in Russian-occupied countries, there is likely to be a conviction in the Balkans that the western powers have made a bargain — and turned their backs on southeastern Europe.

Under such good relations with Russia, but her unique position as a bridge between the Mediterranean Black Sea, Europe, the Middle East and the Balkans gives her added reasons for desiring good relations on all sides and not coming under diplomatic and economic domination of any one power.

The solution of the Greek tragedy also may depend on a conference decision. Most Greeks prize self desire a conference-established equilibrium between the Left and Right forces which would produce a desired reforms without another civil war.

Bulgars generally deplore the excesses of their armistice government and wonder what has become of the civil rights, freedom of speech, press and assembly guaranteed by the Atlantic Charter.

Rumania, where things are better than in the first unpredictable days of the Russian occupation, gains from the conference recognition of a cobelligerent and an agreement that the armistice terms with Russia and the Allies will be applied as written.

In general, the Balkan peoples do not wish to trade war-liquidated Nazi dictatorships for any other outside dictatorship or home-grown "iron fist."

Russians Attack Heavily on Entire Length of Front

Nazi Broadcasters Admit Hun Defences Are Cracking

London, Feb. 7 —(AP)— Berlin broadcasts asserted today the Red army's massive blows had broadened its ominous bridgeheads over the Oder river 26 miles or less east of Berlin and in the Silesian corner to the southeast.

Marshal Gregory Zhukov expanded his foothold over the great water barrier in the area of Kustrin, 60 miles from Berlin, and 12 tanks smashed "temporarily" into the centre of Kustrin itself, Berlin said, adding that Soviets were assaulting heavily "along the entire east front from Slovakia to Ehel Prussia."

The admissions that German defences were cracking along almost the entire length of the Oder came from enemy broadcasters who, in tones of alarm, told of the massive Russian drives upon the heart of the Reich.

50-Mile Front

In Silesia, the Germans reported new gains by Marshal Ivan Konev's 1st Ukrainian Army which had breached the Oder on a 50-mile front and plunged 12 1/3 miles beyond the stream in a drive aimed directly Berlin from the flank and the Berlin-Prague defence axis.

German broadcasters reported numerous crossings of the Oder in the Kustrin-Frankfurt area east of Berlin and farther southeast at Steinau, 23 miles northwest of Breslau. Konev's break-through was southeast of Breslau.

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In addition to gains reported yesterday in the Kustrin bridgehead, the latest official Moscow reports disclosed only minor German counter-attacks and further progress in clearing out the Germans defending Budapest.

Moscow gave no details of the fighting on the 1st White Russian front east of Berlin, where Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's forces were posing the most immediate threat to the German capital. The latest official Moscow announcements dealt with both Zhukov's bridgeheads, being besieged and that Zhukov had captured Kustrin, 35 miles northeast of Berlin.

Great Fortified Defences

The frustrated defences on the Oder in Silesia, Konev's army "broke through the heavily fortified permanent German defences on the western bank of Moscow said, and captured such important communications junctions and powerful defence points as Lowen, Thomaskirch, Grottkau, Lowen and Schweinitz.

A supplement to the Moscow midnight communique said the crossing was achieved only under "enormous difficulties," the river at this point being swollen by 500 yards wide and frozen only at the edges. Several small bridgeheads were won first. These later were joined into one continuous front extending from the southeast of Breslau to the area of Appeln, capital of upper Silesia, which was captured last week.

Coming Events

BINGO, KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, Thursday, February 8, 8.30 sharp. Same big prizes as we have had the past few weeks. Come early and get a couple of bingo in ch'spacious and comfortable club rooms. Regular admission 25c for 22 games. 231-P1-w t i f

TEA AND SALE OF HOME Cooking, Friday, February 9, 2 to 4, at the home of Mrs. F. Pringle, 282 Bridge St. Auspices of W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. P7-2t

City and District News

CIVIL SERVANTS TO HOLD PARTY

Civil servants of the city and vicinity will forget their cares and worries temporarily on Monday Feb. 12 when they hold their "At Home" in the Canadian Legion Hall. The affair is an annual one when the "servants" and their friends get together in social gaiety. About 180 are expected to attend this party which will be featured with an orchestra, dancing and refreshments.

FAIR OFFICIALS ATTEND CONVENTION

President Elmer Sabderock of Belleville Agricultural Society, Secretary Eric Dafoe and directors Charles Symons and Ben Bleecker are in Toronto attending the annual convention of the Agricultural Societies of Ontario, being held in the King Edward Hotel.

FORD COUPE STOLEN FROM BLEECKER AVE.

Stolen from the driveway alongside of his home, at 193 Front Centre the property of William Pinkle, 380 Bleecker Ave., was taken some time during Tuesday night. No disturbances indicating a theft or theft was being attempted were heard by either the householders or neighbors. The stolen car was a 1938 model Ford coupe with license plate number 2-8, police were informed when the car was discovered missing on the early rising of the Pinkle family today.

In Oshawa last night a 1941 Ford coach was also reported stolen. The car carried licence plate number 3-N-346.

FLASHLIGHT TAKEN FROM PARKED CAR

Thieves entered Dr. G. S. Cronk's parked automobile some time last night and stole a flashlight from the glove compartment. The stolen car was parked in Dr. Cronk's private driveway off Coleman Hill, and the only part of the vehicle tampered with was the glove compartment, indicating to police petty sneak thieves were responsible.

STOLEN CAR FOUND ABANDONED ON ROAD

While patrolling Highway No. 2 west of Belleville yesterday Provincial Traffic Officer W. Hendren observed a stolen car parked along side of the highway in a manner that prompted investigation. Looking over the vehicle Officer Hendren found it to have been stolen at Newmarket the night before and abandoned when the gasoline supply ran out. In the abandoned vehicle two clarinets and a music brief case were found. Communicating the Newmarket police revealed the motor car had been stolen Monday night after a break-in at a soldiers' club from where a number of musical instruments were reported to have been stolen. Only the two clarinets found in the car were recovered car, however. It was a 1938 model Dodge sedan bearing current license plate 9-K-86. The car was towed to the garage and today claimed by Newmarket police.

SNEAK THIEVES ENTER QUEEN VICTORIA SCHOOL

Sneak thieves broke and entered Queen Victoria School and after ransacking the office drawers in Principal J. H. Willett's desk left without loot for their endeavors. The break-in was discovered by the school janitor early today and reported to police headquarters. Investigation revealed a window on the east entrance door had been broken permitting the marauders to reach inside and release the bolt-lock. School property in the principal Willett's desk were found strewn about the office floor, but nothing of value is reported to have been stolen.

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Considerable Sum Needed To Attain Book Fund Quota

The officers and crew join in thanking each and every one for every success in your wonderful undertaking in the happiness and welfare of the members of the forces. The books were distributed to the various messes and the Navy as a whole is greatly indebted to this good women."

So reads an excerpt from a letter received from crew members of a ship adopted by the I.O.D.E. expressing appreciation for gifts of books, and the generous spirit through this organization which is doing so much to give comfort to members of the armed services.

Good reading materials are in urgent demand by members of the forces. Thus the life of a book on active service is short, much too short considering the tremendous demand. And thus the only way to supply needed reading material is through the purchase of new books. To purchase new books requires money and it is for this end that the I.O.D.E. is conducting its current Library Campaign through which it is expected to raise $300,000 across Canada.

Belleville's share of that amount has been set at $1,000 and although contributions have been steadily coming in the goal is still far from being reached. Any one may call bank branches, or regents of the I.O.D.E. chapters, Mrs. Neale or Mrs. Donovan, will gladly accept your contribution.

Contributions

Contributions to the fund to date are:

Receipts previously acknowledged	$407.50
Bridge Street Church, Thirty-Nine Club	20.00
Mr. R. Hogg	10.00
Big "A" Company	25.00
Mr. C. Hall	1.00
Mr. S. G. Robertson	5.00
Mr. Jamieson	1.00
Mr. Virgil James	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. E. Mulliard	5.00
Mrs. Chadwick	1.00
Mr. A. Lew	5.00
Mrs. A. E. McColl	1.00
Mrs. I. Aman	1.00
Mr. Fisher	1.00
Canadian Legion, Belleville, 25th Unit	15.00
Mr. J. Collan	5.00
Denbe Brothers	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Price	2.00
Helen McCarthy	1.00
Mr. Hunt	1.00
Doctor Kinnear	10.00
Anonymous	1.00
Mr. Grant Ashley	15.00
Mrs. J. Bleecker	5.00
Mrs. Florence Stell	10.00

Cpl. Garnet Soule Killed in Action

Serving with a Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps unit in Holland, Cpl. Garnet Soule, 394 Coleman Street, lost his life on January 27, according to word received Tuesday morning by his wife here in a telegram informing Mrs. Soule of her husband's death. Indicated he had been killed January 30th but gave no particulars stating that further information would follow.

Born in Kingston, Cpl. Soule attended public school in Campbellford. He enlisted in the R.C.O.C. in July, 1942, and considered overseas with a reinforcement unit in April of last year.

Surviving are his wife, the former Elsie Doolittle, of this city, three sons and one daughter, Russell, Douglas, Theodore and Marilyn.

7,000 Pounds Paper Salvage Collected Monday

A total of 7,000 pounds or or three and one half tons of paper salvage was collected by the city salvage collection department in the west side of the city during the Monday collection it was stated this morning by Alderman C. R. Clapp, chairman of the salvage committee.

NAZI VENGEANCE WEAPONS CAUSE DAMAGE, CASUALTIES

London, Feb. 7 — (CP) — German vengeance weapons fell on southern England for seven days running for the seventh o'clock this morning, causing additional damage and casualties, the Air Ministry said.

MacARTHUR POINTS WAY TO MANILA



As the American army spearheads were battering at the gates of Manila, Gen. Douglas MacArthur nears the completion of his promise of return and liberation of the Philippines. Above, Gen. MacArthur, with Malakacat airfield, near Bamban, Luzon, shortly after its capture by his swift-moving forces.

Unity in Peace and War is Base For Sound Nation Says Airman In Letter to Rednersville W.I.

"There is but one way to defeat our military enemy—a concerted effort in all directions, manufacture, industry, military, social research, policy and all the fields, that go, to make a nation. The same resolution to understand the other, and to remain united and progressive people must result in the peace. If this does not happen, then we shall all others born in hatred, will conceive in hatred, and shall glean nothing from this mass terror."

The above is an excerpt from a letter written from the battlefields of Europe by Flight Lieutenant Joseph Foley, D.F.C., of Kingston, Ont., to members of the Rednersville Women's Institute.

Flt.-Lt. Foley won his decoration a few weeks ago for conspicuous gallantry in the air, and is the first Kingstonian of Wellington to bring the honor of the D.F.C. to his native village.

We have no doubts concerning who shall once again be victors in this struggle," the young officer writes. "We still are flushed with the fever of continuous victory and the success of putting-set-backs behind us. I think we all have appreciations concerning peaceless civilization. We know a victorious army is not the whole answer to our future happiness as a nation.

You Easily Swayed.

"We are a gullible people. We are easily led, easily to the route of error. We are moved by its mob behavior, by the politic, it sometimes represents, for all the while we pride ourselves in our democracy, individualism and the act of thinking. I think of a recent incident in our own country. Shall we conscript, or shall we not? Shall we promote racial hatred or shall we not?

"One of the squadrons with which I am now working is composed of French Canadians. They represent some of the finest lads I have met. We find our democratic nation not too small to use human. We find ourselves, sometimes sometimes wonder what our nation expects as error to think when such a vital thing, the existence of a nation, the giving of life, is cheapened by such childish animosity. We have learned to respect people by the way they have represented themselves to us—and that Americanism has been one of such deep comradeship and loyalty and understanding that there is discrepancy to no one.

"These are the things or Canada that we remember. These are the qualities that we think are worth fighting for and for which many of your sons and friends have paid the supreme sacrifice.

"Then we read with much bitterness, the stupid quarrels of our own great dominion, and we have not much argument to offer in defence when the Allies point the stupidity to us, shall we be the laughing stock of our Allies and of our enemies because our politicians call parties—not country—and bring into power through the blood of the sons of Canada?"

Flt.-Lieut. Foley closes his letter with words of appreciation to the members of the Institute for favors shown him in the past.

Corbyville Takes Decided Edge In Playdowns

Stirling — (Special) — Corbyville took a decided edge in the first game of the central Hastings Rural Hockey League semi-finals played in the Stirling arena Tuesday evening, when they swamped the Centennials, expected to hang up a decisive 6-0 victory. As a result they will enter the second game of the series, total goals to count, as decided favorites.

Winners of the above series will go into the league finals against the Eion Hill-West Huntingdon "Combines" to start next week.

The Corbyville boys practically had the game sighted again in the first period as they banged in four goals without a return. Loose work around the net by the boys's defence helped the winner's cause, while Ritz in the Corbyville nets turned everything away which the opposition could fire at him.

Goal getters in the lightning first period were Martin, Sheffield and Farrell with the first named player counting twice. Assists were earned by Thompson and Wall.

Gray opened the scoring for goal in the second canto on a pass from Sheffield, while Gray took Thompson's passout in the third to end the scoring. Penalties were quite evenly divided between the teams giving the odd one in seven.

Lineups:

Corbyville — Goal, Ritz; defence, Woods and Gray; forwards, Thompson, Sheffield and Gray; subs, Bills, Farrell, Guay, Wall, Martin and Carlton.

Centennary — Goal, May; defence, M. Wale and Hall; forwards, Donnelly, Cole, D. Waite; subs, Thornton, Bellis, Nicholson, F. Wale and Bellis.

TRENTON

Founders' Night Observed By Trenton I.O.O.F.

Trenton, Feb. 7—Founders' Night was observed by Trenton Oddfellows at their hall, when a social gathering was held at which the guest speaker was Grand Master J. Owen Hartly of Belleville. Known as Friday Night, Mrs. Thomas Wiley, who laid the foundation of the Rebekah Degree, Cedar Oddfellows, over a century ago, the successful gathering was also attended by Rebekahs of Quinte, Queen Lodge, Rebekahs.

Following the address and refreshments, District Deputy Grand Master G. N. York, of Trenton, took the chair and Mr. Hartly was introduced by Past Chief Patriarch, Richard Ketcham of Belleville.

Mr. Hertly gave an interesting talk on Masonry and part of the United States, which he visited recently on an international assignment for Rotary International. His address was much appreciated.

Others who spoke briefly were Noble Grand William Anderson, Vice-Grand Clarence McKean of Trenton Lodge, Sister Lodge, Noble Grand Mrs. Thomas Coleman, Mrs. C. VanAlstine, oldest member of Trenton Lodge and

8 LEGISLATURES TO BE IN ACTION DURING EBRUARY

Manitoba and British Columbia Houses Opened on Tuesday

Ottawa, Feb. 7 — (CP) — Prospects of a federal election holds national attention closely on Ottawa capital, but across the nation eight of Canada's provincial legislatures are quietly swinging into action — or will be before the end of February. And they are practically unnoticed in the political tension of the moment.

The Dominion's ninth province, Prince Edward Island, where the last election was held in 1943 and the next isn't due for two years, made no announced plans for immediate opening of its legislature.

Manitoba and British Columbia opened their provincial houses yesterday — a day after polling ended in the heated campaign of the Grey North federal by-election. So the Throne Speech promises of the two western provinces were all but lost in the political excitement of the Ontario riding.

Quebec, New Brunswick, Saskatchewan and Alberta will hold or are building their first legislative sessions since a provincial election.

In Saskatchewan, Feb. 15 is the opening date for the first regular session of the legislature since Premier T. C. Douglas, Regina minister turned politician, led the C.C.F. to its first victory in any provincial general election in the Dominion.

In Quebec City today former premier Maurice Duplessis whose Union Nationale forces were elected last Aug. 8, takes his administration into the legislature for a new session. In Alberta Premier E. C. Manning leads a reinforced Social Credit government — fathered in 1935 by the late Premier William Aberhart — back into the legislature Feb. 22. The last Alberta election also was Aug. 8.

Ontario House to Open Feb. 15

Ontario's legislature is scheduled to open Feb. 15 — the second session for Premier George Drew's Progressive Conservative administration elected in August, 1943.

In New Brunswick, Premier J. B. McNair, whose Liberal government was elected Aug. 28, has yet to announce the opening date of the legislature but it is expected to be before the month's end. Nova Scotia's legislature is due to open Feb. 15th.

Post-war plans highlight the legislative programs across the country.

Health, education and rural electrification were given special mention in the Throne Speech at the opening of the Manitoba legislature while plans in British Columbia called for establishment of a Hydro-Electric Commission to develop provincial power and a broad highway program.

Alberta's Housing Plan

A proposed $1,000,000 housing program is included in Alberta's plans while Quebec's administration promises a youth ministry and abolition of the two per cent retail sales tax.

In Ontario Premier Drew will probably plan continued implementation of the administration's 22-point program. Highlight of the program — assumption by the province of half the cost of education — has already been undertaken.

Letter Tells of Dutch Gratitude to Canada

"You can say to every one in Canada that we Dutchmen are grateful with all our hearts to Canada and her noble folk for the big part they have played in our liberation," writes Mr. G. Petit and family of Nijmegen, Holland, to Mrs. E. E. Scraton of this city.

Mrs. Stratton's son, Earl, who is with the Canadian forces fighting in Holland was a recent guest of the Dutch family and received exceptionally fine treatment in their home.

"Every night", said the Dutch writer, "we pray to God that He will bless you and your noble folk. Please do the same for our dear Fatherland, which we love so much and for which so many of our poor folk are suffering under the cruel rule of the Nazis.

"The Germans gave us so many heartaches. It is a pity Canada is so far away because we would like to come to your farm to tell you so many things about Holland. We could tell you many good things Earl did for us and which we shall never forget. You can be proud of such a good son. We enjoy ourselves very much when he is at our house".

FRENCH ACE OF 1914-18 DIES

Abbeville, France, Feb. 7—(AP)—Marcel Doret, 48, flying ace of the First Great War, died yesterday.

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Picton and District

Details of Crash Given Parents Of Son Killed

Picton, Feb. 7 — Details of the plane crash in a mountain side, the officer stated. There were scattered snow fields, a strong wind and poor visibility, all of which may have been contributing factors in the accident. The force of the impact completely destroyed the aircraft and all the crew were instantly killed.

The bodies were brought to Reykjavik where they were buried with full military honors.

Officers killed in the crash were Pl. Lt. E. P. Oakford, Elmworth, Alberta; P/O. F. W. Latham, Moose Jaw, Sask.; Lt. W. J. Pettigrew, Jacquet River, N.B.; Pvt. H. Hobson, Burgh, Winnipeg; WO. J. N. Macdonald, Montreal; Sgt. R. C. Rice, Kingstown, N.S.; Sgt. D. G. Bevington, Vancouver.

The officer paid high tribute to P/O. McKenna as a friend and comrades.

Word was received by Mrs. Hepburn here yesterday that her husband, C.M.S. George Hepburn, was seriously ill in England. He had served in Sicily and Italy.

Decorate Graves.

Mrs. Harvey Cole yesterday received a photograph of her son's grave in Dekzile, Belgium. A letter from the padre stated that resident's of that town had taken up a collection and had obtained sufficient to keep the graves of Allied dead there, decorated with flowers for the next three years.

Cattle Exported

Cattle buyers are numerous in Prince Edward County and last week four carloads were shipped to the United States. A similar number will go this week. Grade springers range in price from $125 to $165.

Skating Parties.

The A.Y.P.A. of St. Magdalene Church held a skating party at the Lions rink last night. Refreshments were served at the church hall. The Junior Parmers of the group also held a skating party there last night, with a social time at the agricultural office.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Mary Magdalene Church sponsored a bridge in the parish hall this after-noon, for the benefit of local interests. The fact that the late Mrs. Caroline, the founder, was born in the nearby village of Bloomfield-Dr. Nathan Cobey, Health, Russian Jew, who is conducting evangelistic services here, addressed the Kinsmen Club Monday night. He spoke on Russia and of Stalin, who was a school mate of his.

Poultry Products Co-operative Holds Meeting

Picton, Feb. 7 — The important role played by Prince Edward Poultry Products Co-operative was discussed at the annual meeting held here. Co-operative Manager Howard Leavens stated that business was up $12,000 over last year, though prices for eggs and poultry were lower. This year, the emphasis is on quality. Last year, a surplus of forty cars of poultry was exported to the United States.

Frank Ham, president of the Co-operative, said Lennox Farmers had benefitted much by the Prince Edward Co-operative. Howard Leavens, president Prince Edward Fruit Growers, R. R. Read, auditor, and D. P. Pyke, bank manager, spoke briefly.

Garnet Taylor, Wellington, said he thought the Co-operative movement might be the solution to one of the evils which have caused two wars in one generation.

Guest speaker was Leonard Harvey, secretary U.F.O. Co-operative (Ontario), who exploded several economic fallacies. There are no supermen in business, he declared. Success is the result of democratic citizens contributing to an industry. He felt that it was wrong to say "every man has his price." There are tremendous numbers of people who are not for sale for ideals and are "not for sale". It is usual to blame somebody else for our troubles, but we ourselves can change the conditions we deplore he said. It has been proven, through the Federal Farm Agricultural, that farmers can be organized, and it has also been proved that co-operatives can work. These are in contrast to those who say they cannot be. Mr. Harvey spoke on the value and needs of co-operatives.

J. Owen Herity Tells Kiwanians Of Mexico

The beauty of Mexico and the western part of the United States was graphically described to members of the Kiwanis Club at their weekly luncheon at the Quinte Hotel on Tuesday by J. Owen Herity, member of the club and manager of the Chamber of Commerce. This address has been delivered before other service clubs in the city and fraternal organizations and each time it becomes more interesting. Mr. Herity therefore divided into the main portion of the address praised the Kiwanis Club for the number of members they had serving in community enterprises. Ald. Jack Trudeau was elected president of the Associated Boards of Commerce recently. Lorne McDougall is serving as president of the Kiwanis Club and director of the Chamber of Commerce and Rotarian Cliff Smith is president of the Rotary Club and director of the Chamber of Commerce, while Frank S. Pollwell is serving as mayor of the city. Mr. Herity claimed that Lorne and Frank should both enter matrimonial bliss instead of the bachelor lifethey now apparently are enjoying.

Mr. Herity was introduced by A. B. Collins, who concluded with the phrase "He is a man beloved by all, an outstanding citizen, scholar, writer, lecturer, diplomat and an ambassador of goodwill on the North American Continent. Mr. Herity stated his trip was somewhat of a surprise and he represented the Rotary Clubs of Canada on a committee of seven to deal with returned men's problems and received the invitation through Dick Wellen, a Rotarian friend of high standing. He told of the Rotary Clubs of Canada and their members explaining there was only one Rotary Club in each city no matter the population. Mr. Herity visited the club on Pounders Night and two of the original founders of Rotary were present.

Leaving Chicago Mr. Herity visited Excelsior Springs, Lexington, Missouri, where all the soldiers of a Rotary meeting and had a song fest in his honor. He also visited Salt Lake City, Reno, Nevada, a state where there is no public debt, no income tax and no succession duties. Dealing with Mexico, Mr. Herity stated eighty per cent of the population was pure bred Indians or mixed Indians, the people being of equal stature but withal a most hospitable people. The speaker stated that Mexico was enjoying the greatest boom in the world having one hundred capital industries and 99 per cent of the children going to school. "The only thing you don't want to do is to hurry a Mexican," said the speaker. Lorne McDougall presided with Harold Carruthers in charge of the community singing and Fred Lewis collecting the fines.

C.N.R. Engineer Retires After 40 Years of Service

After handling the throttles of Canadian Northern and Canadian National locomotives for a period of approximately 40 years, Mr. Robert Bolton, 263 Charles Street, passenger engineer running between Belleville and Brighton, has retired from the service on January 20th.

Born in England Mr. Bolton came to Canada as a boy. Developing a liking for railroading he entered the employ of the Canadian Northern as an engine wiper in July, 1902 and after three months started as a fireman. He became a locomotive engineer in 1905 and has since made the handling of locomotive throttles his life's work. All his railroading has been done in the Bay of Quinte district, having been stationed first at Deseronto, then at Napanee, Tweed, and Trenton, coming to Belleville 13 years ago.

A family man, he and Mrs. Bolton have a son Cpl. Charles Bolton overseas with the R.C.A.F., stationed with a motor transport unit, and a daughter, Rose Rose David on the facific coast. Their son-in-law, Flt. Lt. Leo Gay is well known in Belleville having been stationed at Trenton for some time before being transferred to the west.

Token of Appreciation Received by F. J. Carre

Department appreciation in the form of a parchment, signed by David Gim, Deputy Minister, and Guy Col. Gibson, Minister of National Revenue, has been received by Mr. Francis James Carre, 343 Dundas Street East, who recently retired as an employee with the local customs and excise office.

Following his return from the First Great War, Mr. Carre joined the civil service and had since been connected with the customs and excise office in Belleville and Corbyville. His official retirement dates from January. On the occasion of his retirement, employees of the local office presented him with a pipe, pouch and tobacco.

Born in Western Ontario Mr. Carre went overseas in 1916 and in the last war as member of the Canadian Engineers. Overseas he joined the 8th Field [illegible] and was wounded. He served until after the Armistice, returning to Canada early in 1919.

PROBE MONTREAL ANGLE

Montreal, Feb. 7 — (CP) — Quebec Liquor Commission police have suggested to Toronto police that the "Montreal angle" of the slaying of Leslie Wenger be investigated, it was revealed here yesterday.

Fox Plays Tag With Two Hounds

"Fox and Hounds" the game that still delights youthful Canada, was played recently on the farm of Wesley Gray, and Conception Bay Thurlow, with natural actors in the cast, and natural scenery as a background.

Mr. Gray, it appears was watering his stock when he noticed three animals, a fox and two dogs, kind of a game in a snow-covered plane about a mile from the farmyard.

He watched with some interest as the smaller of the dogs, rather than the other two, had little difficulty in evading their pursuit. Closer scrutiny revealed the animals to be two hounds and a fox. One hound larger than the other—had difficulty in negotiating the deep snow, while the smaller one, which appeared to be something of a huntsman, endeavored to head off the quarry.

But Brer Fox, much lighter than his pursuers, had no trouble in keeping well out of danger. He scampered across the snow well ahead of the heavier dogs and later disappeared through a fence into another field.

Mr. Gray was of the opinion that the dogs were in the employ of a fox hunter who had much more difficulty keeping track than did his dogs.

County Councillor James Hagerty stated that reports from the middle and northern sections of the county, reveal that foxes are quite numerous this winter.

In some parts of Northern Ontario, he said, they have become a real menace to farmers and to some counties have decided to pay a bounty of $5 for each fox pelt delivered to officials.

RUSSIAN WRITER ASSAILS VATICAN

G. Kofman in Red Star Calls Pontiff "Preacher of a Soft Peace"

By DANIEL DeLUCE
(AP Staff Writer)

Moscow, Feb. 7 — (AP) — K. Gofman, writing in Red Star today, called Pope Pius the champion of Germany and the "preacher of a soft peace" and apparently served notice that the Soviet Union would resist any Vatican interference in Germany, Austria, Hungary and Poland.

Gofman's sharply-worded international review, without referring to the meeting of the Big Three, said the time was ripe for the Allied powers to settle the post-war fate of Hitler's Germany.

The author singled out Dorothy Thompson, New York columnist, as an example of elements in the United States and Britain which he declared "try to break down Allied unity in the last stage of the European war, accusing the Soviet Union and Britain of unilateral actions."

Arrogueria Supporting Russian Policy

Using quotations attributed to Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's associate, and editorials in the Kansas City Star and the New York Herald Tribune, the author gave arguments supporting the Russian policy in behalf of the security system of Europe and against the Allied political record in Italy.

Hopkins, the writer said, exposed the presence of Fascists in Italy's government and army.

But against the Pope the author mounted his strongest attack. He began with the charge that the Vatican's wartime policy had been pro-Nazi and had included attempts to "save Mussolini and prevent the democratization of Italy."

Gofman cited a French News Agency report that the Pope was preparing a new message which would run contrary to the Allied program for post-war Europe.

"The Vatican's anti-Soviet campaign on the Polish question is being carried on by the Catholic Press in England and the United States", he declared. "The Vatican's policy in Italy has been taken as a precedent for expansion also in Germany, Austria and farther east over Hungary and Poland. The Vatican is the last political leader for a Communist-Polish bankrupts such as Raczkiewicz, Sosnkowski and Arciszewski, (Wladyslaw Raczkiewicz, president; Gen. Kazimierz Sosnkowski, former commander in chief of the armed forces, and Tomasz Arciszewski, premier of the London Polish Government.)

"The Vatican is trying to turn back history, revive Russian-Polish hostility. Under the slogan there is no Catholic Fascism', terror bands are being organized to fight against democratic Poland".

In New York, Miss Thompson's secretary said the columnist was out of town and not available for comment on the Red Star article.

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Home and School Assoc. Of B C I Holds Meeting

General endorsement of the aims and policies of the newly-formed Belleville Collegiate Home and School Association, and the work it has undertaken to do, was given at the first meeting of the organization last night in the school auditorium, by a large attendance of parents, teachers and officials.

Under the chairmanship of President Harold Mott, the inaugural get-together of potential and active members developed into more or less a sight-seeing tour of the school and many of its classes which were in full swing for the benefits of the Home and School visitors and clubwomen.

The business session of the meeting was brief, in order to give more time to the inspection of classrooms and classes and the building as a whole.

A highlight of this part of the meeting, and as a matter of fact its first order of business was the presentation of a handsome chairman's gavel to President Mott, by Principal W. S. Turner. The gavel is a product of the skilful hands of Donald Boyle, B.C.I. student, and was made in the woodworking shops of the Vocational School.

Two Motions Endorsed.

Two motions received the unanimous support of the meeting. The Association Executive, through one of the motions received the authority to spend the amount of $10 monthly, without the necessity of referring to the general body. The second motion embodied the appointment of Mrs. Ray Mott, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Wishart, Miss Dwyer, and Mr. Robins, to the association executive.

Mr. Gilbert Blackhouse, chairman of the membership committee in a brief address urged the co-operation of all charter members and others in increasing the membership to the goal of 1,000 members, amount to 25 cents per member. Members visited the various classes in the vocational school and were conducted through their phases of activities by teachers and instructors in charge. The committee of department of the school was also instructed by the visitors.

Refreshments served in the school cafeteria climaxed the first meeting of the association. All subsequent meetings will be held on the first Monday of the month, it was announced by President Mott.

Inclusion of France In Big Power Parley On Frontiers Endorsed

London, Feb. 7. (CP)—Inclusion of France in a "Big Power" conference dedicated to the settlement of political decisions on the re-drawing of European frontiers" was endorsed today by the British government.

With French feeling running high over the apparent exclusion of Gen. Charles de Gaulle from the Churchill-Roosevelt-Stalin talks, Richard Law, minister of State, told the House of Commons that Britain believed the redrawing of the European war "must be decided later by all the powers together".

MUST REINSTATE TEACHERS

Ottawa, Feb. 7 — (CP) — Labor Minister Mitchell reiterated in a statement last night that schools must be prepared to reinstate any teacher who has been serving in the armed services.

Argentina Swarming With Hitler Agents Says Russian Paper

London, Feb. 7 (CP)—An editorial in the Russian naval newspaper, Red Fleet, broadcast today by the Moscow radio, declared Argentina was "swarming with Hitler agents."

It is well known that there are Hitlerite funds totalling many millions in Argentina and that money is being used to provide a basis for creation of a new German war machine are incessantly pouring into that country," the editorial said.

The newspaper said that, despite statement by the Argentine government that it would not grant asylum to war criminals nor permit them to invest money or acquire property there, the facts tell a different story.

"Every day from Stuttgart there arrive in Barcelona German planes with Hitlerites who then proceed to Argentina," it charged. "The country is swarming with Hitlerite agents. German investments in Argentina are estimated at hundreds of millions of dollars, controlled chiefly in war industry."

NEW REGULATIONS

Ottawa, Feb. 7 — (CP) — Arthur MacNamara, Director of Selective Service, announced last night that business now may be engaged for part-time jobs, for a period of up to three full shifts in a week, without a selective service permit.

Work of Renewing Existing Liquor Permits May Begin on Mar. 19

Toronto, Feb. 7 — (CP) — Hon. W. G. Webster, Ontario Liquor Commissioner and minister without portfolio, announced today that the work of renewing existing liquor permits for the 12-month period beginning April 1 is expected to be started March 19 at all liquor stores except those where congestion may develop. In these, the renewal of permits will be carried out in rotation.

Permit-holders will pay a fee of $1 for extension of their present permits, expiring March 31.

A saving of more than $100,000 in paper and printing costs is estimated by the commissioner through the extension plan. This is the first time the plan has been adopted.

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Dramatic Liberation

In the impending fate of Germany, the Japanese warlords and their henchmen can read their doom. "On to Berlin" has been the Allied battlecry which has led the Allies into Germany to threaten Hitler and his gang and the whole wretched caste and has brought the Russian armies almost within gunfire of the Nazi German capital.

The fall of Manila, in the words of General MacArthur, ends "one great phase or the Pacific struggle and sets the stage for another . . . We shall not rest until the enemy is completely overthrown . . . We are well on our way, but Japan itself is our final goal . . . Our motto becomes "On to Tokyo!" Of the Japanese reign in Manila, he said the enemy's "complete destruction is imminent."

It was with a dramatic flourish that the end came to the Nipponese sway in "the Pearl of the Pacific" with the arrival of American paratroopers from the south. It was the knockout blow that ended Japanese aggression there.

The reconquest of the Philippines has come with a swiftness which has undone the enemy and rather surprised the whole world. General MacArthur has lived up to his great name as a strategist of highest rank in the tempting steadily the enemy to judgment of battle.

Typical of the release from the bondage which has been held over the islands by the aggressors was the freeing of more than five thousand prisoners who had known for more than three years the agony of imprisonment under Japanese conditions. Well might these liberated people feel that already in large numbers the forces of democracy have written the end of Japan's evil sway over the islands and lands of the Pacific. "On to Tokyo!"

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In fact, this average per capita expenditure would range around the dollar-mark. On the other hand, the cost of preventable illness in Canada has been estimated by our authorities as at least $27 per capita per annum. In other words, for every dollar we spend on public health services we are throwing away $27 in preventing illness.

How can this be changed? Only by an advanced public opinion. A constant stream of challenging health facts and suggestions may build up an enlightened public opinion to demand a better health basis and highest standards of health legislation.

This work of public health education is the basic function of the Health League of Canada, which for 25 years has been cooperating with our official departments of health to raise our whole status in public health.

Great Air Raids Continue

Everyone remembers how during the past couple of years news of the mass air raids by Allied planes have been the great news of the war against Germany. Today, though a great deal of the war effort is being carried out by the great Allied invasions on land, on the Siegfried Line front and on the Italian front, we become more and more aware that the great air navies of Britain with the R.A.F. and of the United States continue lending impressive aid to the land operations.

Back in the early days of the war, the world could not have projected its imagination so far into the future as to see such demonstrations of modern scientific power as raids by planes numbering thousands. There was a time when the air raiders smashed at communications and war industries, to minimize the production of German armaments and prevent the transportation of war materials and finished products and also struck at oil wells and refineries. Today the work of harassing communications is very important and the planes serve effectively. They take part in the fighting and with all Germany and the whole eastern front within air range of bombing fleets the strategical advantage of bombing becomes very great and plays no small part in the war in this closing stage when the enemy is being bound in on all sides, impossible of escape from justpunishment.

Meanwhile the territory to be bombed is shrinking steadily. Planes can play no unimportant part in the land battles in which Germany is being steadily pushed to her extremity, which will be unconditional surrender according to Allied plan.

British Housing for Elderly

The experiments which voluntary agencies are carrying out for the housing of elderly people with slender means will be very substantially augmented if the London County Council can carry through their post-war scheme for providing one-room flats for the old folk. Their scheme will be dependent on the sympathetic cooperation of the Ministry of Health, as State subsidies will be necessary to keep the rent of the flats within the means of the elderly folk.

There will be nothing "institutional about the L.C.C. scheme. One-room flats will be included in housing estates in London and cottage estates outside, and the tenants, single people as well as married couples, will be made to feel that they belong to a community, and not that they have been segregated because they are old.

The flats will be so arranged that those who are able-bodied can run them for themselves. Other tenants, who though frail are not in need of what is known as "institutional treatment," will be in the care of a residential supervisor, who will give them what attention they require. Provision will also be made for those who do need institutional treatment.

Central Heating

(Montreal Herald)

It is hard to understand why the coal shortages of recent years have not produced some central heating project.

Although many Montrealers apparently know little about it, central heating is not an untried utopian experiment. It is a tried and proven system.

Homes of several towns and small cities in the United States are heated from central plants.

Heat produced in such a plant is piped to buildings in a restricted area and consumed and charged on the same basis as electricity or gas. The consumer uses and pays for just as much heat as he requires.

Central heating plant system several years ago and residents of the best sections of the western city today receive their heat in this convenient way.

Efficiently operated either as a municipal or private enterprise project, central heating appears to supply the answer to the acute heating problems of many Canadian communities—perhaps including Montreal.

It has one peculiar advantage for times like the present. Large central plants can consume fuels against which the household furnace rebels.

The cheapest and least easily combustible grades of coal and coke—and even sawdust or peat where these are available in quantity—can be used.

In addition to the money saving which this represents, it seems to provide the logical solution to shortages of domestic anthracite.

British scientists have evolved a new treatment based on penicillin which will master the common cold. The new treatment will not be available until after the war. This is because manufacture of the British-discovered drug is reserved for battle casualties and special diseases.

JUST FOLKS

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By EDGAR A. GUEST

STILL IT STAYS

So it was at Calvary:
One man died that good might be.
Still it stays; and none knows why:
For the right, men have to die!

So it was at Galilee:
One said brotherhood should be;
One for love stood firm and straight;
Him they crucified in hate.

This He said: "To others do
As you would-they'd do to you!
Here as brothers all abide."
And for teaching that He died!

Still it stays: misunderstood
Are the brave who hold for good.
Still, for truth and God on high
There are many who must die.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Wrong number, eh?—Well, how about giving me yours so I can get even."

Hillmen of Burma Are Loyal Allies

Not so long ago, the Nagas, mountain tribes, were headhunters; they are now staunch allies of Britain in Burma, says British Information Service. When Field Marshal Alexander was pulling his army out of Burma in 1942, Nagas labored to keep the roads open despite the monsoon washouts. When the Japanese occupied the country they tried very hard to win the Nagas over, because their services as interpreters, government officials and policemen would have been invaluable. But the hillmen are fierce patriots and the enemy efforts met with no success.

The tribesmen have enlisted freely in the Assam Rifles and the Assam Regiment, and at one time during the fighting last summer Nagas captured more Japanese prisoners than the whole of the Fourteenth Army. They were also credited with the largest single bag of prisoners on the Assam front, namely nine. A Naga interpreter who had served in France in the last war found the nine Japs in a village and gathered a group of villagers and arrested them.

Intelligence Experts

Intelligence work is the Nagas' specialty. They work right among the Japs and gather priceless information for the British staff. Many of our air strikes were based directly on information brought by the Nagas. And besides giving such valuable intelligence to the Indian Army they have also fooled the Japs by giving them false information. They have frequently harbored Jap deserters and guided them into our lines, and have aided our prisoners escaping from enemy custody; and their co-operation has been an important factor in preventing the infiltration of Jap agents into India.

Villages which have been in enemy hands for as long as three months, have still maintained resistance, kept contact with British units and even possible have sent runners with information. They have brought in many wounded British soldiers and airmen, on improvised bamboo stretchers, for miles through apparently-impassable, sometimes fighting off enemy patrols to get them through.

Aided by Woman

Much credit for the organization of Naga tribesmen and for the establishment of observation posts in their hill country must be assigned to a 30-year-old London woman, Ursula V. Graham Power, who has lived alone among the Nagas for six years, studying them, taking photographs and collecting material for a book.

She has gained extraordinary influence over the hillmen who regard her with respect and loyalty, and she has a faithful bodyguard of two loyal Naga tribesmen who accompany her everywhere. When the Japs were reported to be within 15 miles of her hilltop headquarters and she was advised to come out, she signaled, "I am going forward to find out what is going on," and "I am 10 more rifles." She set up a system of warnings by beacon and runner so that our armies should know from which direction the Jap raid toward the vital Assam railway was coming.

Equally stout allies are the men from the Chin Hills. For many years past the tribesmen have enlisted in a battalion of the old Burma Military Police, of which six battalions now constitute the Burma Frontier Force. Recently the Chins have also developed a system of armed levies which makes every villager a guerilla fighter.

Other Hill Fighters

There is also a group of tribes in the Kachin Hills who have developed a guerilla organization similar to the Chins. Their levies constitute the biggest of the hill forces. One unit of them, known as the American Kachin Rangers, protected the American air fields on the Port Hertz-Myitkyina road. The Northern Kachin Levies are under British command. Their commander, Officer is Lt.-Col. Ford, formerly of the Burma Rifles. Of their senior officers, eight are British, two Anglo-Burmese, five Karen and two Kachin.

Another more or less guerilla group is the Lushai Brigade. The Lushai and Chins have been traditional enemies for centuries but are now united like brothers against their common enemy, the Japanese.

All of this enthusiastic support for the Allied cause was a great deal for the devoted work of generations of British officers in the remote hill country, who have created a deep mutual affection between themselves and the people they have served. These fillmen are simple people who cannot be expected to grasp the profounder implications of side alma, the powerful inducements to betray have been offered them by the Japanese—generous bribes on one hand and brutal tortures and death on the other. These inducements have been scorned, and the Allied cause has been immeasurably helped by these staunch and clever allies from the hills.

LOWER HOUSE APPROVES BILL

Washington, Feb. 6 —(AP)— The House of Representatives Banking Committee approved unanimously today the Senate-passed Georgia Bill divorcing the reconstruction finance corporation from the commerce department.

"BOXING PARSON" DIES

London (CP) — Rev. Arthur Jay, known as the "boxing parson" and the man whose work changed the Shoreditch area of London from a plague spot into a thriving neighborhood, died at Malvern, Worcestershire, aged 86.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



DAIL-AIR TRAVEL

London, (CP) — Nine shipping companies operating short sea lines have accepted a partnership from the railway companies in their rail-air plan for post-war services in the United Kingdom and Europe.

TOUGH TEMPTATION



Sorely tempted though he is, Warlord of Mamelah, winner in numerous dog shows, refuses to touch the can of meat before him. His trainer, discharged cook-guardsman, told him household fat was needed in the manufacture of munitions and he's obediently passing it up from now on.

THE PERFECT SMILE



Here she is, "the girl with the perfect smile," pretty Elaine Hunt of Lancaster, Pa., dental assistant. She was given the title by expert judges, more than 3,000 dentists gathered here for the three-day annual meeting of the Philadelphia

Wipes Out Mountain-Top Full of Foe All by Self

With the U.S. 5th Army, Italy, Feb. 7, (AP)—The Germans made a mistake yesterday in attacking Orville E. Block of Streeter, N.D., all by himself. When the battle was ended the personable 22-year-old platoon sergeant had counted a mountain-top full of 40 dead Germans, captured 19 and wounded six more at close range. Block was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor by the United States' highest military award.

R.A.F. RECORD FLIGHT

New Delhi (CP) — The fastest time ever between England and India has lately been made by a Spitfire of R.A.F. Transport Command, which flew from Britain in 14 hours, 37 minutes' flying time, with one stop at Habbaniya for refueling, of 16 hours, 46 minutes.

R. GARDINER DIES IN CALGARY

Calgary, Feb. 7 (CP)—Robert Gardiner, 70, Alta., 66, President of the United Farmers of Alberta for 16 years, died in hospital here today.

Born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, he came to Canada in 1892 and after some time, Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

Mr. Gardiner, one of western Canada's most widely known leaders in agriculture, was also prominent in politics.

RECEIVE BATTLE ENSIGN

Tynemouth, England (CP) — The battle ensign flown by the destroyer Myngs during an action in which an enemy convoy of 11 ships was wiped out off Norway is to be presented to the citizens of Tynemouth.

DRYDOCK FOR DUNDEE

Dundee, Scotland (CP) — Dundee Harbor Trust is proposing to build a new drydock at an estimated cost of £630,000 ($2,800,000). It is to be 650 feet long and will take two years to construct.

Whey Used for Penicillin

(From the Montreal Family Herald)

The Canadian farmer's gift to healing has been made known by Hon. Ian Mackinzie, Department of Agriculture with the announcement that whey collected from seven factories in Ontario there are 1,081 patrons, 907 of whom sold their whey and 144 of whom fattened to take their whey home for feeding to hogs.

The average milk price for the eight months, paid by these factories to the farmers who sold their whey was 2.46 per 100 lbs., and the average price paid by those who took their whey home was $2.62. The average price paid by six factories in the same district which did not sell whey was only $1.94, thus giving the farmer who sold his whey a return of more per 100 lbs for milk on the average for the eight months, or an average of $13.50 per factory.

Minister Explains

When whey marketing was first proposed, it met with considerable opposition from those who feared that hog production might suffer from the loss of whey as feed, officials said. The Agricultural and the Agriculture Department carefully checked the collection of whey. It presented its whey marketing program to the dairying patrons, who themselves decided on the purpose of part, at least of their whey through this new outlet.

A check on production disclosed no evidence of any curtailment in hog raising.

Present requirements of penicillin call for about 45 tons of milk sugar a month. With recent increases in the capacity of plants producing penicillin, 1945 production of this drug may require more than 60 tons a month.

YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

GRANDFATHER CLAUSE

The grandfather clause was a provision in the constitutions under which a person's right to vote was based on his descent from a voter. It was a device to prevent Negroes to vote while preventing Negroes from voting.

The 15th Amendment of the Constitution, which became effective in 1870, declared that the right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude.

Georgia, North Carolina, Louisiana and several other Southern States, which sought to disfranchise Negroes from voting, attempted to circumvent the 15th Amendment by writing into their state constitutions educational requirements and property qualifications for voting.

For the benefit of illiterate whites who could not meet the literacy requirements, a further tradition grew up that if a man's father or grandfather had voted in certain elections, he himself was entitled to vote.

This grandfather clause was finally declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court in 1915. Oklahoma had put such an amendment into the Union until 1907, adopted a grandfather clause in its constitution.

In 1914 the Supreme Court of the United States declared the Oklahoma provision in conflict with the 15th Amendment, and therefore unconstitutional.

While there was no mention of race, color or previous condition of servitude, the court held the effect was to disfranchise former slaves and their descendants.

In the other states the grandfather clause expired by self- limitation.

DR. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Willis Yerex spent the week-end with Mrs. George Yerex, Picton.

P.O. Earl Cruickshanks, R.C.A.F., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Martin, Cedar Street, on Tuesday.

Miss Helen McWilliams is spending a few days with Mrs. Bernard Freeman, in Marmora.

Mr. Larmer Mason, West Moira St., who has been ill, is again confined to the Belleville General Hospital for treatment.

Andrew F. Beattie, Sr., B.O.M., has returned to his duties after spending the weekend visiting his wife and friends in Roslin.

Miss Keitha Brennan, Reg. N., of Christie Street Hospital, Toronto, is spending a few days visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Arthur Galbraith, Donald Street, who injured her ankle two weeks ago, is progressing favorably at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Franklin Hinchey left for Montreal today where Mr. Hinchey will attend the annual meeting of the Sun Life Assurance Company.

Mr. Ray Grant was in Bowmanville this week conducting the funeral of Mr. F. F. Morris, funeral director for that town.

Receiving his flight engineer's wing in recent graduation ceremonies at Pilot Engineers' School, Aylmer, Ont., was Sgt. Cecil L. Day, 34 Great St. James Street, Belleville.

A.B. Martin Pringlebon has returned to the East Coast, after enjoying a leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pringlebon, 35 North Front Street. He was away eighteen months, being overseas eleven months.

A successful euchre party was held by the Men's Club of Christ Church in the Parish Hall on Tuesday evening. The prize winners were ladies' Mrs. R. Wright, Mrs. A. Byrne; men's, Wm. Ashton, Norman Jamelle, Mr. Maslin also won the basket of groceries. Delicious refreshments were served at the conclusion of the party.

WEDDINGS

HEFFER—REID

Roslin.—St. Paul's Rectory, Roslin, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Saturday morning, February 3rd, when Rev. F. C. Bessey united in marriage Blanche Irene, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Reid, of Roslin, and Arthur Gordon Heffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Heffer, of Picton.

Before a background of evergreens, white bells and streamers forming the setting for the ceremony, the bride, given in marriage by her father, was charming in a two-piece street-length dress of robin's egg blue crepe, embroidered in gold. She wore a matching hat and veil and corsage of Briarcliffe roses. Her attendant, Mrs. Garnet Rowsome, of Belleville, was attired in a two-piece dress of tomato red crepe with matching hat, black accessories and corsage of white carnations.

Mr. Garnet Rowsome attended the groom.

After the ceremony, a reception for twenty-four guests was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gilleard.

The bride's mother, wore a black crepe dress, with touches of fuchsia and matching accessories. Mrs. Heffer, mother of the groom, chose a navy blue crepe dress with black accessories.

The wedding cake adorned the centre of the table and the decorations were carried out in a pink and white color scheme.

Misses Ruth and Ellene Reid, nieces of the bride and Mrs. C. McKean and Mrs. L. Russel of Belleville, served the guests.

The bride's gift to her attendant was a sterling silver compact. The groom's gift to his bride was a cabinet of silver, and to groomsman a silk scarf.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Heffer left on a wedding trip to Toronto and other western points.

For travelling, the bride chose a rose green two-piece wool dress with angora trim, brown mustard coat and brown accessories. On their return they will reside in Belleville.

BROADWORTH—BENNING

Rawdon.—St. John's Anglican Church, Victoria, was the setting on December 30rd, for the wedding of Constance Margaret, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Benning, to Leading Seaman Donald Edward Broadworth, R.C.N.V.R., of Stirling, Ontario, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Broadworth, of Rawdon Township. Rev. George Riddle officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white sheer gown, beaded with silver sequins and a floor length veil falling from a sweetheart headdress. She carried a white prayer book topped with white gardenias.

Miss Nella Anderson and Miss Hazel Anderson were her attendants, leading Cook Isaac Brown, of Comox, was best man and the ushers were Able Seaman Roy Fisher, of Comox, and Mr. Alley King of Stoke.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents and the evening was spent at the Canadian Gardens Ballroom.

After spending Christmas with the bride's parents, the bride and groom left for Vancouver, on their honeymoon.

Don is well known in Rawdon and his many friends in Pte. Claude and Rawdon Don and his bride whenever they are able to visit this district.

SERO—HILL

Mohawk Reserve.—At high noon Tuesday, February 6, the marriage of Viola Pearl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill, to Pte. Claude Sero, son of Mrs. Manley Sero and the late Manley Sero, was solemnized at the Rectory. The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Mr. Stanley Hill, wore a gown of blush pink crepe.

The bridesmaid, Miss Katherine Hill, was similarly attired. Pte. Sero was supported by Lance Corporal Lynch, who as chairman of the Council House when many beautiful gifts were given to the bride and groom.

A shower was held after the wedding for Pte. Sero's departure for Camp Borden, and Mrs. Sero will live at her parents' home for the present.

Women's Christian Association Hears Fine Reports of Achievement in 1944

The Home for the Aged has completed a very satisfactory year, and the Belleville General Hospital a very active one, it was shown by the annual reports presented at the annual meeting of the Women's Christian Association in the Board Room of the hospital on Tuesday afternoon. During the year 1944 it was reported, the Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary spent a total of approximately $1,200 directly on the hospital, and since its organization it has spent $5,200 for hospital work.

One major difficulty in regards to the hospital is lack of bed space. To overcome this condition, the Provincial Government has made available to the Women's Christian Association $100,000, half the sum necessary to erect a hospital for chronic and convalescent patients. The City Council and the County of Hastings Council have jointly granted $60,000 toward the erection of this hospital, but the sum required is still required. A direct plea is made to the citizens of Belleville to give the financial support the W.C.A. needs for this very worthy undertaking.

Mrs. Abrams President.

Chairman for the meeting was Mrs. R. Wray, president of the organization. Rev. C. O. Gundy opening conducted a short devotional period after which the secretary-corresponding secretary, Mrs. Carl Reed said the report had been typed of the monthly meetings and of the correspondence which was sent to the local paper. W.C.A. notes, a missing girls to the Home for the Aged mentioned, a resume of work at the Home for the month, services held and any outstanding items of business, discussed at the monthly meetings. A resume of the year's local paper. Twenty-one letters were written, 27 cards of condolence and seventeen business letters sent. Mail was received from the treasurer for clearance.

In her opening remarks to the organization Mrs. R. Purdy, outgoing president, stated, "Since its inauguration sixty-five years ago, this undenominational organization has been carrying on its work for the betterment of the people of Belleville." Mrs. Purdy expressed regret that she was unable to be present in the Home for the Aged, She, also, mentioned Mrs. Lynch, who as chairman of the Hospital Auxiliary has had the difficult task of seeing that the proceeds from a trust fund left to the W.C.A. by the late Senator Bleecker are wisely spent and distributed among the needy Belleville indigents. Pte. Sero is leaving Wednesday for Camp Borden, and Mrs. Sero will live at her parents' home for the present.

Governors Thanked

On behalf of the W.C.A. Mrs. Purdy expressed thanks and appreciation to the Board of Governors, which directs the affairs of the hospital. She expressed regret over the resignation of Mrs. Wm. Ross after ten years' service as recording secretary and Mrs. A. E. Hoyle a member of the Home Board. She extended a welcome to Mrs. Gordon as new directoress of student nurses. Thanks was expressed to Dr. Cronk for the gift of a still for preparing distilled water to the hospital, also to the advisory board for its valuable assistance in making important decisions.

"At the end of last year there were fifteen reported in residence at the Home," stated Mrs. Purdy. Thompson, chairman of the Home Board. "Four of these died and to the fact that decorating had been done early in the year by Mrs. Harrison. A very successful garden was also looked after by Mr. Hart's son in the past year. On behalf of the People of the Home for the Aged, Mrs. Thompson expressed appreciation to all who had remembered the inmates with gifts and entertainment. She also extended appreciation to the clergy of the city who held services there during the year, to the Salvation Army who were so thoughtful, to Dr. Cronk and Dr. Miles who gave their time and service in caring for the ill at the Home and to Mr. Jack Holley for his service. Lt.-Col. F. H. Wills, speaking for Kiwanis club provided tobacco twice a week for the men at the Home which is greatly appreciated. In her closing remarks, Mrs. Purdy expressed each one of the Home Board members for her help and co-operation, and the president and members of the W.C.A. for the splendid co-operation they have given to the Home, high praise is also due Mrs. Harrison, matron of the Home, and Miss Hudson of the Nursing Staff and interest taken in the patients.

Resume of Work Done.

Mrs. H. R. Wray, representing the Women's Hospital Auxiliary, gave a resume of its work since its organization in the year 1936. The object of the auxiliary, she said, "is to promote kindly feeling toward the hospital throughout Belleville and the wide district the hospital serves." In 1936 the auxiliary spent $221 on refurnishing the waiting room at the hospital and $60 for new lamp shades. In 1937 it joined the Ontario Hospital Association, and in the same year it donated $300 for furnishing of a private room in the hospital, purchased a mobile anesthetic machine for $400 on it. In January 1940 a further $200 was given on the X-ray machine. The balance of $305 was given toward the mobile machine making a total of $1,505 in the year 1941 the auxiliary purchased a Zarmite press at a cost of $60. During the year $60 was spent on social welfare, a sum of $600 was donated for use in painting wards and rooms in the old wing.

In 1943, a laundry press at a price of $526 was bought. The auxiliary also held in the supply room, $200 for which sugar bandages were made. A very successful year, said Mrs. Wray, "is that more and more people are becoming hospital minded and are joining the work of the auxiliary." A social welfare committee was given $100 in the year for the purchase of small comforts for the patients who cannot afford them In June 1944 $250 was given to the building fund and also a blood bank which had been a gift of the Red Cross. A cheque of $200 was issued in September of the year for the purpose of a three-way electric toaster. During December, the auxiliary paid $368 for an oxygen unit. The sum of $26 was again spent on gifts at the Christmas season, and during the year $10 per month was given for social welfare in the hospital. The meeting of the auxiliary is the third Thursday of every month in the Nurses' residence.

Miss Lynch, in presenting the Liberty report, said that fuel had been given to 69 families and food to 12 families.

Financial Report

Mrs. J. C. Walsh, treasurer of the association, presented the financial report as follows:

Receipts:

Cash on hand, December 31, 1943	$ 692.02
Investment or securities matured	200.26
Maintenance, City of Belleville	1,500.00
Old age, blind or other pensioners	3,206.83
Province, 70 cents	222.90
Total	$ 5,807.71

Disbursements:

Clothing	$ 55.16
Dressings, repairs	16.05
Food	2.00
Fuel	436.72
Funeral expenses	37.21
Furniture, bedding, laundry soap	182.11
Insurance	162.97
Light	78.16
Medical, Doctor, salary	50.00
Hospitalization and drugs	51.10
Office supplies	3.77
Pensions granted to	436.00
Salaries, Matron	600.00
Staff	56.00
Telephone, telegraph, freight	55.00
Wages	462.95
Water	36.52
All other disbursements	32.14
Total	4,362.70
Cash on hand December 31, 1944	1,475.01
Total	5,807.71

Women's Christian Association

Jan. 1, 1944 balance	$ 82.40
Receipts for year	113.31
	195.71
Expenditures	60.53
Jan. 1, 45, cash on hand	$136.89
Indigent Account	
Jan. 1, 1944 balance	$750.15
Receipts for year	278.00
	1028.15
Expenditure	696.06
Jan 1, 45, cash on hand	$727.16

Mrs. Reg. Abrams Re-elected Pres. Of WCA for 1945

Re-elected president of the Women's Christian Association for the fifth consecutive year is Mrs. R. Abrams, whose capable leadership is greatly appreciated by members of the association. Mrs. W. C. Mikel, chairman of the Nominating Committee, gave her recommendations for the 1945 officers:

Mrs. G. A. Morton presided for the election of officers, the slate is as follows:

Honorary Presidents— Mrs. W. G. Mikel, Mrs. G. F. Stewart, Mrs. R. A. Hoyle, Mrs. O. A. Marshall, Mrs. R. A. Hoyle.

President—Mrs. R. Abrams.

Vice Presidents—Mrs. A. E. Purdy, Mrs. Harry Thompson, Mrs. J. Marshall.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. A. E. Purdy.

Corresponding Secretary— Mrs. Carl Reed.

Treasurer—Mrs. J. W. Imlah.

Auditor—Mrs. W. C. Mikel, Mrs. A. E. Purdy.

Chairman of Standing Committees

Miss Helena Lynch.

Home Board—Mrs. Harry Thompson, chairman; Mrs. A. B. Orchard, assistant chairman; Mrs. T. Dolan, secretary; Mrs. F. Reid, Mrs. Jack Marshall, Mrs. Tovell, Mrs. Ross Thompson, Mrs. M. Hammond, Mrs. Sid. Thomas, Mrs. R. Abrams, Mrs. O. A. Marshall, Mrs. E. A. Hogle, Mrs. J. F. Wills, Mrs. M. Wills, Mrs. Ralph Wills, Mrs. H. J. Wills, Mrs. H. Wills, Mrs. G. F. Stewart.

Hospital Board—Mrs. G. F. Stewart, Mrs. W. C. Mikel, Mrs. R. Abrams, Mrs. A. E. Purdy, Mrs. C. Reed, Mrs. A. E. Purdy, Mrs. G. A. Morton, Mrs. Harry Thompson, Mrs. Jack Marshall, Mrs. A. B. Orchide, Mrs. R. Wray, Mrs. Tovell, Mrs. N. J. Edwards, Mrs. Ross Thompson, Mrs. H. Carmichael, Mrs. J. C. McCarthy, Mrs. Ross Thompson, Miss N. Clark, Mrs. K. L. Wells, Mrs. Ross Thompson, Mrs. H. A. Singer, Mrs. E. A. Hogle, Mrs. E. E. Thomas, Mrs. H. Frenkel, Mrs. C. Reed, Mrs. P. H. Wills, Miss A. Hudson.

Advisory Board—Judge C. A. Masters, Mrs. A. McGee, Mr. W. H. Morton, Mr. Alfred Morton, Mr. R. H. Rollins, Mr. J. J. Trudeau, Mr. L. P. Foard, Mr. R. Rawson, M.P.P., Mr. R. L. Brown, Dr. Ross, Dr. Gee.

Board of Governors. — Members elected by the W.C.A.—Mr. Mackenzie Robertson, Mr. A. E. Jewell, Mr. E. O. Butler for two years.

Mr. E. Bernstein, Mr. J. H. Legate, Dr. G. A. Morton, for one year.

Tells of Tour Of West Indies

One of the most interesting and enjoyable meetings of Holloway St., W.M.S. was held last Thursday evening when Mr. Alec Gordon, in his own inimitable manner, told of his trip to the West Indies on a tramp steamer in 1939, and showed movies pictures of it.

The meeting opened with the repeating of the Lord's Prayer and the singing of the National Anthem. During the business session and several new members were enrolled. During the business session Mrs. Dr. Mills urged that more take advantage of the Leadership Training Classes,—this week they are held on Thursday evening in Tabernacle Church.

Norma Frederick then called on Isobel Richardson and her Christian Missions group to take charge of the Worship Service. The theme of the devotional period was the life of Mary Reid, a missionary, who died only last year, after fifteen years of faithful loving service to the lepers of India. The story of Mary's life was given in the form of a little play enacted by Dorothy McCormick, Lois Liddle and Ann Sadgrey. A discussion on leprosy was led by Isobel Richardson and many facts about the disease and its cure were revealed. The Scripture lesson about the leper, Jesus cleansed and much of the Scripture comment were read by Alice Hessman. The hymn, "Come Divine All Love Excelling", was used during the worship period and Beth Robertson led in prayer at the evening leper colonies in India and Africa.

The guest speaker, Mr. Gordon, was introduced by Mrs. Burtch, who referred to him as one who has gained recognition for his musical compositions, two of which Mr. Gordon played later in the evening.

In an easy, humorous manner, Mr. Gordon related incidents and incidents of his trip and strange customs noticed at the different ports of call. The movies taken by him were very interesting.

The girls of the Christian Missions' group served apples at the close of the meeting.

ENTERN NAZI PRISONERS

Belfast, Northern Ireland (CP).—A group of German prisoners-of-war were recently landed in Northern Ireland for internment. Some were captured on the Russian

Health-Building Vitamins



Janet Blake enjoys exuberant health.

BY HELEN FOLLETT

MAYBE you're tired hearing about vitamins. But better not be; they are your good friends. If you have a varied diet you will get the vitamin A, B1 and riboflavin you need and you've no idea how much they do for your appearance, for besides keeping you within range of your youth and making you step lively. Your skin is being full of zest and scoot.

Here is what the experts tell us: vitamin A helps to keep the eyes clear and bright. Vitamin B1 helps to keep the skin from flaking, and don't forget that dry skins wrinkle earlier than oily ones. Vitamin B1 helps to keep hair that is as crisp as autumn leaves and as soft as the touch. If you have brittle nails that chip off by themselves and get jagged you'd better get friendly with B. Vitamin C will pinch hit for the rouge compact, paint interiors, carnations and poppies, all sorts of glowing flowers and orange juice.

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Every year we realize more and more that the temple of beauty is built on a foundation of health, vitality and animation.

The finicky eater might as well chuck her make-up kit out of the window. She loses out on many food elements that are necessary for good appearance.

Raw foods must, see food, poultry, cereals, fruits, dairy products, and foods of vegetables. A green salad once a day is recommended by physicians and beautician. Buttermilk is a good drink, one that is favorable to the creating of a beautiful complexion.

Begin the day with tomato or grapefruit.

It's About Time

It's About Time to consider this remedy for the dress that is too narrow around hem. Slit skirt at centre front and insert a godet of said mate, or contrasting one small godet into each sleeve. Gives a designed-to-flare look.

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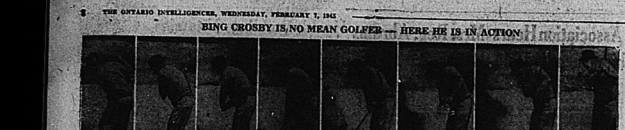
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Bingo! Bing Crosby, who is quite a golfer, is caught by the camera getting out of a sand trap at the Lakeside Golf Club in Hollywood, where Bing competes.

Leafs' Powerful Second Line Of Kennedy, Davidson and Hill Helps Give Bruins 5-1 Beating

Ted Kennedy Scores Two Goals and an Assist in Win Over Boston

(By The Canadian Press)

There was a time this season when Toronto Maple Leafs were conceded one top notch forward line —Sweeney Schriner, Lorne Carr and Gus Bodnar — to throw at their National Hockey League opposition. But not now. The Leafs have at least two.

Recent games, such as the 5-1 drubbing Leafs gave Boston Bruins last night have shown the scoring potency of the forward line spark-ed by tricky, stick-handling Ted Kennedy of Port Colborne, Ont., with Bob Davidson and Mel (Sud-den Death) Hill on his flanks.

The Kennedy-centred trio has collected eight of the 11 goals Leafs scored in their last three games and Ted, one of the better rookies last year and even better this, scor-ed six of them. Go Hels (Of Polson) Stewart who taught this 20-year-old centre a thing or two of the hockey lore that he himself picked up in years in the big league should be proud of Kennedy.

Ted scored a goal and an assist when the Leafs dropped a 4-3 deci-sion to Bruins last Saturday in Bos-ton. Then he notched three goals against Chicago Sunday and scored two goals and an assist against Bru-ins in Boston last night.

It might have been three again except that once when he knocked the puck into the net in the third period the goal was disallowed be-cause a team mate was in the goal crease.

The game gave Toronto Leafs their first win of the year on Bos-ton ice. For Boston it was the worst licking of the season at home.

Toronto, by virtue of last night's win over Boston moved to within six points of the second-place De-troit Red Wings and with a twin bill with the last-place Quebec Bulldogs coming up, they may be able to close the gap. Since the first and third-place teams square off in one playoff bracket, Leafs and Toron-to and Detroit would prefer to tac-kle either the Bruins or New York Rangers in the league leading Montreal Canadiens, the fireworks can be anticipated in the fight for the second play-off bracket.

HERSHEY BEARS KEEP RECORD

(By The Canadian Press)

Hershey Bears kept intact their unbeaten record on St. Louis ice last night when they battled Pirets to a 1-1 draw in an American Hoc-key League game.

Tommy Forgie scored for Bears just at the close of the first peri-od, dashing goalie Hec Highton's hopes for a hat-trick in shutouts. Johnny Kukkula got the tying goal early in the second period on a lucky shot that bounced off team-mate Nakins Smith's stick and then off the stick of an opposing player before landing in the net.

SPORT SHORTS FROM BRITAIN

By ALLAN NICKLESON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

London, Feb. 7. — (CP) — The generally-accepted statement thru the years that football holds top place as a sports attraction in Bri-tain never found more confirmation than during this war.

There was some doubt when the call to arms came that soccer would survive in any organized profession-al form. But by a great struggle and the blessing of a sports-minded gov-ernment, pro leagues not only con-tinued but rose to a peak few thought possible.

League games throughout the country now only raised immense sums for war charities but paved the way for wartime informationals and services' clashes featuring the games' brightest stars.

Then the time came to take the game to the audience — the front-line fighters — and it was a tre-mendous success when an All-Star English team from the Football As-sociation inaugurated wartime con-tinental internationals by playing French and Belgium teams in Paris and Brussels last fall.

A Scottish All-Star team followed, flying to Belgium early in the New Year and playing to capacity crowds of 25,000 mostly service men, in Brus-sels and Bruges.

Now, subject to final arrange-ments with Allied Supreme Head-quarters a tour of the Low Coun-tries will be made by a composite team of 24 British players who will divide up for an Army-R.A.F. match March 24 and an England-Scotland tilt the following day.

The "Dismal Dans" who predicted an end to professional football dur-ing when big halls were requisitioned for government use and enter-tainment in fact was raised from 36 per cent to 48 per cent of the gates proved a shock before the war. Coun-tries will be made by a composite team of 24 British players who will divide up for an Army-R.A.F. match March 24 and an England-Scotland tilt the following day.

One-third of that came from monthly tournaments staged by the London Queensberry Club where fans pay between $30 and $25 for fight cards, for some of which no prompter would have dared charge more than $7 or $8 for ringside seats before the war.

The charity figures are consider-ed astonishing for a sport restricted by heavy taxation and denied the use of its biggest arenas. However, boxing is in the midst of a great boom with practically every tourna-ment a sell-out.

It no longer takes a champion-ship fight to draw, and the best and lesser lights are reaping a harvest. The scalp has created a boxer shortage and although show after show features the same names, new-comers from amateur ranks in the services constantly are being intro-duced. Some have jumped above peacetime levels.

Nel Tarleton of Liverpool, Brit-ain's oldest boxing champion at 32, will defend his British and British Empire featherweight titles against Young Al Phillips of London at Manchester Feb. 22. Win, lose or draw, Tarleton will retire from the ring after the bout.

"FUNNY BUSINESS" OUT

Hastings, England (CP) — Wing Cmdr. Sir John Hodsell, inspector-general or civil defence, told civil-ian defence workers here that "we have got to see that all the Ger-man scientists are put safely out of the way so they can't start this 'funny business' all over again."



Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS
(CP Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 7 — (CP) — In line with the current trend of post-war speculation about professional hock-ey, Leo Dandurand is looking for establishment of another major league after peace comes, the former Montreal Canadiens official thinks enough good players will be developed to keep two leagues go-ing, he told Baz (Montreal Star) O'Meara. The present hustle-bustle trend of the game gives the little man a chance to show his wares, so after the war they'll want a chance to keep in the big time limelight again. Presumably Leo is thinking of formation of another league in ad-dition to the expected expansion of the N.H.L. itself. Perhaps we might be seeing a hockey world series every three days?

Whither Bobsledders?

Where are the intrepid bobsled artists of past years who used to cavort about the lakehead area of Ontario, asks Dick Elliott of the Port Arthur News-Chronicle. About 20 years ago the bobsled was almost a household article in the city, he says, but now it's considered "as ter-rifying as finding yourself on a runaway street car."

Happy Returns:

Eimer Ferguson, one of Canada's outstanding sports writers, was 60 years young on Monday, reports his colleague, Al Parsley of the Monit-real Herald. Fergie has been around the Canadian sport scene many years, starting out in Moncton, N.B., and moving to Montreal early in the century. An authority on near-ly any sport you can mention, he's known best to the listening public for his work on the Saturday night hockey broadcasts, and the troops overseas know him for his recorded re-broadcasts.

Niagara Baseball Again:

Bill (Niagara Falls Evening Re-view) Gaynor is quoted as reporting the Niagara ball loop will quit the On-tario Baseball Association this year if they are forbidden to use United States imports. It will be far better for the future of the game if the teams have to use home talent in-stead of relying on imports, says Bill. Only a few clubs can stand the gaff of heavy importing of stars, and that's bad for the poorer clubs in smaller centres. We saw just what happened a few years ago when the import craze hit senior and junior puck circles all across the country, and the home-grown players found it practically impossible to get a job in a service station.

GALT RED WINGS IN THIRD PLACE

(By The Canadian Press)

Galt Red Wings today were firm-ly in third place in the O.H.A. ju-nior "A" circuit behind the league-leading Toronto St. Mikes and St. Catharines. The Wings last night scored their seventh victory out of eight starts on home ice, defeating Toronto Marlboros 3-1 in a game in which only three penalties were handed out.

Bill Currick led the Galt attack with two goals and an assist on the other, scored by Krumpholz. They had a goal in each period. Marlies' only goal came in the second peri-od, from Leachman.

The victory puts Galt only four points behind St. Catharines, who in turn are four full games behind the leading St. Mikes.

Both junior and senior O.H.A. cir-cuits now are idle until Friday, when St. Catharines travels to Ham-ilton for a senior game and Toronto Young Rangers play at Hamilton in a junior fixture.

VISITS DIEPPE

London, Feb. 7 (CP Cable)—Paul Martin, parliamentary assistant to Labor Minister Mitchell, returned to London today after a four-day trip to the continent, marked by a one-day visit to Dieppe and its graves of Canadian troops killed in the raid of Aug. 19, 1942. He will return to Canada shortly.

JIM COLEMAN OFFERS TROPHY

Toronto, Feb. 7. (CP)—Jim Cole-man, Toronto Globe and Mail Sport Columnist, today offered a trophy to be awarded annually to the most gentlemanly player in the Ontario Hockey Association Junior series. Making the offer in his col-umn, Coleman said the trophy would be known as the Red Tilson Memorial Trophy in memory of Al-bert (Red) Tilson, who died in Regina to play hockey with the Chiefs of Genevra in the O.H.A. and was killed in action overseas last year. Tilson was on the roster of Toronto Maple Leafs or the Nation-al hockey league.

Coleman said that if the idea met with approval of O.H.A. officials, the trophy would be presented for the first time at the conclusion of the present season.

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B.C.I. CAGERS TAKE 2 GAMES FROM TRENTON

Senior Boys Win 57 to 16 While Local Senior Girls Triumph 18 to 3 at School Basketball

Belleville Collegiate Interscholas-tic cagers won two games of bas-ketball from Trenton High School kids at the B.C.I.A.V.S. yes-terday when the local boys' senior trounced the Trenton senior lads 57 to 16 as Miss I. Morton's senior girls defeated the Trenton girls 18 to 3 in a brace of C.O.S.S.A. high hoop games.

Showing too much scoring power around their opponents' basket, Coach Red Townsend's B.C.I. seni-or boys raced through to a 26 to 5 lead at the halfway mark and con-tinued to dominate the scoring by notching 22 points to the last half as Trenton rallied to score 11.

Bankier High Scorer

Gord Bankier, high-scoring for-ward of the Church St. "Collegians", headed the winners in the scoring column with 26 points, as he ran amok to sink ten baskets in the fin-al half to score sufficient points to beat Trenton single handed. Bill Spafford was next in line with 14 points. J. Blaney was the only Tren-ton player to sink more than one basket, as he racked up four points. Despite the one-sided score the game was fast throughout and wit-nessed by a large gallery of enthu-siastic B.C.I. cage fans.

The line-ups — Belleville Colle-giate—Bankier 26, Wood 4, Garrow 3, Massey 2, Spafford 16, Watson and Lyall 4, Trenton High — Blaney 4, Lesperance 3, Harry 2, Flynn 2, Whitely, Taylor and Whaley. Ref-eree, Alex Rickard; umpire, Shirley Marinoff. Tops

The girls' game Coach Isobel Morton's homesters played a strong defensive game to blank the Tren-ton senior lassies in the first half as Belleville leap 6-0 with baskets by Shirley Massey, Audrey Camp and Elizabeth Keeler. Then B. C. I. continued to dominate the scoring to sink five baskets for ten points as Trenton picked up their three scoring points for the match. This in half it was Shirley Marinoff with eight points and Keeler through in strong style to assure her team of victory. Audrey Taylor picked up the other Belleville basket in this half. The locals proved too stiog defensively for Trenton. Helen Booth scored all three Trenton points.

The line-ups — Belleville Colle-giate — Taylor 2, Marinoff 10, Bun-nett, Camp 2, Keeler 2, Hunter, Pappas, Hinchcliffe, Fox, Blather-wick and Flindall. Trenton High School — Leavey, Wellmand, Blute, Westland, Hamilton, Potter, Par-ker, Hutchison, Carbutt, Heath and Burke.

Referee: Ruth Oliphant.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

National Hockey League

	W	L	T	Pts.
Montreal	26	10	4	56
Detroit	22	10	4	48
Toronto	20	15	3	43
Boston	12	22	3	29
New York	10	24	3	23
Chicago	6	23	5	17

Saturday—Toronto 5, Boston 1

Tonight: No games

American Hockey League

Eastern Division				
Buffalo	31	18	7	69
Hershey	18	18	8	44
Providence	17	20	5	39
Western Division				
Indianapolis	30	11	11	71
Cleveland	29	11	9	67
Pittsburgh	18	19	6	42
St. Louis	13	25	4	30

Tuesday—St. Louis 1, Hershey 1 (tie).

Tonight: St. Louis at Cleveland; Hershey at Pittsburg; Providence at Buffalo.

E.U.S.H.L.

Washington Lions 8, New York Rovers 2

N. Saskatchewan Jr. Saskatoon Navy 3, Saskatoon Falcons 1

Junior O.H.A.

Galt Red Wings 3, Toronto Marl-boros 1

Quebec Senior

Quebec Aces 3, Ottawa Com-mandos 2.

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by K.J.C.

Out of the Bag.

The prisoner was on trial for stealing ducks. His counsel ad-dressed the jury at great length, pointing out, firstly, that he had not been proved conclusively that the prosecutor had any ducks; and secondly, that the ducks found in the prisoner's cottage were not his ducks at all. Thirdly, thirdly, that the prisoner had established an alibi.

Just as the judge began to sum up the prisoner interposed and asked if he might say something. As an indulgence, this was per-mitted.

"All I want to say," remarked the prisoner, "is that I wish I'd never seen the darned ducks."

Juniors Are In.

Toots Holway's Belleville juniors cinched second place in the "Little Six" by blanking Tweed 8 to 0 at Sam Curry's, adopted town last night. As a matter of fact the local girls have an outside chance of finishing a tie for that place with Trenton. In order to accomplish this, however, Campbellford would have to step into Trenton and win tonight, a feat that is hardly likely. In the event of a tie, however, the season's scoring averages will de-termine which girls will be eligible for No. 1 slot and Belleville would have the edge. Tweed repeated the season's records we find Belle-ville hasn't played a game since January 19th when Stirling beat the locals 3-1 here and that's a formidable record for the other clubs in the circuit to ponder as the play-offs get under way Friday night against either Hastings or Stirling. The only reason Toots Holway's sextette failed to register a win against the city regular sche-dule was the Stirling "Combines" but today the locals are undoubted-ly the hottest team in the group. Last night's shutout was the third application of the whitewash brush applied by te locals in their last five games, during which time Belleville has scored 36 goals with six against, which isn't at all bad for five successive junior games.

Tonight's the Night.

It is understood the Deseronto "Mohawks" will be asked to default Monday night's game in the Quinte ROAF, service league as it will have no bearing on the final stand-ing. If the Mohawks concede to let permit the play-offs to start Mon-day, then all importance is focused on tonight's Trenton-Mountain View game as the battle for first place. The Bombers have lost only one game in the group schedule, that being a 6-5 decision to the "Flyers", since then Coach Jimmie McCrae has added Bill Wil-liams to the Bombers' net, which definitely makes a marked improvement to the Prince Edward County airmen. With first place at stake both teams will have all available material on hand for tonight's "battle for first place". However, since their last meeting both have had important key play-ers. Mike Dehura has been dis-charged from Trenton while only Monday, Ray Savard, hard-hitting Bomber defenseman, received his discharge from the R.C.A.F. also. Sergt. Ernie Cowling, who has been managing the Bombers of late also received his honorable dis-charge, and Coach Pudre Maika of the Flyers is slated for a posting shortly. However, the rank and file of the personnel of both squads is in-tact and the season's best game is looked for when the Bombers and Flyers tangle here tonight.

Recall These Lads?

Latest list of overseas casu-alties mentions that two former Tren-ton Air Force players, well known to sports here before the war, are reported missing following the re-cent heavy bombings over Ger-many. They are Group Captain Carling-Kelly and Joe Stephenson (re-verted) Joe Stephenson. Carling-Kelly was playing coach of the fast champion Trenton "Flyers" and Joe Stephenson was business manager of the team. The two are gentlemen and sportsmen of the first degree were "Cub" Carling-Kelly and Joe Stephenson and it is hoped they successfully bailed out after being shot down. Group Captain Carling-Kelly only recently made commander of the Thunderbird Squadron and is be-lieved to have been shot down in his initial operational flight over enemy territory.

Remember When.

Canada's stock in the 1936 Olym-pics took a big jump nine years ago tonight at the Carmisch-Par-tenkirchen Winter Games when the Canadians overwhelmed Latvia 11 to 0. But the Olympic finals that year saw England score a surprise 2-1 victory to give the Canucks their first Olympic hockey defeat in the history of the winter games. Even then the English used Jimmie Foster, a Canadian, in their nets. But that was of little consolation when Canadians read of the de-feat.

Twice as Many Now.

Only about half as many major league players were in the service of World War I as are now in the armed forces. When the previous conflict ended, the American League had 144 in Uncle Sam's uni-form and the National 103, a total of 247. According to a recent count, the big leagues had given 467 to World War II, 294 by the American and 233 by the National. The United States has been engaged in this war for more than three years compared to a year and one-half in 1917-18 and has nearly three times more men in service.

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LESSON NO. 98
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

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Look at this nutty hand:

♠A
♥8
♦A K J 10 9 8 5 4
♣Q

After that baby showed up in a bridge game, the players got all hot and bothered about it. So did the kibitzers. Was it an opening of one, two, three, four, or five diamonds?

Five diamonds would show a long suit and nothing else. It also admits the hand has not enough for a one bid. This hand has all the needs for a one bid. So it is not a five diamond opening.

Four diamonds would show a long, practically solid suit of at least seven cards and a sure outside trick. This hand has no sure trick on the outside, so, it is not a four diamond opening.

Three diamonds would show an absolutely solid suit of exactly seven cards. This suit is not absolutely solid and it has more than seven cards. That and other things keep it from being three diamonds.

Two diamonds would show a hand that includes at least nine tricks. This hand counts only eight; an ace, a king, two queens, two short cards in spades, a short in hearts, a short in clubs. It is not a two bid.

One diamond would show at least five tricks, four high cards, and sure tricks in a biddable diamond suit. This hand contains all of that with extra in tricks.

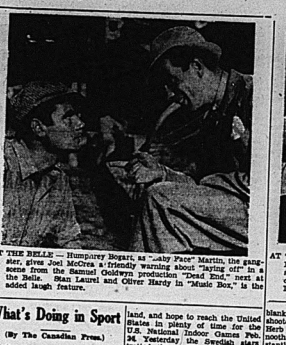
Thus, of all the opening bids you could think of for this hand, one diamond is the only honest one. So, how can anybody in their right mind put up any argument against it.

You may determine the values in this hand by some mathematical method. But it will turn out to be nothing but a one bid.

Many different cults get the same results.



AT THE CAPITOL—Adele Mara and Tom Neal shown with the famous racing horse, Stenson, in a scene from the dramatic screen play, "Thoroughbreds," coming next to the Capitol Theatre. On the same program "Stagecoach to Monterey," starring Allan Lane.



AT THE BELLE — Humphrey Bogart, as "...aby Face" Martin, the gangster from the Samuel Goldwyn production "Dead End," next at the Belle. Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy in "Music Box," is the added laugh feature.



AT THE McCARTHY — The girls see a ghost in "Murder in the Blue Room," now at the McCarthy Theatre. Betty Kean, June Preisser and Grace MacDonald, when not frozen by fear, sing, dance, and clown in the merry mystery. Second new hit is "San Diego I Love You."

BELLEVILLE JRS. BEAT TWEED 8-0, NOW IN PLAYOFFS

Will Meet Either Stirling or Hastings in First Round of Playdowns

With Billie Holway moving up to the front line to fill in at centre and scoring half of their goals, the Belleville Juniors blanked the Tweed kids 8 to 0 in a "Little Six" junior O.H.A. game at Tweed Tuesday night.

It was the Belleville Juniors' fifth consecutive victory and third shutout in five games. The win also moved the locals into a tie with Trenton for first place and assured the Hastings-Quinte entries of no worse than second place in the final group standings as Trenton plays Campbellford at home tonight. Belleville and Trenton will meet in a home-and-away playdown with Belleville meeting either Stirling or Hastings in a best-in-three series.

Strong Defence

Last night's final group game for the Bears saw the locals playing strong defence on the smaller Tweed ice surface to give goalie Dick Fitzpatrick his third shutout in the last five starts. Ramon Bush and Doug. Green stood firmly for practically 60 minutes in front of Fitzpatrick to turn in a splendid defensive game. In the absence of Don Barnett, Nelson Holway moved up to centre between the Meagher boys in a shift that proved prolific, when it came to scoring. Holway got one and four of Belleville's first five goals, two less of the solo marker. Bernie Meagher picked up a goal and two assists, while brother Allan rang the bell once and had a pair also. Jerry Moher and Bill Grestrix made the other two Belleville marksmen.

The entire Belleville team turned in the best hockey effort as a team against the Tweed team to date in improving each time out. Local fans hold high hopes for the Belleville kids in the group play-offs, that open here Friday. For Tweed goalie Johnston stood firm even though the locals whipped eight past him. Gehan, Connor and Beatty also played good hockey for the struggling Tweed crowd.

The line-ups — Belleville: goal, Fitzpatrick; defence, Bush and Green; centre, Holway; wings, Allan Meagher and B. Meagher; subs, Moher, Day, Greatrix, Lyall and Reeves. Tweed: goal, Johnston; defence, Gehan and Beatty; centre, Connor; wings, Dales and P. Bush; subs, Radcliffe, Elliott, Graham, Thompson, Cotton, Hall and Lavallee.

Referees: "Speedy" St. Louis and Johnny Orr.

SUMMARY

1st Period—
1. Belleville—
Holway (B.Meagher) 3.30
2. Belleville—Holway 8.19
3. Belleville—
B. Meagher (Al Meagher) 18.21
Penalties: Bush and Green.

2nd Period—
4. Belleville—
Holway (B. Meagher) 5.30
5. Belleville—Holway 14.59
Penalties: Moher and Beatty.

3rd Period—
6. Belleville—Moher 8.30
7. Belleville—Al Meagher 10.15
8. Belleville—Greatrix 17.09
Penalties—Meagher and Beatty 2.

Recreation Alleys

C.N.R.

Glores 3 pts. — Keegan 864; Maloney 408; Finnigan 556; Martin 756; Hiskett 509; Bandicap 174. Total 3233.

Loafers 1 pt. — Langman 653; Tufis 468; Young 651; Gulpin 502; Cline 536; handicap 330. Total 3147.

Yard 2 pts. — Johnston 523; Buskard 628; Smith 496; Carson 617; Mills 574; handicap 267. Total 3057.

Checkers 1 pt. — Mecus 646; Handle 605; Young 561; Theobald 647; Graham 604; handicap 267. Total 3060.

Major B

Black Meat Market 2 pts — M. Black 386; Mordreffi 483; Salisbury 592; Huffman 561; J. Black 386; handicap 621. Total 3057.

Cisco 1 pt. — Hall 571; McDonald 573; Whiting 440; Knott 562; Donaldson 518; handicap 381. Total 3011.

Miles and Stewart 3 pts. — Barrage 240; Semark 667; Matthews 516; Stewart 389; Arnott 602; Brown 212; handicap 40. Total 2796.

Saco 1 pt. — Dunlop 542; Hitchon 431; Cooney 430; Batchelor 624; Yerex 532; handicap 160. Total 2720.

Just Us 3 pts. — Kelleher 641; Whelan 486; Noakes 567; Holland 467; Doolittle 606; handicap 360. Total 3108.

Corby 2 pts. — Pennyfeigon 651; Downey 494; Parrell 486; Farquharson 562; Lewis 464; handicap 306. Total 2864.

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PARKER BLASTS JOHNNY GRECO

New York, Feb. 7 — (CP) — Dan Parker, New York Daily Mirror boxing writer, said in his column today "It would be interesting to find out the real cause" of nausea which afflicted Johnny Greco when the Montreal welterweight lost a decision to Bobby Ruffin at Madison Square Garden last Friday.

"Greco's nausea in the ring was supposed to have been induced by a morsel of moth-eaten mackerel or spiced sturgeon eaten after he had weighed in early in the afternoon. The normal stomach consists of about three hours. What was the fish doing in Johnny's gut at 11 o'clock, three hours after he had eaten it?" Parker said.

Further down in his column Parker said that Greco's regular handlers were not present for the fight.

Ottawa Commandos Beaten by Quebec

Ottawa, Feb. 7. (CP)—Ottawa Commandos showed signs of life about 55 minutes too late last night and wound up by absorbing a 3-2 defeat from Quebec Aces in an unfinished Quebec Senior Hockey League contest.

Aces scuttled their scoring to the second period, when Adhemar Ouellette paved the way for the first goal by Ulric Pandreau and rapped home the second on a pass from Renaud. Bidden Richery supplied Quebec's third rally on a pass from Bobby Thorpe.

Sports Roundup

(By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.)
(Associated Press Sport Writer.)

New York, Feb. 7 (AP)—Wanted, for post-war delivery: One new sport or other attraction that will draw 16,000 fans when they're not being used for baseball and Dodgers. Or a minute Shag Shaughnessy, International League president says a trend toward wider use of ball parks, with owners, he said, are beginning to realize that the expensive plants stand idle some 360 days a year and that they can profitably rent them out for fights, circuses, etc...One minor league club within figured to lose about $60,000 last season with a poor year, realized more than $30,000 profit by renting out the park...What they really need, however, is something new that will correspond to hockey, basketball and football shows, which now are the big money-makers built originally for boxing.

Observation Post:

The other day when Ed Barrow of the New York baseball discussed baseball prospects, Ed remarked: "You got to be quantity rather than quality this year. We must sign up a lot of green hands to be on the safe side."...And that's that just what Branch Rickey was saying a year ago!...And what a howl he got from those Dodger fans.

"F" ALLEYS

EVENING

Bofers, 1 Pt.—E. Vandervoort 379; F. White 466; G. Thompson 425; T. White 518; C. Maybee 294. Total 2172.

Just Us, 3 Pts.—P. Richards 560; G. Ramsey 480; M. Smith 373; L. Holdsworth 430; L. Scott 463. Total 2306.

AFTERNOON

Pirates, Handicap 131, 2 Pts—V. Delong 356; G. Peden 322; V. Vince 513; D. Holgert 551; B. Shortt 430. Total 2171.

Y Ladies, 2 Pts—A. Calnan 425; E. Cole 374; J. Gilroy 268; N. Kyle 369; F. Shortt 336. Total 1772.

LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Canadian Press)
Standing: Canadiens, won 28, lost 5, tied 5, points 89.
Points: Richard, Canadiens, 30 goals, 19 assists; Lach, Canadiens, 17 goals, 41 assists, 58 points.
Goals: Richard, Canadiens, 30.
Assists: Lach, Canadiens, 41.
Penalties, Egan, Boston, 60 minutes.
Shutouts, McCool, Toronto, 4.

BYRON NELSON HAS LOW AVERAGE

New Orleans, Feb. 7 — (AP)—Byron Nelson, the Texarkana, Tex., master of the links, will enter the $6,000 New Orleans Open Friday with an average of 69.4 for 30 rounds of golf in nine tournaments.

Nelson's amazing consistency this winter made him top money winner in 1944 with more than $40,000 and has built a stack of currency totaling $3,700 since Jan. 1. He has done no worse than a tie for second in five tournaments this year, won at San Francisco, Phoenix and Corpus Christi.

Number two man in performance, as well as earnings, is Harold (Jug) McSpaden, Sanford, Me., who has an average of 70.2 in 26 rounds. His earnings for 1945 total approximately $4,000, slightly more than those of Slammin Sammy Snead of Hot Springs, Va., who had to pass up the Texas and Corpus Christi Opens because of a lame back.

BIG SEVEN

(By The Canadian Press)

Bill Cowley, Boston picked up one point as Bruins went down to a 5-1 defeat before Toronto Maple Leafs last night. The gain put Cowley six points behind Chicago Black Hawks' Doug Bentley and Elmer Lach, and with a two-point edge on Toe Blake of Canadiens. Ted Kennedy, Toronto, gathered three points to take sole possession of the sixth spot, two points behind Cowley. Detroit's Other skoring leaders were idle.

	G	A	Pts.
Richard, Canadiens	30	19	58
Lach, Canadiens	17	41	58
Cowley, Boston	20	32	52
Blake, Canadiens	21	29	50
Howe, Detroit	31	20	50
Kennedy, Toronto	20	18	41
Bruneteau, Detroit	20	18	38

LAST NIGHT'S STARS

Ted Kennedy, Toronto, who scored two goals and one assist as Maple Leafs downed Boston Bruins 5-1.

Bill Jennings, Boston, who drove in Bruins' lone counter in the first minute of play.

ABANDONED AS AIR BASE

Kunming, China, Feb. 7. (AP)—Kanyang Field, 30 west of Kunming (Kanchow) has been abandoned as an air base along with Suichwan, and the United States 14th Air Force are working out in London, England, and hope to reach the United States in plenty of time for the U.S. National Indoor Games Feb. 24. Yesterday the Swedish start stroiled three miles in Kensington Gardens.

BANCROFT

Bancroft, Feb. 6 (Special)—On Saturday afternoon the Bancroft Rockets played two hard-fought goals, winning in Cumbermere by the score of 12 to 4, then coming right back in the same afternoon to take the Maynooth Bruins into camp by score of 8 to 4. At Cumbermere the hometown Miners played a very rugged game and were consistently throwing stiff body checks to slow down the visitors' forwards. However, in spite of the heavy going the visitors were able to count twelve goals and had to be content with about brilliant work of Snowden in the nets. Otherwise, the score would have been much higher. The first period saw Severin and Brough counted two before the hometown counted for the Miners; Brough scored another as did Kavanagh for Bancroft before R. Schwieg denied the twine for Cumbermere to bring the score to 4-2 to end the second period. Brough scored three while Kerr netted two, Schwieg scored another for the hometown. In the final session Severin sank two and Carpenter one for the visitors while Ouhy counted Cumbermere's fourth goal. Penalties were to Adams and Severin of Bancroft for high-sticking and boarding and to Bellisle of Cumbermere for boarding.

Referee: Herb Nieman of Maynooth.

Bancroft 4, Maynooth 3.

The Bancroft second coast right back to Maynooth and took the ice against a fresh Maynooth squad and drew down like barrels in the tune of 8 to 4. Brough and Adams with one each and Crawford with two were Bancroft's first period goals while Forbes and Herb Nieman tallied two for the Bruins. In the second canto Severin with two, Stringer and Brough with one each were Bancroft's marksmen and Robinson added another for Maynooth, Carpenter drew a penalty. Referee Herb Nieman and shortly after Ed Nieman drew a penalty for dumping Carpenter. Walter Nieman, in the absence of Ed, officiated after having 4 goals scored on him, in favor of Royden Davis and Roy did a fine job of blanking the tired Bancroft sharpshooters for the rest of the game. Herb Nieman tallied for the Maynooth team again which team constantly had the Rockets hemmed in their own end during the last period.

Referee: Henry Stewart of Maple Leaf.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press.)

Major Conny Smythe, again named the governors of the National Hockey League, said at Toronto last night that if something is not done "to clear up the hockey situation" the N.H.L. plans to ask the Federal government to make available for hockey 300 players now eligible for military service.

Smythe said the 300 figures that 300 players "absolutely exempt from military service" could keep things going in the major and minor hockey league. He said the leagues should have a working margin of three or four months to make arrangements for next season but with the present unsettled hockey situation he was not positive.

At Ottawa yesterday an official of National Selective Service said a "no comment" regarding Smythe's earlier statement asking 150 men for N.H.L. play.

Coach Dick Irvin of Montreal Canadiens came out yesterday with the claim that Lieut. Bill Durnan is the best goalie in 20 years in the N.H.L. "He leaves about all Charlie Gardiner, Frankie Brimsek, Dave Kerr and Alec Connell do," Durnan has it all over them because he has the most competitive spirit," says Irvin.

Ken Watson, ace skip of the Winnipeg Strathcona Curling club of Manitoba curling champion in 1936 and 1941, was high in the opening rounds of the 87th Manitoba Dalziel at Winnipeg yesterday, played in below zero weather. In the Birks-Dingwall Watson beat Bob Alexander of Brandon 6-5 and Jack Kopy of Winnipeg beat J. Williams of Swaffan, Man., 8-6.

At Hamilton, A. R. Tarleton won the Hamilton British Consols curling play-off title today, beating R. W. Cassels 13-8 to enter playdowns at Toronto.

A new six team soccer circuit to be known as the Ontario Major League has been formed at Toronto with Major A. L. Steele, Canadian Legion, as president. Five Toronto teams have entered with a sixth to be selected.

Herb Pennock, general manager of the Philadelphia Phillies, in mailing player contracts out today. The list included 13 pitchers, five catchers, eight infielders and eight outfielders.

Gunder Haegg and Haakon Liddman, Sweden's travelling trackmen, are working out in London, England.

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By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 30

"I'll drive Terry home," Elizabeth said. "You'd better stay here, Bruce. If you lose Livia again I'll never forgive you."

Elizabeth waved to Livia as the car drove out.

It was all a dream. For the first time in a month Livia dropped a tray. Bruce helped her pick up the broken china and glass. They laughed at everything. Nothing was too silly remembered Ted. What would Jay when he heard she had gone?

"He's long will it take to get someone?" she asked.

"Perhaps a day," the manager replied, "there are many girls who value a good job."

"All right, I'll work here another day."

Before leaving with Bruce Livia telephoned Ted. He took the news well.

"He's a lucky guy." Then casually, "When are you getting married?"

"Very soon. I'd like you to meet him—"

"No, thanks. I'm very busy."

"I'll see you tonight perhaps when I get home?"

"Please, Livia—let's not have a drag-out farewell. This isn't the movies, you know." She was a little hurt, for there was nothing more to be said. So she repeated: "Thank you for everything. Good-bye."

The Chinese boy was all smiles when Livia arrived with Bruce at the bungalow.

"Missy Nolan tell me she see you." He giggled. "I make big mistake, tell Missy Nolan, wife own ina phone. Missy Nolan, she! I think wife. But now Missy Nolan say you gonna be Missy Nolan.

Terry Donleon marrying Bruce's sister! It oppressed Livia. She was glad Bruce did not approve the match.

"I'm trying to break it up, but Elizabeth thinks she loves him—and she's obstinate," he told her later as they drove in the direction of Lookout Mountain. How far away Hollywood seemed to Livia.

He kissed her, holding her tightly in his strong arms. She clung to him passionately.

"Oh, darling, you've no idea how much I love you," she cried softly. "Let's stay here for the rest of our lives." He smiled.

"What d'ye think I am — some? Come on—enter ye home—now while you can."

She looked back at the mountain—bleak and grey in the day-time—but now softly whitened with moonlight.

"When we're rich, we'll build a house on this very spot," Livia said. He kissed her gently. And they drove down the narrow winding road.

They were to be married Saturday morning in Santa Barbara. Three more days. They would have been the happiest three days of Livia's life, but for Elizabeth.

Elizabeth had met Terry Davidson when he came to Colorado for the Premiere of "Lost on the Prairie." The Chamber of Commerce had given a dinner party for the visiting Hollywood celebrities, and Judge Nolan and his family were invited. Elizabeth was seated next to Terry at the long table. Terry made no bones about liking Elizabeth. Her father was wealthy. Later, when the judge disinherited his only son, Bruce, for preferring what he called "ragabondage" in Hollywood to his family interests in Colorado, Terry again visited Elizabeth and learned from the judge that all his property was to go to Elizabeth.

Terry remained in Colorado several weeks, made friends with the Judge, and love to Elizabeth. When Elizabeth explained to her father that Terry was willing to give up his Hollywood career and settle in Colorado, the Judge had given his consent to their engagement.

And now Bruce had invited Elizabeth to Hollywood. He wanted to see Terry in his natural habitat, minus his party manners. Terry, realizing Bruce's dislike, pressed for an early marriage, but Elizabeth said: "Let's wait another month, Terry. We want to be sure."

Terry yielded with ill-concealed irritation. His option at the studio was not going to be renewed, and he was sick of making pictures anyway. The life of a country squire in Colorado appealed to him tremendously.

"I wonder why you came here if not to get married right away," he said to Elizabeth. She had entered the room at that moment. He restrained an impulse to punch Terry's face and went out quickly.

It was an old dodge, but Bruce decided to try it. The next evening when Elizabeth had gone to bed, he said to Terry slowly and deliberately:

"I hardly know where to begin."

"About Elizabeth?" queried Terry.

"Yes."

"You mean our quarrel? That was nothing. Elizabeth's desperately in love with me." He could not resist boasting to Bruce.

"Sure," said Bruce. "I wasn't thinking of that. It's about Elizabeth's financial prospects. I know this doesn't make any difference to you, but—" he watched Terry closely—"Dad's last revision of ownns in a phoney silver mine."

Terry grinned. If they thought he was that sort of fool.

"Too bad," he said easily, "but that makes no difference to us." Bruce produced a telegram from his pocket.

"It came this morning," he said. "Dad's been taken seriously ill. The message were true, Elizabeth would have nothing, which means he—Terry had nothing. In that case way was he marrying her? He read the wire again, Bruce did not think it necessary to explain that for once his father had agreed with him on a course of action.

"I thought you and your father were estranged?" said Terry suspiciously.

"I suppose he wanted me to break it gently to Elizabeth," said Bruce. "Poor old boy, very decent of him like this—"

"Yes, I see what you mean. Well—I must be getting home."

As the door he turned.

"Will you do me a favor? Will you tell Elizabeth that I may have to be in town and will be gone for a few months?"

"Why don't you write her a note?" suggested Bruce.

"All right," said Terry.

He did, sealed the envelope and handed it to Bruce.

Bruce waited a step behind him to the door. He was unable to resist the impulse to look at his almost brother-in-law through it. He laughed at Terry's outraged face. Terry picked himself up and yelled:

"You damn fool. As far as I'm concerned, you can give your precious sister back to her family."

"Bruce!" Elizabeth was frenzied. She had come into the living room.

"I'll break every bone in his body," Bruce started after Terry. But Terry decided this was the wrong time to continue the conversation and fled.

"That's the end of him anyway," Bruce muttered, closing the door.

But it was not the end of Terry. When a small nature is tricked, it never forgives and forgets. Terry, nourished his hatred, always ready for an opportunity to use the lovely.

Elizabeth, never very strong, collapsed. The wedding of Bruce and Livia was postponed. And when Elizabeth promised Livia said cheerfully:

"You are my only bridesmaid. A girl's got to have a bridesmaid, or it isn't a wedding."

Elizabeth smiled wanly—and relapsed into silence. Day by day for hours without saying a word. Bruce sometimes wondered whether his cure had not been worse than the disease.

"But you were right to expose Terry Davidson." Livia comforted him. If only Elizabeth would get over it. Perhaps if she went home? But the suggestion brought the fever to the pale cheeks.

"I just can't go back there and explain to Dad," she whispered. "Let me stay here—for a while anyway."

"Of course, darling—anything you say."

Sometimes, as Livia sat by Elizabeth's bedside, she wished impatiently that she would get better. Livia was nervous and restless. She had waited so long for Bruce, and the new obstacle to their marriage seemed ominous. But she was careful to keep these thoughts to herself.

One day Elizabeth said suddenly, "You're unhappy, Livia."

"Oh, no. What makes you think so?"

"I'm a nuisance, aren't I? You and Bruce would be married but for me—that's it, isn't it?"

"No," Livia tried to make her denial convincing. But it is true. And today she had an additional worry. Bruce was in a plane. His job was to stunt-dive low over the desert. Most of the old-timers in the airman had refused the job—even though it paid $500.

"Why should we?" they said. "We're doing all right."

The air in the sandy valleys between the mountains was treacherous. A plane diving could be seized suddenly and destroyed. Bruce laughed at Livia's fears.

"If I were to start worrying about air pockets I might as well give up my job," he told her.

The telephone jangled in Livia's retreat. It was Bruce.

"How's Elizabeth?" he asked her. "Fine. And you—how was it?"

"A cinch," Bruce said cheerfully. "The only mistake I made was doing it in one 'take'."

"Bruce!" she protested.

He laughed. "I'll be back in two hours."

"I wish he had a safer job," Livia said to Elizabeth, who was watching her face.

"You're not really happy," said Elizabeth suddenly, "I wish I knew why."

"You're getting fanciful, my child it comes of lying in bed thinking." Livia said briskly.

"Perhaps," said Elizabeth thoughtfully.

When Bruce arrived, Elizabeth announced:

"I want to go home."

"Don't listen to her, Bruce. She has a nonsensical idea that she's interfering with our marriage." Bruce sat down by Elizabeth.

"You go home—when you're ready to travel."

Elizabeth smiled at him. "Did I ever thank you for being so beautiful then continued bravely—"for showing me the sort of person Terry really was? Supposing I'd married him—and found out afterwards." Her voice broke a little. "I can talk about it now. I'm practically cured. And I do really want to go home. I want to see the ranch—and Dad. I want to breathe again. I feel sort of choked here in Hollywood."

The next day Elizabeth was more insistent.

"But I can't let you travel alone," Bruce told her.

"I'll go with Elizabeth," Livia volunteered.

At first Elizabeth protested.

"I want you and Bruce to get married."

"We'd have to wait another week now anyway," Livia assured her. "Bruce has a location job in San Diego."

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In the plane there were some passengers. Livia listened to them. They were going to Colorado for the picture named after the state. She read about the movie some months ago and thought it was finished.

"I think they're crazy to send us there after the 'Lost on the Indians' up shots," one pretty girl grumbled.

"It's their money, kid," a man consoled her.

"Yeah, but it's my head," moaned the girl. "Airplanes give me a headache. I wish the Wright Brothers hadn't invented the damn thing."

Worry crept into Livia's heart. But she resolutely drove the thought away. She was going to be Bruce's wife, and that was better than any premonition.

One of the men in the movie party had been staring at Livia curiously. Later Livia heard him ask the stewardess to give him her name. She was investigating a crushing remark for him, when he abruptly left his friends and slipped into the seat opposite Livia and Elizabeth.

"I'm Frank MacDonald," he told Livia. "I've been looking for you a long time. Why didn't you been hiding?" Livia had heard of Macdonald. He was a talent scout for a big studio. But that did not give him the right to pick her up in a plane.

"Well, now you've found me," she said coldly.

"I saw your screen test," he continued. Livia shifted uneasily in her seat.

"Awful, wasn't it?"

"Pretty bad," he agreed. There was a slight pause broken by Elizabeth:

"You're extremely rude," she said to MacDonald, who nodded absently as though in agreement. He studied Livia, noting his eyes are traveling swiftly over her face and body, finally nodding appreciatively on her red-gold hair.

"Your face is too round—but we can fix that," he said absently. Livia's heart raced at double speed. But she said calmly:

"What are you trying to tell me?"

"How would you like to work at my studio?". Without letting Livia reply he continued: "As a stock girl at $75 a week. You have a lot to learn, but I think you've got something."

(To be continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 7

—6.00 p.m.
CBL—Relax and Enjoy Music.
—6.15 p.m.
CBL—News. Farm Markets.
—6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes. McKnight, sports.
—6.45 p.m.
WGR—Lowell Thomas.
CBL—BBC News.
—6.50 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
—7.15 p.m.
WBEN, WGY-N—Vandercook, news.
—7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WKBW-CBS—The Easy Aces.
WBEN—At International House.
—7.45 p.m.
WBEN—H. V. Kaltenborn.
—8.00 p.m.
WBEN, WGY—Mr. and Mrs. North.
CFRB-CBS—Jack Carson Show.
—8.15 p.m.
CJBC-MBS—Sonny Skylar.
—8.30 p.m.
CFRB—Treasure Trail.
WBEN-NBC—Carton of Cheers.
CJBC—Little Revlew.
WGR-B—My Best Girls.
WJR, WKBW-CBS—Ken Christian.
—9.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Eddie Cantor.
WKBW-CBS—Frank Sinatra.
WGR-Blue—Keep Up.
—9.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—District Attorney.
WKBW-CBS—Martin is Which.
—10.00 p.m.
CFRB—News.
WBEN-NBC—Kay Kyser.
CFRB-CBS—Dick Haymes Music.
—10.15 p.m.
CBL—The Soldier's Return."
—10.30 p.m.
WGR-B—Scramby Amby.
CFRB—Piano Interpretations.
CJBC—Clary's Gazette.
CKEY—Starke Lapp ench.
WKBW-CBS—Milton Berle.
—11.00 p.m.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
CKEY—News. Mickey Lester.
WBEN-NBC—ABC-CBS—News.
—11.30 p.m.
CBL—Organ Interludes.
WBEN—Choral Program.

THURSDAY, FEB. 8

—6.00 p.m.
CBL—Relax and Enjoy Music.
WBEN, WGR—News. 6.15—Sports.
WKBW-CBS—Major Eliot.
—6.15 p.m.
CBL—News. Farm Markets.
—6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes. McKnight, sports.
—6.45 p.m.
CBL—BBC News and Comment.
WBEN—Lowell Thomas.
—6.50 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7.00 p.m.
CBL—Alouette Quartet
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
—7.15 p.m.
WBEN, WGY-N—Vandercook News.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WKBW-CBS—Martin Block Show.
—7.30 p.m.
WKBW-WJR—Lost Persons Finder.
CJBC—Bert Niosi Little Band.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WBEN-NBC—Bob Burns.
—7.45 p.m.
CFRB—The Market Basket.
CJBC-MBS—Frank Morgan Show.
WKBW-CBS—Suspense.
—8.30 p.m.
CJBC—Service Forum.
CFRB—Dr. Christian Chesterborough
WKBW-CBS—Death Valley.
CKEY-MBS—Sammy Kaye.
WBEN-NBC—Dinah Shore.
CBL—Victor Show.
WGR-B—Town Meeting.
—9.00 p.m.
WJR, WKBW-CBS—Major Bowes.
WGR-Blue—Basin Street Band.
CFRB—War Front Stories.
—9.30 p.m.
WGR-Blue—Tommy Tucker Orch.
CJBC—Old Observers.
WBEN—Village Store.
WKBW-CBS—Corliss Archer.
CJBC—Canadian Cavalcade.
—10.00 p.m.
CBL—BBC News.
WBEN-NBC—Abbott and Costello.
CFRB—The First Line.
CJBC—Light up and Listen.
WGR-B—Fred Waring.
—10.30 p.m.
WBEN—Rudy Valley.
CJBC—The Cavaliers.
CFRB—Musical Nightcap.
WKBW-CBS—Ray Bloch.
WGR-Blue—March of Time.
—11.00 p.m.
CJBC—News and Commentary.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
CKEY—News: Mickey Lester.
CFRB—News.

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By Al Capp



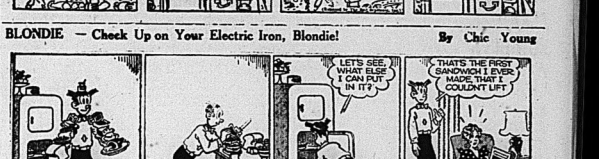
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Plans will be ample opportunity for discussion and criticism and explanation of the plan of the proposed high-way.

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Not only those whose properties will be affected, but all ratepayers are respectfully urged to attend this meeting.

In addition to the Regional Planning Committee, his Worship the Mayor and all members of the Council will be present and prepared to answer questions relative to the Planning.

By Order of Council,
J. CLAPP,
Chairman of Regional Planning Committee.
P7,8,10

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF KETCHESON R. HOLLOWAY, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, Retired, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 246, Section 51, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Ketcheson R. Earle, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, who died on or about the 29th day of December, 1944, are requested to send particulars of claims, duly proven, to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of February, 1944.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said date the undersigned will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which she shall then have notice.

DATED at Belleville, Ontario, this 6th day of February, A.D. 1940.

EDWARD F. FOLLWELL,
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F7,14,21

NOTICE

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GOEBBELS IN BERLIN

London, Feb. 7 —(CP)— Gauleiter Paul Joseph Goebbels still is in Berlin, the German radio commentator Joseph Saal said today. "I have seen Dr. Goebbels today," Saal said, "I see him every morning and he is busy reorganizing the offices of Berlin."

Goebbels previously had been reported fleeing to Bavaria.

NEW JET PLANE FOR U.S. NAVY

Washington, Feb. 7— (AP) — A new jet-propelled fighter plane is in production for the Navy and will soon be ready to join the fleet, Admiral Emory L. Gates, assistant secretary of the Navy for Air said in a speech yesterday.

MENTALLY UNFIT

Montreal, Feb. 7 — (CP) — Michael Yashan, 23, charged with murder in connection with the death of Gerard Lunen in the Infirmary of Montreal jail last year, yesterday was declared mentally unfit to stand trial.

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TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, Feb. 7, (CP)—The market advanced this afternoon on Toronto Exchange with some gains recorded taking the lead. Golds had a slight upward movement. Trading moved in lighter volume at 551,000 shares.

Utility, Food and Liquor stocks ruled higher. Distillers-Seagrams gained two points to 46 1-2 and Hiram Walker was up to 73 1-4. In Page-Hersey, Pressed Metals and Dominion Foundries were strong spots in the Steels.

Anglo-Canadian was a leader in Western Oils, moving in volume in an advance of 6 to 10 cents.

Trans-Roxmore was up 10 cents and moderate weakness was shown in Base Metals. O'Brien, Dome, Hollinger and Lake Shore, Pickle Crow, Wright-Hargreaves, Giant, Coe's Lake and Hasaga were among the stronger Golds. Bradorc Bay gained 3-4; other base metals were steady.

Large Concentration Of Planes on Luzon Island Says Japan

San Francisco, Feb. 7.—Americans have already concentrated between 800 and 1,000 planes on central Luzon airfields, Radio Tokio reported today.

The unconfirmed broadcast, intercepted here by the Blue network, said 150 Flying Fortresses and interceptors throughout the area have been building airfields.

In another broadcast, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, Tokyo radio said Corregidor, island fortress at the entrance of Manila Bay, underwent a "violent bombardment" Monday and was shelled again yesterday by American naval guns.

There was no American confirmation of the naval bombardment.

German Wireless Hard Hit by Raid

London, Feb. 7 —(CP)— Radio monitors in London said today that German wireless communications, apparently damaged in recent Allied air attacks upon Berlin, were still out of gear this morning.

The D.N.B. agency radio in the morning newscast as usual, went off the air abruptly, returning after a brief interval and then faded out again.

Transocean started a newscast about 8 p.m., but sent only two messages in an hour.

WANT NEW POLICY

Otiaka, Feb. 7 — (CP) — The Federal government had been for today a request from the Canadian Legion for a civil service policy which would give men now overseas an opportunity to apply for work while civil service opening "in the higher grades as well as in the lower grades."

The request was made in a brief presented yesterday to Ontario minister Mackenzie King by a Legion delegation led by Alex Walker, Dominion president, and including K. J. Strutner, Dominion second vice-president, and J. C. G. Herwig, general secretary.

WELL-KNOWN SPORTSMAN DIES

Toronto, Feb. 7 — (CP)—William (Bill) Long, well-known in Ontario hockey and racing circles, died today in hospital. He had been ill for some days with pneumonia. He was timer for all Ontario Hockey Association games played at Maple Leaf Gardens in Toronto and also was timer for the Ontario Jockey Club and the Fort Erie Racing Association.

LOAN RATES REDUCED AGAIN

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Cheese Factory Reports

Meale Cheese Co.

An average price of $1.99 per 100 pounds milk, from 1,500 pounds, was received by patrons of the Meale Cheese and Butter Manufacturing Co., during 1944, the anufual report shows. Of the 1,500 pounds of milk were manufactured at the factory, 239 scored 95 points, 1,194 at 94 points and 851 at 93 points. The factory has 29 patrons.

A total of 3,310,214 pounds of milk was received at the factory during the year, averaging an average one pound cheese for each 12.2 pounds of milk. The average test was 3.1. Total receipts for the year were $75,433, of which the bulk of cheese amounted to $53,876. Vernon Spencer, manager, frequent prize winner at the British Columbia Dairy Show here is the cheesemaker.

Rylestone Cheese Co.

The annual report for the Rylestone Cheese and Butter Company of the Campbellford district shows a total of 2,304 boxes of cheese made during the past season. Eight hundred of these scored 95 points, 1,518 scored 94 points and 470 scored 93 points, Harold Henderson, president of the Central Ontario Cheese Makers Association, is the maker at the factory.

During the year 48 patrons shipped 2,500,000 pounds of milk from which 201,906 pounds of cheese were manufactured. The average price received per 100 pounds milk, with bonus, was $2.01.

Point Traverse

Harvesting Ice At Point Traverse

Point Traverse, Jan. 7 — Harvesting and storing of the winter supply of ice at the Point Traverse fishing station commenced this week. Several hundred tons of ice will be stored for the icing of lake fish caught. It is also being used by commercial fishermen during the summer. The ice is reported to be better than 15 inches in thickness. It is understood that no ice will be harvested at the Main Duck Island this winter.

Go On Radio

Two well known residents of this district, Mr. Wesley Thomas, of Wellington, and Mr. Wesley Thomas, appeared on the "Ontario Panorama" radio broadcast from Picton on Friday night and were interviewed by Gordon Sinclair, world-travelling newspaperman. Mr. Metcalfe spoke of the Bird Sanctuary which are wintering on Timber Island. Mr. Thomas related his experiences as lighthouse keeper on the Main Ducks.

Hungry Rock Rabbits

Hunters at Black River, South Marysburgh Twp., report the appearance of jack rabbits in that vicinity. The appearance of this species of hare in Prince Edward County is of recent date, and it marks, at this time, the most easterly area occupied in the province.

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Russian Church's Message to Rest of Christian World

Calls for Extermination of Fascism for All Time

Moscow, Feb. 6. (Reuters)—The Soviet Press today gave prominence to a message sent by the Council of the Russian Orthodox Church to Christians of the rest of the world on the occasion of the election of a new patriarch.

The Council's message called for the extermination of Fascism for all time.

"Sometimes voices are heard calling in the name of forgiveness and mercy and these voices come from people who dare call themselves Christians", it was quoted as saying. "This shall not be".

The council gave its blessing to "the toilers of all the world and the leaders of the peoples striving for their well being and the improvement of their brothers".

The Army newspaper, Red Star, today published nearly three columns of material reprinted from other papers on the election of the new patriarch.

Vast Collection Of Roman Pottery Found in Britain

London, Feb. 6. (CP)—A two-acre kiln yielding the largest collection of Roman pottery found in Britain in recent generations was discovered recently, it was disclosed today.

From the kiln, in forest land of northeast Hampshire, were taken many truckloads of fragments of extraordinarily fine pottery used nearly 2,000 years ago in the first century of Roman occupation.

The pottery will go to the British Museum.

January Revenue Drops $54,325,842

Ottawa, Feb. 7. (CP)—Revenue Minister Gibson announced today that revenue from income tax and customs—excise collections in January totalled $29,681,158, against $53,581,095 in January, 1944, a decrease of $54,325,842.

Income tax collections were down $19,200,864, while $153,121,903 while customs-excise collections were off $33,104,977 to $46,133,260.

For the first ten months of the current fiscal year, income tax collections were $1,306,197,226 against $1,360,705,797 during the corresponding period of 1943-44, a decrease of $24,658,062, while net customs-excise collections amounted to $698,561,808 against $760,977,548, a decrease of $74,303,760.

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Errol Flynn Flees Women Admirers In New York Theatre

New York, Feb. 7. (AP)—The tall, debonair gentleman took one look at the crowd of women converging on him, then ran through the theatre lobby to the door marked "men's room", pushed through the door and locked it securely behind him.

Only then did Errol Flynn, center of a thousand trying matinee picture situations, feel safe.

It happened Monday night at the Theatre Guild's production of Shakespeare's "Hamlet," a long later, turned out to be a main attraction—and all because he gallfawed at a shotgun wedding sequence in the play.

On the stage Ado Annie — the "Girl Who Can't Say No"—was accepting a marriage proposal tendered by her father's shotgun, Flynn, whose repeated marriage to 20-year-old Nora Eddington, a recent mother-in-law, was a matter of widespread speculation, laughed loudly and the audience joined in.

At intermission time ushereties, well-dressed women and a few hysterionic bobby soxers, heads a determined rush for him. He retreated to the fire escape, surrounded by unavailable—and our Errol didn't sally forth, until they all had gone.

Murray Canal

Murray Canal—Mrs. F. Pindall spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. B. Gillings, Smithfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Redal spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. Wrightman.

The Misses Mae and Laura Tuckabery of Trenton spent Sunday afternoon at their home here.

Miss M. Malnes and Miss Ellen Lander spent the weekend with friends in Belleville.

Miss Olive Innis, Brighton, spent last week at her home here.

The Misses Dorothy and Helen Ketcheson of Smithfield, and Mr. W. Ketcheson of Toronto, spent a weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ketcheson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wesse, Smithfield, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Lauder.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Pindall and family spent Sunday evening with friends in Trenton.

6th Tyendinaga

6th. Tyendinaga — The auction sale at Mrs. J. O'Shaughnessy's was well attended on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McKenzie were Monday evening callers at Mrs. G. Goodman's.

Marjorie and Donna Lancaster spent one night last week with Barbara Emerson.

Willie Mourfan had the misfortune to fall on ice at school one day last week and fracture his collar bone.

Bob Lancaster and Jack Boldrick spent Sunday at their homes here.

Alton Goodman spent the week-end with his cousin, Benton Goodman, Milford.

TWEED

Tweed — Miss Gladys McGuire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McGuire, who has been on the staff of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, Toronto studios, as a script writer, has accepted a position on the Film Board at Ottawa, while she will assist in writing material for narrations accompanying the "Carry On Canada" pictures. She is a graduate of Queen's University.

Mrs. E. W. Jones and son Bruce spent a few days over the weekend in Toronto and Belleville.

Mrs. L. Newton and daughter Brenda, who have spent the past three weeks with Mrs. John L. Newton, who is still very ill, returned to their home in Toronto last Friday.

Mrs. John Sager is in Peterborough with her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Goldie, who is a patient in Nicholls Hospital.

Cpl. Jack Tummon of Ottawa, spent the weekend in Peterborough.

Borden Countryman is spending a few days in Toronto visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Marion Newton spent the weekend visiting friends in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Radmore and Miss Ida Way, of Dover, N.J., and Mrs. Thos. C. Way of Welland, returned to their homes last week after attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Ida Jones.

Mr. Elmer Allen left last week on an extended visit to Vancouver, Victoria and other points west.

Mr. S. R. Curry, editor Tweed News, was on a business trip to Toronto a couple of days last week.

Mr. Marshall Drinkwater was rushed back to the General Hospital, Belleville, for further treatment. According to latest reports, he is progressing favorably.

Friends of Miss Violet Brown were glad to see her home again from the hospital, Belleville.

Little Barbara Wilson had her left hand bitten by a dog on Friday night.

Marmora and District

Marmora — The monthly meeting of Deloro Safety Club was held in the Electric Shop on Monday afternoon, with the chairman, C. H. Bunkard, presiding. Eight suggestions were received and the star was awarded the Stellite Department. W. M. Regan reported for the Inspection Committee, P. Gordon was named floating member for February. J. A. Rice reported for the Health and Investigation Committee and A. W. Drew reported for the Publicity Committee.

The report of the Benevolent Relief Fund was given by C. R. Bushard.

Mr. James Shannon is spending a few days in Toronto this week.

Burnett Parsons on Monday, at his Marks Lawley Hurnbar Bonn, Marmora, to Mr. and Mrs. Breen O'Connor, a son.

Mrs. R. B. Hancks and Mrs. J. Judge attended the funeral of the late Mrs. William Kerr, in Toronto, on Tuesday last.

Crofton

Crofton — Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jones, of Belleville, called on Mr. and Mrs. B. Jones on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Salisbury and Janet and Mr. Arthur Salisbury were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crook and Ronald.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Mack of Toronto, (nee Margaret Parsons) on the arrival of a baby girl on January 30.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. B. Jones on Thursday afternoon with a very good attendance.

Mrs. Jerry Covert spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Victor Bongard and family.

Mrs. W. Salisbury and Janet returned on Friday evening from a week's visit with her parents, at Arnprior.

Mrs. S. C. Clement of Picton, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. B. Jones.

Wallbridge

Wallbridge —Mrs. Ted Evans is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

Miss Muriel Massey was a weekend guest of Miss Doreen Johnston.

Mrs. F. Harris spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. Skinner, Foxboro.

Friends of Mrs. G. A. Ketcheson, who is spending the winter with her son and family in Ottawa, will be sorry to learn that she has suffered a stroke.

Mrs. Bernice Moore conducted a Temperance program after the regular S.S. session on Sunday morning.

Owing to the storm Sunday night the attendance at the regular church service was small and the minister was there and gave an excellent message.

Mr. James Hinchliffe attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Carl Spey, of Bonarlaw.

White's District

White's District — Honoring her father, Mr. Walter Jones on his birthday, Mrs. George Silham entertained on Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jeffery, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones and Miss Marian Jones.

Master Bruce Hunt is able to be out again after being confined to his home for some time with a severe cold.

Mrs. George Silham opened her home for a quilting on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Jean Mallory and Mr. Lee Mallory of Toronto were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Mallory and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ellis and Arnold of Thurlow were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jeffery.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jeffery and Sharon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ellis of Woodcr.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Gordon Fred in the loss of her mother, Mrs. Phillip Rikley who passed away at the home of her daughter in Belleville at the advanced age of 83 years.

Mr. and Mrs. George Saylor, returning to their home about 1 p.m. on Saturday from Trenton were in collision with Dr. R. A. McQuaid of Trenton, in front of their home. All were taken to Belleville General Hospital where they were treated by Dr. Johnson of Trenton. Mrs. Saylor was cut across the forehead and Mr. Saylor received a bad cut on one hand, requiring several stitches. Both were able to return to their home following medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones, Miss Marian Jones, Mrs. George Silham and daughter Sylvia, were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Mallory and family.

Plainfield

Plainfield — Owing to the church being out of wood S. S. was well attended on Sunday morning at the parsonage. A vote of appreciation was tendered Rev. and Mrs. McKenzie for generous donations. Services expect to continue in the church next Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Goodfellow spent Sunday afternoon with Miss O. Offlespie and Mrs. Stewart.

Miss Annie Hamilton and Mrs. Mabel Rubel spent Sunday dinner hour and afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall and Mrs. Millar.

Mr. F. met on Thursday at the Parks home with an attendance of 30 present.

Mrs. Bernice Moore, Wallbridge, spent a week in the community visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Fred Dunning visited Mr. Blake Collins for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Hall returned home on Friday evening after visiting friends in Toronto and Whitby.

Mrs. Harry McCreary returned to her home on Saturday. Friends of Mrs. McCreary are pleased to know she is somewhat improved in health.

Mr. Ed. Cronkright is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mac Cronkright for a few days.

Mrs. James McCreary, Mrs. Fred Pringle and Verna called Sunday afternoon on Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCreary.

Mr. Eileen Carleton spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. Stanley Hamm had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse recently.

A number of ladies of the community attended a dinner and quilting at the home of Mrs. Elliott one day last week.

Mrs. J. O. Latta is staying with relatives in Toronto for a time.

Mrs. Henderson is staying at the home of Mrs. Daisy Colden for a time.

Mr. Norman Hall, Sr., has been confined to his bed with lumbago.

A few ladies met on Tuesday at Mrs. Abeelam Parks' and enjoyed a pot luck dinner and Red Cross quilting.

Mrs. Badgley called Monday on Mrs. Mabel Rubel.

Thomasburg

Thomasburg — The ladies of Thomasburg United Church Women's Association held a pot luck dinner in the Sunday School rooms on Thursday for the teachers and pupils of the public school. The meal was much enjoyed by all and a nice sum was realized to add to the treasury of the association.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jeffrey and Rose, of Napanee, spent Wednesday afternoon with friends here.

Mrs. Willis Geen and Edgar are holidaying with her father, Mr. Hiram Varty and Mr. and Mrs. H. Varty and family at Bogart.

Mr. Thomas Coulson has returned to his home after being a patient in the Belleville General Hospital for ten days where he underwent an operation on one of his eyes.

Misses Isobel and Elsie Richardson, and Mrs. Winnifred Holden, of Belleville, and Messrs. Donald and Evelyn Richardson of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. A. J. Richardson and Mr. Edward Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taverner, and Misses Edith Taverner and Mary Burrell of Napanee, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perrin and girls of Tweed, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dafoe and Hollie, of Belleville, and Mr. Gerald Morton, spent Sunday at the home of and with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morton.

Mrs. G. A. Morton, of Belleville, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Edward Carter, and called on friends in the village.

In Thursday's issue of The Globe and Mail, Sergeant Donald R. McTaggart's picture appeared among the group picture of the R.C.A.F. ground crew in Scotland, who are taking their free time to extend their education in Mathematics, planning to better their position in the postwar world. Sgt. McTaggart is a son of Willard E. McTaggart of this village, and is well known here. He graduated public school and later being employed at G. L. Reid's. Don left Canada early in July, 1944.

Allisonville

Allisonville — The Allisonville unit of the Red Cross was unable to have the euchre party and dance last Wednesday night because of the weather and road conditions.

Congratulations and best wishes go to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary very quietly at their home on Tuesday, January 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton were among the guests who had dinner last Thursday, January 25th., at the home of Mrs. Wilfred Morton, the honored guest being Mrs. Morton's mother, Mrs. James Morton, who celebrated her 85th. birthday that day.

Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 175, held its meeting in the hall on Friday night.

A large crowd had the pleasure to see and also hear Gordon Sinclair, at Picton Collegiate assembly hall, on Friday night. They also heard him over CFRB, Toronto, station.

The Red Shirt, Allisonville orchestra, played at Amelia burg, Idylwilde Hall, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson and family, were tea guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner McFaul and Mary Ann, attended Wellington church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McFaul and Mr. Abbott McFaul were tea hour guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warner McFaul and Mary Ann.

A Red Cross quilting party was held last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Fred Morton.

"Bowerman's Ladies' Aid was held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Fred Maxwell and Mrs. Claud Maxwell.

Miss Beth Davis of Belleville, spent the weekend at her home with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson, and family.

AMELIASBURG

Amelisburg Messrs. Ken. Sobie, Frank Williams, Leo Wood and Cral Lauder spent the weekend in Toronto attending the public hockey match at Maple Leaf Gardens.

Misses Jean Corfield and Lyla Ainsworth of Wellington, spent the weekend with Mrs. Arthur Corfield and family.

Sgt. and Mrs. Earl Thompson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reitz at a delightful euchre party on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cannons motored Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cannons and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cannons and family at Salem at the dinner hour on Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Corfield was "at home" to a number of ladies on Monday evening.

Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph Dempster and Sgt. and Mrs. Earl Thompson spent one evening recently with Dr. and Mrs. V. V. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stinson were tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Casson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith entertained company from Cannifton on Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Wood spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blakely of Hannore.

A large crowd attended the dance on Friday evening held in Idylwilde Hall, sponsored by Allisonville orchestra.

Mrs. Ralph Dempster is spending a short time in Ottawa.

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ODER LINE CRUMBLING

ALLIES POUR INTO NEW BREAKS OF SIEGFRIED LINE

Capture Schmidt Near Last German-Held Dam on Roer

Pruem, a Major Transit Centre, Under Artillery Fire

By JAMES M. LONG
(AP Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 8 — (AP)—The United States 1st Army drove clear through the last remaining defenses of double Siegfried Line to within 2 miles southeast of Aachen today, captured bloody Schmidt and neared the Roer river dams and reservoirs which had been a major factor in checkmating the western front offensive last November.

(The German communique said "preparations for the big Allied attack continue along the Roer." The enemy said a major offensive was imminent with Cologne, the Rhine and industrial Ruhr as objectives. American troops outside Dueren are 30 miles from Cologne. Capture of the dams might open the starting signal for the onslaught.)

The largest of the dams, the 985-foot-thick Schwammenauel, is just over two miles from Schmidt. A combat team of the 78th division reached the northern bank of its vast reservoir.

The dam system is capable of sending an 18-foot wall of water down the 36 miles of the Roer to Obermond. Any troops which had crossed the river to the Cologne Plain last fall could have been trapped by the man-made floods within four hours.

Unified (Eastern 2nd) Army soldiers poured through southern outskirts of the well-fortified farther south to within 1¼ miles of Pruem.

The 78th Lightning Division drove into the ancient Eifel town of Schmidt last night and had cleared it of the Germans by daybreak, nearly Kommerscheidt was occupied. Schmidt, scene of combat force driven along the north banks of the Schwammenauel reservoir, backed up behind the largest dam in the system. Schmidt is 13 miles inside Germany.

Pruem, a major transit centre for German defenses in the centre of the Siegfried Line, was approached by 3rd Army troops from several directions. The most northern case within sight of the town, capturing Schmidt, just to the northwest.

The 1st Army's new invasion positions on the 24-mile front where four divisions of the line fighting in the west wall reinforcements, swiftly reported.

(Berlin spoke again of an imminent Allied offensive along the Roer, but said the German Fifth and 7th Army had attacked on the Saar front. The enemy asserted that "the area east of Saarlautern between Dillingen and Schleider, most probably will be the fight field of the impending offensive and we know what the waiting period is only the full before the storm.")

Night Signal Blast

The United States 1st Army, which also has battled through the double Siegfried Line at the hands of the Roer, moved down the last two miles to the German-held dams controlling nearly 200,000,000 cubic yards of water which could flood out the American 9th and British 2nd armies along the Roer to the north.

Behind the capture of the dams might stand the Germans' last offensive.

The French 1st Army, with four American divisions, reduced the Cross-Hunsruck pocket south of Strasbourg to less than 6 square miles along the river and east of the Rhine-Rhone canal. Scattered in the seven miles south of Nenf Brisach, Organized resistance was broken up in the Vosges west of Colmar, stragglers were being rounded up and caged.

Overnight, British heavy bombers in great strength attacked enemy troops and equipment at Kleve and Goch where the Siegfried Line defenses cut in the Reichswald Forest.

Press Upon Pruem

(A.-Gen. George Patton's 3rd Army was pressing upon Pruem from many directions, and indeed had

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Premier Drew Claims 50,000,000 Can Live in Ont.

Toronto, Feb. 8 — (CP)—Premier Drew of Ontario predicted last night that "when the time comes" 50,000,000 or more persons can live in Ontario "in greater prosperity than we have ever known."

Addressing an East Toronto Progressive Conservative rally, the premier said it was not true that he had adopted a "come one, come all" immigration policy. "First, post-war duty of this country would be to look after Canadians in the services and then Canadians in war plants.

"Not until we've attended to that can we look after our own can we look after our own can we look after immigration. But I think our problem is not going to be finding people but finding population."

In the immediate future, Ontario would provide the "greatest opportunities of any area in the whole world."

Unless a Dominion-Provincial conference is held soon "the tremendous overhead of government built up by war powers" will be destroyed by the end of hostilities, we may well have chaotic conditions in this country," said the premier, proclaiming he had been urging such a conference for a year and a half.

Raises No Objection

Referring to a report that Canada may join the Pan-American Union, the premier said:—

"I raise no objection to that in due time, but let us first make sure that the Pan-British Union is sound for years to come. But you won't get that with the present premier of Canada or with the present leader of Canada's Socialist party. And as for a national airline, they're not going to stop singing 'God Save the King' and start singing 'God Save the' head of the government here no matter who is prime minister of Canada. No one is going to break down the Union Jack in Ontario as I'm head of the government."

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Huxley Hopes for 'Maximum' Co-ordination at Big 3 Meeting

Editor's Note: Uppermost in the minds of men today is the Big Three conference with its potential effect on the course of the life and conscience for generations to come. What at last should come out of it for the good of mankind?

The following article was written for the Associated Press by Julian Huxley, British scientist-philosopher.

If ever there was a case of fools rushing in, this seems it." Dr. Huxley said when asked to do the piece. "But you asked for my views and here they are."

By JULIAN HUXLEY

London, Feb. 8 — First of all, in the conference of the Big Three, there was bound to be discussion of purely military matters. Then I think everyone would hope for maximum co-operation. There should not arise even suspicion that one of the powers is striking without fullest consultation with others.

However, the time has come when political issues of the greatest problems must be tackled otherwise the unity of the three countries may be imperilled by the fact of success itself. I hope in the first place that the Big Three, with the aid of their foreign ministers and expert staffs, will come to some complete agreement on the need for security that they can take to the United Nations Organization conference in San Francisco.

The next major subject for discussion will presumably be the peace settlement. That is the one announcement that the settlement will be a matter of the Allies, not a patchwork or unilateral settlement. That principle once settled, we come up against the question of frontiers. It is impossible for the Big Three to settle frontier details now; but they can and I hope will agree to a principle that frontier settlements need not wait for a peace conference at some comparatively distant date.

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BIG THREE PLANS FOR JOINT ACTION EXPECTED IN WEEK

Will Mark Beginning Of a New Period In United States Foreign Policy

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 8. (CP)—Announcement that the "Big Three" have reached speedy "complete agreement" on military prosecution of the war today crowned Nazi hopes that a disagreement among Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin might be the prelude to the total defeat of Germany.

The hopes reflected in the defensive tone taken by German propagandists in broadcasts to embattled Germany and Europe after it was told officially that the historic conference was under way in the Black Sea area.

The Allies want to get the German people to surrender", the Berlin radio said. "In past years the enemy could not persuade the German people to capitulate. They will not succeed now either".

The significant feature of the broadcast was the skilful barrage-ing motif. Normally, broadcasts on the German soldiers are factual discussions.

TO BUDGET MORE

Kenora, Ont., Feb. 8 — (CP) — Ontario will budget $200,000 more in 1945 than last year for the Department of Game and Fisheries, Hon. George Dunbar, Minister of Game and Fisheries, announced here yesterday in an address delivered before the three-day convention of the Northern Ontario Outfitters' Association.

Political Parties Getting Ready For General Election

By FRANK FLAHERTY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa, Feb. 8 — (CP)—Canada's major and minor political parties have knuckled down to the business of organizing and planning for the forthcoming general election.

From headquarters in Ottawa the Liberal, Progressive Conservative and Co-operative Commonwealth Federation leaders are pressing their local organizations to place candidates in the field and get busy.

All leaders of the principal parties are expected to be candidates again — four in the western Canada and one in Quebec.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King has announced he will seek re-election in Prince Albert, Sask., the riding he has represented since 1911. John Bracken, Progressive Conservative National leader, will run for a seat in the Commons, probably in Ws. Man., and M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, will seek re-election in Rosetown-Biggar, Sask. John Blackmore, Social Credit leader, and Liberal Lethbridge, Alta., and Alistair Raymond, Bloc Populaire leader, Beauharnois-Laprairie, Que.

If Mr. King either by a delayed election or by winning the election should still be prime minister on June 4 he will have held that post longer than any other Canadian. Sir Wilfrid Laurier exceeded Sir John L. MacDonald's record of 18 years, 11 months and 26 days.

KANGAROO COURT MARTIAL RESULTS IN DEATH OF TWO

Medicine Hat Camp For War Prisoners Scene of Savage Act In July 1943

Lethbridge, Alta., Feb. 8 — (CP)—The murder of two German prisoners of war by fellow captives following a "kangaroo court martial" at Medicine Hat, Alta., prisoner camp, was disclosed today in a newspaper story in the Lethbridge Herald.

The newspaper said information about the murders became known shortly after they were committed in July, 1943, or September, 1944, but could not be revealed until now owing to censorship regulations.

The two "slayers" were a middle aged German trooper, was hanged on an improvised scaffold inside one of the camp compound buildings. The second, found dead in his bunk, was believed to have been strangled.

The Herald said it learned the hanging victim was sentenced to death after he made derogatory remarks about Hitler and voiced the opinion Germany was sure to lose the war.

A secret trial, known as a "kangaroo court martial" was convened at which members of the Gestapo were reported to have been leading part.

Shortly after the trial a crude scaffold was erected in one of the large camp halls. The executioner used planks found in camp and beams from the barracks benches. Electric wire, torn from a fixture,

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BROAD PASIG R. FRONT LINE IN HEART OF MANILA

Scenes of Wanton Destruction in Liberated Sector North of River

By FRED HAMPSON
(By Wireless to Canadian Press)

Manila, Feb. 8 — (AP) — The Pasig River, its bridges blown up by a desperate foe, is the new front line today in the heart of Manila in a town ravaged by sporadic house-to-house fighting, with the last organized and great fires set by Japanese suicide squads.

The sprawled and blackened bodies of Japs and Filipinos and enormous casualties so far accounted for on Luzon, dotted scenes of wanton destruction in the liberated sectors north of the river. South of it, demolition groups search for more fires.

The liberating Americans, whose Luzon casualties total 7,016, are superior in armored might and have a monopoly in air and naval power but only desire to save as much as possible of this pearl of the Orient.

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The Kleve attack was made from "well below 5,000 feet", was announced by A.C.-in-C. Communique as highly concentrated and accurate.

Canadian losses were not given. Installations Hit

While the bombers hit these two targets, a large force of R.A.F. Mosquitos struck at railway yards and communications centres — Hamm, Krefeld, Mainz, Osnabrueck, Bonn, Hannover, Duesseldorf and Duisburg. The attacks were staggered over a 2 1-2 hour period and kept half of Germany on the alert until after midnight.

At Air Ministry said 13 aircraft of bomber command and two of fighter command planes were missing from the operations last night.

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MASS ONSLAUGHT PERHAPS PRELUDE TO GROUND DRIVE

Strong Force Bombs Troops Between Rhine and Weser

London, Feb. 8. (CP)—R.A.F. Lancasters blasted German E-boat shelters at Ijmuiden on the west coast of Holland with 12,000-pound earthquake bombs and smashed this hideout by daylight for the second time in two days.

Spitfires escorted the bombers across the North Sea. No enemy planes were encountered and the attacking force returned.

The Air Ministry announced that Italy-based American heavy bombers had returned to the Vienna area, following up their attack on oil refineries there yesterday.

The German radio issued a series of air raid warnings reporting bomber activity at Bonn, Munster, over the Nordhausen area, Hannover, Brunswick, Bremen and Hannover as well as over Holland.

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The position is that the only place where the Siegfried Line had been really smashed is at Aachen where the penetration is months old.

The only movement which, by any stretch of the imagination could be called a break-through, is that in the northwest of Pruem, where troops of the United States 3rd Army yesterday captured the small villages of Honifeld, Schleich and Hesscheid, all three miles northwest of Pruem in an advance of 3/4 miles.

This actually brings 3rd Army troops on a narrow front of perhaps only 1,000 yards near Schleich, the steel and concrete line of pillboxes which was the Siegfried Line as it was plotted and constructed by military strategists years ago.

The Americans are attacking the Siegfried Line as it is, and as it was first built, and there is a world of difference between the two.

The Siegfried Line as such is a tough proposition.

Consisting of a mounting four rows of dragons' teeth and pillboxes sound to provide security in modern warfare, the Germans added hundreds of additions to the depth of the line and, in places, changing the area northwest of Pruem.

It is in that area that the old line is thinnest, because the ground is so wooded, rough and hilly and easy to defend that concrete pillboxes are not as necessary as in more open country.

In the hills, ravines and forests, artificial obstacles have been built and their conquest will be difficult.

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Moscow Says 'Berlin in Panic Witnessing Smashing of Last Obstacle in its Forefront'

Seven Bridgeheads Secured In Sector East of Berlin

London, Feb. 8 —(CP)— The Moscow radio said today the "Oder Line has been pierced and Berlin in panic is witnessing the crumbling of the last obstacle in its forefield."

A prior broadcast by an American chain commentator said Marshal Stalin's casualties were heavy expecting an official announcement that the 1st White Russian Army had established seven bridgeheads across the river in force, "signifying the complete breakdown of the Oder Line."

Berlin accounts said the Russians had hammered out seven bridgeheads on the Berlin front, one of them 90 miles northeast of the capital, and a dozen others along 186 miles of the river from Raitbor in Silesia to Crossen, 50 miles southeast of Frankfurt.

Mass S.S. Troops in Capital.

The Moscow radio said Heinrich Himmler had massed S.S. troops in the capital, Roads south and west of Berlin were reported jammed with traffic of refugees in flight.

While Marshal Stalin had not confirmed the breaking of the Oder line on the Berlin front, Soviet advices said Marshal Gregory Zhukov's massed artillery was pounding at the weakest link of the capital's defense, the low western bank of the Oder between Kustrin and Stettin, where it turns northward to Berlin.

Berlin said one bridgehead was at Kustrin, 40 miles south of Kuestrin and 41 miles east of Berlin.

The broadcast from Moscow said Himmler had been entrusted with the defense of Berlin and a defence council had been formed in the city.

Gauleiter Goebbels, originally entrusted with the city's defense, has fled to southern Germany, Moscow declared. The Germans yesterday denied that Goebbels had left Berlin. Moscow backed out the statement that the battle on the approaches of the stream and told only of the liquidation of German pockets on the east side of Oder.

But Moscow dispatches said Kuestrin, 40 miles east of Berlin and one of the chief fortified centres of the Oder defence system, was about to fall, with Soviet communiques stating in the streets under cover from artillery fire. Kustrin was only two miles from the northern outskirts.

The Soviet communique, telling of the Kustrin battle, said in a single day on the central Oder front Red Army troops had broken into the "fortified region of Kustrin."

The crucial Oder river battle which may decide the fate of Berlin, was fought mainly, Moscow said, on the Kustrin front.

Under Concentric Attack.

German military commentators said Kuestrin was under "concentric attack by strong Russian formations."

The Russian communique, announcing victories northwest of Kuestrin where the low western bank of the Oder offers the least obstacle to the storming of German's last natural defence line in the east, said Ait-Drvetin, southern suburb of Kuestrin had been captured.

South of Kuestrin and the Warta rivers, Zhukov's men captured Kuestrinkir, the Russian-German battlefield of 1759 three miles south of Frankfurt.

Reports later than the Russian communique said the Russians had gone on and fought on into the suburbs of Frankfurt—perhaps the suburb of Dammvorstadt, a mile and a half from Frankfurt and connected with the main city by a 90-foot bridge.

Autitz, nine miles south of Frankfurt, also fell.

Obersinndt, Zhukov was broadening the base of his east-bank wedge for an all-out operation against Berlin. He appeared to have gained complete control of the east bank from Pyritz, 97 miles north of Berlin, east of Berlin, to Zaekerik — a stretch of more than 50 miles.

The Germans told of at least seven Soviet bridgeheads across this reach f the river and said heavy artillery moved into one bridgehead between Kustrin and Frankfurt had the Kustrin-Berlin railway in range.

Implying that the main battle for the enemy capital was well under way, the German radio said Soviet heavy artillery was shelling the Berlin-Kuestrin railway.

Earlier the Russians had announced that 15,460 Germans were killed during the fighting between Monday and Tuesday and named the commanders of four top-ranking colonels among them.

36 Towns Captured.

Russian front now more than 50 towns in their drive yesterday on Silesia, south of the Berlin area, on Berlin, where Marshal Ivan S. Konev and Berlin admitted the Soviet advance west of the Oder.

The German radio said this drive by Marshal Konev's 1st Ukraine Army was aimed against the industrial area of Schwiedinitz, 40 miles southeast of Breslau and Breslau on the Oder.

Fires still raged under Soviet siege with no further Moscow or Berlin reports of developments in that area. Berlin reported the Russians had evacuated Steinau, north of Breslau, but this was not confirmed by the Russians.

Eastward fight wing, slashing toward Stettin, was reported by the Russians to have taken a town then lost Pyritz, 22 miles southwest of Stettin, and 97 miles north of Berlin.

The Germans said all Russian attempts to wipe out the German garrisons in Kuestrin, Glogau, Posen, and Prussian capital, Posnan in Western Silesia, had failed. Intensive scarred capital of Hungary, had been repulsed yesterday.

Limited Offensive Stalled Against Great Resistance

By NOLAND NORGAARD
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Rome, Feb. 8 — The limited offensive of United States forces on the 5th Army front in the mountainous southeast of Bologna was stalled today against strongly fortified and heavily defended enemy positions, the Allied High Command announced.

The infantry were halted after forcing their way forward up to 400 yards during two days of bitter fighting, but the mountainous terrain made difficult by a sudden thaw in the Apennines mountains.

Attacking troops gained the crest of one ridge but were forced to dig in and have engaged against counter-attacking German troops yesterday.

German resistance to the attack, which opened Monday, was prompt and vigorous and included artillery support.

Enemy resistance stiffened also in the Serchio valley near the west coast, where the town of Colle was taken. Fifth Army units lost some ground in the north of Castelnuovo but regained it in a new thrust and beat off several enemy counter-attacks.

A report from headquarters of Lt.-Gen. Lucian K. Truscott, commander of the 5th Army, said the American attack resulting the base of Ortega ridge nine miles southeast of Castelnuovo and seven miles by road to the south of the Serchio River highway — via Emilia — on Tuesday night.

Weather Forecast

Lake Superior: Fair and cold in east portion today; Friday, fresh to strong winds and snowflurries; somewhat milder with light snowfalls or flurries.

Kenora and Rainy River: Strong winds; mostly cloudy and becoming milder today and Friday with light snowfalls or flurries.

Manitoba: Strong winds; cloudy and milder with light snowfalls or flurries Friday. Fresh to strong winds; generally fair and somewhat milder.

Coming Events

BELLEVILLE MUNICIPAL BAND will present concert in St. Michael's Auditorium, Sunday, Feb. 11th, 8.15 p.m. Silver collection.

BINGO. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS regular Bingo, Thursday, Feb. 8th, at 8 p.m. Prizes as we have had the past few weeks. Come and have an evening of bingo in our spacious and comfortable club rooms. Regular admission 25c for 25 games.

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TEA AND SALE OF HOME COOKING, Friday, February 9, 4 to 6, at the home of Mrs. E. Pigeon, 286 Charles St. Auspices of W.M.S. of Asbury Methodist Church. FI-2t

City and District News

BROTHER OF LOCAL RESIDENT DIES IN ENG.

Announcement of the death of Mr. Harry Bellon, 73, of Worthing, England, has been received here by his sister, Mrs. Albert Ayling, 43 Market Street. His death marks the first break in the family circle, the oldest of whom is 76 years of age.

Mr. Bellon died suddenly from shock when R.A.F. planes crashed his plane into a Brighton pier to prevent injury to people on the streets. He previously had suffered with a heart condition.

DISTRICT SOLDIERS RETURN ON FURLOUGH

Several district soldiers were included in the last second quota of soldiers returning from the battlefields of Europe on furlough. Among those who arrived in Kingston on Wednesday were: CQMS. F. H. Alexander, Madoc; Sgt. A. W. Carr, Picton; Sgt. W. C. Harrison, Picton; Sgt. R. J. LaPalm, Madoc; Pte. E. Howarth, Picton; Pte. H. J. Monk, Corbyville; Corporal of Nourse, Picton; Corporal A S. Sobie, Amelisburg, and Pte. W. C. Wentworth, Trenton.

SOUTH HASTINGS DISTRICT Y.P.U. ENJOYS SKATING PARTY

Approximately 200 young people, the greater majority of them members of the South Hastings District Y.P.U. forgot their everyday responsibilities Wednesday evening to enjoy themselves at their annual skating party which was held in the Stirling arena.

The arena rafters re-echoed to the scrape of the skate and to the laughter of the merriskaters until approximately ten o'clock when the young people retired to the Hall's Sunday School where a brief social time and refreshments were enjoyed.

President of the district union, Mr. Ray Gunsolus of Belleville, presided over the meeting in the Sunday School room and called upon Miss Margaret Phillips to lead the group in a delightful singsong. Miss Ana English acted as pianist for the occasion. Miss Annie Clare favored with two well-rendered solos, the latter of which much of hot dogs and coffee was served.

CHILD RUNS INTO SIDE OF MOTOR CAR

Running into the side of a moving automobile, little Jackie Kennedy, residing at 371½ Isabel St., was knocked to the street at the intersection of Victoria Ave. and Front St. yesterday. Fortunately for the lad, he was not hurt badly and returned to his home. Pc. J. Dalbart, 80 Highland Ave., reported the incident to the city police headquarters assuring the authorities the child had not been seriously injured.

Obituary

MICHAEL JOHN CALLAHAN

The funeral of Michael John Callahan, late residence, 202 Bleecker Avenue, took place from the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street, on Wednesday afternoon to St. Michael's Church, where Father Lyons was sung by the Rev. Father C. E. Gauthier. Pall bearers were honorary pall bearers at St. James' cemetery.

The following war veterans acted as pall bearers: Sergt. Major Slocum, Gerald Pointer, Erwin Sligh, Frank Post, Marshall Day and James Wilson.

LATE WILLIAM CURRY (Formerly at Tweed)

The funeral on Saturday afternoon the funeral of William Curry, formerly of Tweed and lately of Thurlow Township, took place from the Pinkston Funeral Home, Church Street, to Tweed Cemetery, and the service in the chapel was conducted by the Rev. E. Pyper-Hall.

Interment took place at Belleville cemetery.

It Pays to Shop
At the Rexall Store.

Baby Needs

—Pablum ..... 45c.
—Lactogen 75c. $1.30
—Mellen Foods ..... 3 for 25c.
—Nipo Baby Bottle ..... 3 for 25c
—Pyrex Bottle ..... 25c.
—Taffy Bottle Caps 15c
—Johnson's Baby Oil .. 60c, $1.10
—Johnson's Baby Soap 15c
—Rubber Sheeting $1.25
—Nuricia 25c, 40c
—Johnson's Powder 25c, 45c
—Teething Powders 25c
—Plastic Teething Rings 15c

McKEOWN'S DRUG STORE

Tenants of Shared Accommodations Now Enjoy Possession Rights

It has been announced by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, effective February 1 that tenants of shared accommodations and rooms in Kingston and Trenton now enjoy rights in regard to possession similar to those granted tenants in other parts of Canada.

This means that landlords renting shared accommodations and rooms must not terminate a tenancy except on Board forms and the notice must be in writing. Such notice can only be given if the landlord or his family or the quarters himself or a member of his family is required.

It was further explained that a tenant whose presence is considered inconvenient may be required to vacate under provincial law. In such cases landlords must obtain an order from a Court of Rentals Appeals Officer, Kingston to evict tenants under this clause.

Further information in regard to these rights and to the rental order may be obtained from the Wartime Prices and Trade Board office at Belleville.

Police Blotter

Burglary broke and entered the residence of Mrs. M. Graham, 172 Albert St., some time during last evening and after ransacking the premises stole $1.50 from a bureau drawer. The break-in during the while lady Graham was visiting friends in the city last evening.

A pair of skates and boots were stolen from a building jacked up on the proposed city esplanade yesterday afternoon. The skates were left in a motor car owned by Floyd Mayhew, 198 Dundas St., police were informed.

Two bicyclists shared the police station clock last night with an equal number of transients last night.

TWO AIRMEN KILLED

Point Fortune, Que., Feb. 8 (CP) —P/O. J. C. Jacman of Dafoe, Sask., flying instructor, and a student pilot, were killed yesterday when their training crashed into a snow-covered field three here from a height of 2,000 feet.

FIRST GREAT WAR SCOURGE

During the first First Great War, typhus killed 10,000 people in an months in Siberia.

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C.N.R. Vets Ship 53,100 Fags Overseas in Jan.

Although it is the largest establishment of its kind in Canada, regularly supplying smokes for long boys overseas, officials of the Canadian National Railways' cigarette fund are not letting the grass grow under their feet, and during the month of January have shipped a total of 53,100 cigarettes, servicemen and prisoners of war in Germany.

And the boys overseas are really appreciative of the smokes they receive, judging by the letter of appreciation as is indicated by the many cards and letters received by Mr. Albert Jones, chairman of the fund, thanking him for the splendid service during the past year and trusting the smokes will continue to be forthcoming.

Bill Morgan writes "Thanks a million for the cigarettes you sent me, came at the right time. We were having a Christmas party, 'Bit of us and we were all out of smokes until we received your cigarettes from the C.N.R. fund. From then on, believe me, those cigarettes were the life of the party."

"I was on my way to Paris, on leave when I received your parcel, a present of cigs, many thanks," wrote Sgt. Bill Bennett. "I am now in Paris is a pretty place, but give me good old Belleville. Keep the cigarettes coming."

Expense of sending these cigarettes, cutting out the middle man through contributions from the women's club of the C.N.R. Vets organization and appreciation to his employers for help to the project is R. E. Pigden, who recently expressed by the veterans' president, Mr. Albert Jones.

Commenting on the replies received from overseas, Mr. Jones stated these letters and cards showed that what work is agricultural and encouraging a good job, well done."

'Friday Is Stamp Day' In Campaign

To back up our forces on the fighting battle fronts it is up to Canadians on the home front to provide the munitions needed to produce the weapons and other needed equipment.

That is why the Food Industry of Canada has been requested by the government to announce a nation wide "Friday is Stamp Day" campaign, when the sale of war savings stamps is the objective set for this particular effort and the grocery public in Belleville and district is asked to do their rightful share.

The objective for Friday and district is $4,000 stamps or $16,000 in bonds, and it is intended that customers will play their part in reaching the objective, 100 per cent. effective.

The Food Industry has pleaded its complete support to the "Friday is Stamp Day" drive and throughout the campaign which will continue until March 9th store personnel will play their part in asking customers to purchase war saving stamps with their orders.

So, please bring an extra quarter or two along for war savings stamps on Friday and for each succeeding Friday and for each succeeding week during the period of the campaign. Remember, every quarter spent is a rental of one bullet and speed the victorious return of Canadian sons and daughters!

ONLY PLACE

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To the north, around Schaidten and Gemund, southeast of Aachen the country is more difficult to defend, and the Germans have two defence zones there. The Americans, however, have not reached it, but have hardly started to tackle the second pillbox formations and undoubtedly there are fixed defences all the way to the Rhine.

The description of the Siegfried Line was given at supreme headquarters of the army.

In the sector east of Monschau the Siegfried Line is built in two zones. The western zone follows the line of the frontier and has been penetrated for the whole of its length north of Ramscheid.

The second or eastern zone is based on the line of the Olef River through Schleiden and Gemund, and following the general bearing of the line of the River Roer reservoirs and is continued northwards through the Hurtgen Forest.

At the southern end of the Forest it has considerable depth. On the west side of the Roer River in the vicinity of the Schmidt and Berg sectors.

Between these two zones east of Monschau are defenses which have been overrun. American troops now are in contact with the principal defences of the eastern zone near Schleiden and Gemund.

Farther to the northwest, American troops now are engaged with strong defences in the industrial, and north of Schmidt.

It is therefore apparent that this description does not take into consideration the fact that numerous additional defences have been prepared during the last few months to the east of the original Siegfried Line.

QUITE A JOB
Plumbing is the business of getting water where it is wanted and how it is wanted, and then getting it away again.

800 Members of Argyll Regt. Have Joined the Active Army

Sergeants Are Entertained by the Officers of Regiment at Dinner

Eight hundred men including officers serving with the 2nd battalion of the Argyll Light Infantry (Thistle) to the number of 800 men, Active Army it was revealed at a dinner and entertainment for the officers, sergeants and prisoners of war in Germany.

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The Food Industry has pleaded its complete support to the "Friday is Stamp Day" drive and throughout the campaign which will continue until March 9th store personnel will play their part in asking customers to purchase war saving stamps with their orders.

So, please bring an extra quarter or two along for war savings stamps on Friday and for each succeeding Friday and for each succeeding week during the period of the campaign. Remember, every quarter spent is a rental of one bullet and speed the victorious return of Canadian sons and daughters!

ONLY PLACE

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To the north, around Schaidten and Gemund, southeast of Aachen the country is more difficult to defend, and the Germans have two defence zones there. The Americans, however, have not reached it, but have hardly started to tackle the second pillbox formations and undoubtedly there are fixed defences all the way to the Rhine.

The description of the Siegfried Line was given at supreme headquarters of the army.

In the sector east of Monschau the Siegfried Line is built in two zones. The western zone follows the line of the frontier and has been penetrated for the whole of its length north of Ramscheid.

The second or eastern zone is based on the line of the Olef River through Schleiden and Gemund, and following the general bearing of the line of the River Roer reservoirs and is continued northwards through the Hurtgen Forest.

At the southern end of the Forest it has considerable depth. On the west side of the Roer River in the vicinity of the Schmidt and Berg sectors.

Between these two zones east of Monschau are defenses which have been overrun. American troops now are in contact with the principal defences of the eastern zone near Schleiden and Gemund.

Farther to the northwest, American troops now are engaged with strong defences in the industrial, and north of Schmidt.

It is therefore apparent that this description does not take into consideration the fact that numerous additional defences have been prepared during the last few months to the east of the original Siegfried Line.

Contributors To Kinsmen Fag Fund Thanked

Personal contributions to assure the continued shipment of Canadian cigarettes to Belleville boys serving with the forces under the auspices of the Kinsmen Fag Fund were thanked by Harold Greer, this month, according to statistics received from the Kinsmen Club here today. "It is only through voluntary contributions from various prospects sponsored by the Kinsmen, that the regular shipments of cigarettes to Belleville boys overseas," explained Fag Fund Chairman.

Scores of replies were received from overseas, many of them expressing thanks for the cigarettes already received and adding hope for the receipt of more in the future. "It's a great job the Kinsmen are doing for us boys over here," wrote A. R. Robinson. "Cannot tell you how I feel here in the cold winter of Holland," added Bombardier Bailey, while scores of others added similar sentiments.

The list of Belleville boys sent Christmas parcels by the Fag Fund: W. Bell, Albert Benford, Mac Bonter, Cyril Bull, Ken Bull, Lt. Col. Carlton, Bob Chadwick, John M. Clarke, J. W. E. Cook, W. D. Cook, A. W. Cook, Lt. Col. Cornell, Lt. Col. Dafoe, W. Day, D. J. Dell, E. Democrat, H. Dewey, Lt. Col. Donnelly, Lt. Col. Donaldson, Earl Fraser, Bill Fulton, Bill Gaudaur, Bill Gay, Bill Hall, W. E. Hall, A. Hansen, Floyd Henry, Bill Hicks, L. Hopkins, W. Jungo, Doug Latimer, H. N. Lloyd, D. Lovering, N. Lyon, H. A. Magee, Charles Mallory, Bill Mallory, Lt. J. R. Miller, D. Moncrieff, H. W. Moore, Lt. Col. Mumford, J. P. Sangster, Bill Sexsmith, W. C. Sharpe, Archibald and Premier Stalin Smith, Andy Soderberg, A. Ostler, J. S. Stock, Jack Thomas, P. E. Thomas, Lt. Col. E. E. Turnbull, F. Yorke, H. Ashton, Jim Follwell, G. D. Hall, W. H. Hall, L. R. Rowbotham, Prisoner of War J. A. Smith.

Previously acknowledged	10,363.75
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Mr. Flesher	2.00
A. Friend	2.50
Mrs. Ashmore	4.00
Mrs. Ashmore	1.00
A. Friend	5.00
Don Williams	1.00
Recreation Bowlers	50.00
Conference pupils	4.00
Collection Boxes	21.00
	$10,460.75

MASS ONSLAUGHT

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and an attack by fighter-escorted bombarders on objectives in the Ruhr yesterday afternoon.

2,000 Sorties.

The attack in the Italian theatre carried out more than 2,000 sorties against German rail and oil supply hubs yesterday in their most active day recently, but also suffered their largest recorded loss in planes.

The bombing and strafing attacks were directed against the repeatedly-hit Brenner Pass rail line, the Vienna area and oil targets. The Vienna attack carried out by more than 800 heavy bombers.

Thirty-seven planes in the day's toll in Northern Italy of 146 planes destroyed, five locomotives and 115 railcars. Rail lines were cut in 53 places.

NO HOTEL ACCOMMODATION IN OTTAWA

Ottawa, Feb. 8 — (CP)—Conductor Dimitri Mitropoulos and the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra surrounded by instrument cases and luggage dejectedly kicked their heels in a hotel lobby here yesterday after an unsuccessful search for accommodation. The orchestra's special capital. The conductor and his 85 musicians left town immediately after a scheduled concert last night. Their next stop is Kingston.

COURT PRESIDENT KILLED

Stockholm, Feb. 8 (AP)—Swedish correspondents reported last night that Roland Freisler, President of Hitler's People's Court, which has sentenced thousands of Germany's enemies to death, was killed in Saturday's great air raid on Berlin.

UNLETTERED LANGUAGE

Many Scottish words are the scores of dialects spoken by Mexican Indians.

HUXLEY HOPES

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This involves the future of Germany. We have proclaimed we are not fighting her people, but that we should not preclude our making terrorist enslavement for the sake of future security. I hope the idea of splitting up what is left of Germany into a number of separate nations will be turned down, as it is bound to, as being both a solution to last.

Much more important is the economic future of Germany. We cannot allow Germany to build up great armament potential ever again. But neither can we afford to keep Germany's production to too low a level.

Most Needs on Valley.

This dilemma must be discussed and some policy decided on. The Russians, I would appear, even the hardest possible peace. If so they will, I hope, abandon Stalin's to the idea that even Germans must have something to live and work for.

On the political side, I hope the question of an alternative Government for Germany be discussed, and I expect that the Free Germans now in Russia under Von Paulus will be brought forward. Whether such a government, to be proclaimed in the event of the continued hostility of the Allied bands, Alternatively, a government of Germans which might have the duty of tackling the difficulties among the Allied and foreign powers.

4.—A system of Advisory Committees for dealing with the problems of territories where the authority of a Government is challenged until such time as elections can be held.

5.—Agreement on the need for alleviating human suffering throughout the liberated areas as rapidly as possible, with emphasis on industrial conditions of the countries so that communities may once more function effectively.

BIG THREE PLANS

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from the King and Queen to visit London while en route to the conference.

Washington, Feb. 8 (AP)—Big Three plans for joint political action in the Pacific are expected here within the week.

Calling for active American participation in Pacific peace settlements, they will mark the beginning of a new phase in United States foreign policy.

The plans are being worked out by President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Premier Stalin in an historic conference now believed to be at least half-finished throughout at the White House.

Presumably the meeting is on Pacific problems, with the Prime Minister, in order to allow Marshal Stalin and Chiefs of Staff more supervision of Red Army operations.

A joint announcement late yesterday by the heads of the three conference, was released in London and Moscow as well as from the White House. This finally put the Pacific war on an equal footing with the European war.

Further south, the 11th Airborne Division took Dasbourg in a half mile advance yesterday, while along the Sure and Our remained sturdy. Two more counter-attacks were repulsed in the area of the Siegfried penetration, a half mile north of Wallendorf.

CAPTURE SCHMIDT

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outflanked the road and rail centre of 2,500. Due north of Pruem, a German counter-attack failed after crossing the Schnee Eifel Road and the power station at Prueum Forest, two miles from the town. The 4th Division advanced a half mile to a point less than seven miles southwest. The 90th took Hollnich and Auw, capture of Siegfried pillbox.

The Germans put in four counter-attacks in company strength with tanks in the Pruem area. All were repulsed.

Front dispatches reported no movement of the 1st Army sectors. Fresh reinforcements are being brought into the Aachen area of Germany opposite Luxembourg, but the troops across the divided Sure and Our Rivers remained out and widened their lodgements. Front dispatches said the 90th Division took Wallendorf on the border at the confluence of the two rivers.

Yank Deadeye

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KNOWN IN LUTHER'S TIME

The Hungarian city of Debrecen was known as "Christian Rome" during the Lutheran Reformation.

BIRTH

CULHANE — In Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday, February 7th, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Culhane, a son.

DEATHS

LYNCH, Ethel — Suddenly at her home, 19 Wayland Avenue, Toronto, on Tuesday, February 6th, 1940, Ethel Monahan, beloved wife of Vincent Lynch, dear mother of Mary, Eileen, Margaret, Rita, Bernard, Vincent, Terence, James, John and Lawrence.

Resting at her home until 9.30 a.m. Friday, Requiem Mass at St. John's Church at 9 a.m. Interment Mount Hope Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

BAILEY — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Bailey, who passed away February 8th, 1944.
The golden gates were opened,
A gentle voice said "come."
And with farewells unspoken
She calmly entered home.
—Ever remembered by daughter, Ferne and family.

CARD OF THANKS

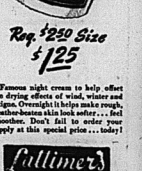
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hay and Mr. and Mrs. Selburne Woolver and family wish to express appreciation and sincere thanks to their relatives, friends and neighbours for acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes extended us in our recent bereavement in the loss of a dear father, brother and husband, Frank Rev. H. O. Eastman, Dr. Miles, Mr. Wood, Miss McMullen and Miss Davis.

ANNUAL MEETING
WOMEN'S PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE ASS'N.
Friday, February 9th at 8 p.m.
CLUB ROOMS — FRONT STREET
ELECTION OF OFFICERS — POLITICAL DIALOGUE — REPORT OF TORONTO CONVENTION.
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Mess Room Chatter Of Canada's Airmen

With the R.C.A.F. Overseas, Feb. 4 (CP)—Two Canadian instructors at an R.A.F. Coastal Command Sunderland flying boat training unit in Scottish took a crew of R.A.F. airmen pupils on a routine anti-submarine patrol and ran into some unexpected excitement.

The big British aircraft was attacked by a Nazi aircraft. The Junkers was believed damaged in the fight but the Sunderland won't.

F/O. C. R. Ulrick of Hillcrest, Alta., 24-year-old flying instructor, was at the controls and F/O. R. A. McDonald of St. Andrews West, Ont., was gunnery leader.

The JU88 pounced on the Sunderland in broad daylight soon after the patrol started. Enemy tracer was passing underneath the flying boat when one of the R.A.F. pupils opened fire from the rear turret. His fired 800 rounds and could see his tracer going into the enemy aircraft. The Nazi broke off the engagement.

A Saskatchewan pilot with an R.A.F. Mosquito squadron of Coastal Command participated in a recent shipping strike which left an enemy merchantman burning in waters.

"As we approached the target we passed over a small town and German heavy flak batteries opened up at us, together with the ships and light shore batteries," said F/O. Lamont of Bradwell.

"The leaders had to fly through a box-barrage of flak but by the time the house in had raised our Harnett said it was impossible to get a clear picture of the results of the attack since in breaking off the Gord engagement the planes turned out to sea over an 1,800-foot high.

Equipment officer with a mobile Typhoon airfield in Holland is Fl. Lt. A. George Broomfield, 21-year-old Toronto artist who has been elected to membership in the Royal Canadian Academy as a result of paintings during his three years overseas.

He did several while stationed in Newfoundland, one of the better known being "Near Gander", which was exhibited across Canada. His other works have been illustrative of the work of Bomber Command in Britain.

Real turkey dinners with nuts and all the other trimmings were served to British troops in the Burma Jungles, thanks to Canadian airmen.

Many Canadians are flying in the Dakota transport formations which played airborne Santa Claus to the front-line fighters. Three Canadians of them made up an extra Christmas holiday ration—not very much but very appreciated—for the extra half pound of margarine, half pound of sugar and 11 cents' worth extra, of meat brightening the food treat for Britain's sixth war Christmas.

And the very fact that the stores are open and broken up once for all has a significance that made the sixth a brighter and more hopeful Christmas than any of Britain's past five wartime celebrations.

Three Canadians 'Mentioned' For Attempt To Save

London, Feb. 8 — (CP Cable) — Three Canadian airmen who sought to keep the crew of a four-engined bomber after it plunged out of control in a house in northern England and then dashed into the blazing wreckage of the house in an effort also to save two occupants have been mentioned in dispatches, it was announced today.

The airmen, members of the R.C.A.F., Flight Lieut. Graydon, of Ft. Sgt. James Irwin, Liberty, Sask., Ont., and Cpl. Arthur Townsley, Toronto.

They were returning to their station from a dance when they saw the aircraft strike the house. Disregarding the exploding ammunition and signal flares, the three climbed into the burning aircraft and carried out the crew. All but one, they had been thrown clear were killed.

From the bomber they rushed into the blazing house but all they could do was remove the bodies of several children.

"Fl. Sgt. Irwin did what I think was a super-human feat," said Cpl. Townsley.

"We had lifted a fallen section of brick wall to reach one of the bodies of children. Irwin held it up while I crawled underneath and got a child's body out. It took the three of us to get that section of the wall, yet Jim held it up alone while we were under it."

The War Today— Signs of Impending Hun Collapse Offer Emergency Opportunity

By DeWITT MACKENZIE
(AP War Analyst)

If General Eisenhower isn't on the verge of a mighty offensive against the German Rhine defenses, he certainly is giving a most convincing imitation of breaking with such intention.

The supreme spokesman says there's no doubt the storm is about to break. Allied fighting men stand on or inside the Siegfried Line along a 400-mile line, from Roermond in the north to war-blasted Saarbrucken in the south.

All this runs counter to what one would expect under normal conditions, because this is a bad time of year for a major attack.

Snow, Floods and deep mud have turned the terrain into a nightmare. The fighting weather is vile. In short, unless Eisenhower were impelled by some great emergency, one bodies representing to undertake an all-out offensive before the end of winter in the spring.

Looking across at the eastern front we see a similar phenomenon. There the Muscovites would, under normal circumstances, be on the move when they reached the strong German defences along the river Oder. But the Red Armies are continuing their onslaught all along the line, fighting at a mighty offensive against the German Pomeranian defences. It certainly is giving a most convincing imitation of breaking with such intention.

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BROAD PASIG R.

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The fate of these Japanese was sealed by the presence of the United States 11th Airborne Division further south. These troops, 8 1/2 miles south of the Pasig were held up, however, by a stiff scrap around Ichinichi airfield at Suburban Pasay, near Manila Bay.

Corregidor Invaded

Out in the bay, the guardian fortress of Corregidor, which the Japanese use as holding to deny American naval entry into the great harbor, was pounded again by 204 tons of explosives dropped by 100-engined bombers.

Across the bay at Bataan, a grim jungle fight at the peninsula base between United States 38th Division forces and well-concealed Japanese was reported.

Fires set by the enemy north of the Pasig River Monday night were smouldering but other fires started up Wednesday south of the river—that part of Manila best known to tourists. The south of the city includes the Manila hotel, the Army and Navy Club and the High Commissioner's residence.

London Letter

By CHARLES BRUCE
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 8. (CP)—Formation of an academy of medicine, unifying the many bodies representing academic aspects of the profession, is being vigorously discussed in the noted British doctors.

The project was urged in the Times by Sir Stewart Duke-Elder, surgeon-oculist to the King, endorsed by Lord Dawson of Penn, former president of the Royal College of Physicians, and Dr. Charles Webb-Johnson, president of the Royal College of Surgeons, and viewed with some reservation by Lord Moran, current president of the R.C.P.

Apart from its academic aspects, Canada has an indirect interest, since the home of the R.C.P. adjoins Canada House on Trafalgar Square, and acquisition of the Medical Building as a new extension of the Dominion's offices is regarded as a post-war project.

Sir Stewart Duke-Elder urged uniting up an authoritative body to foster scientific progress, maintain professional standards, and stimulate research. He said liberated countries looked to Britain for a cultural lead to replace the leadership previously exercised from Berlin, and "there is no more potent ambassador than medicine".

The essential first step toward unification would be "a brunch together on a common site of the three royal colleges—of physicians, surgeons and obstetricians and gynaecologists and of the special branches . . . of medicine might find a home together in the Palace of Pilate".

In a letter running more than a half-column in the Times Lord Moran rejected the proposal. "We all agreed", he wrote, "that there was a good deal against the three royal colleges together on the present site. In 1941 the Comitia of the R.C.P. had decided against the Bomb-damaged Inn Fields site, and settled Poller had been in case of a move, that R.C.P. should rebuild "on a site . . . say, in the Regent's Park area". (In the North London constituency of Islington, Inn Fields, the R.C.S. had everything to gain and nothing to lose. "If the sister college is willing to consider alternative sites, it would be a notable contribution to a cause which we in common have at heart."

But, he went on "It is one thing to try to bring the three colleges on to one site. It is quite another to try to submerge their identity in a so-called academy of medicine. The history of the Royal College of Physicians, which has kept all its records for four and a half centuries, is part of the history of England. To destroy these traditions in the hope of new emporium is surely to be a little lacking in the historic sense".

Britain's Food Store Used In Invasion

(By Brenda Bendixsen, in the Vancouver Daily Province)

The latest now-it-can-be-told war story to come out of Britain is that of her 20,000 "shadow larders"—the vast, hidden stores of food which were established from 1940 on to feed the British and keep them fighting if they were cut off lately from their normal supplies by German invasion. At the height these stocks reached 54,000 tons, which were distributed in 20,000 scattered points in small towns and villages in a county "invasion belt" stretching about 20 miles inland.

Only now, with the announcement that the food is at last to be collected and distributed among the regular food stocks, is the full extent of the preparations revealed. Until now, the details have been one of the most closely-guarded secrets of the war, although some 10,000 members of the "shadow larder Army" who were responsible for the collection of the food—and would have been responsible for its distribution—had necessarily to know about it.

This army numbered in its ranks mechanics, railroad men, school teachers and thousands of housewives. They had no uniforms, no publicity. Their only badge, a blue arm-band with "Food" written on it, was never to be worn unless the planned-for emergency arose.

Yet behind the scenes they put in many hours of work on the shadow larders. There were rehearsals to be held every so often, usually in the village hall. Sometimes these came the women of the neighborhood to learn the procedure down to the last, but vitally-important, detail of how large a quantity they would need to carry home a five, say—or longer—supply.

Then as now a 14-pound ration per person, meant to last eight days, contained 7½ pounds of emergency crackers, 1 pound of corned beef, 7 ounces of margarine, 1 tin of condensed milk, 4 ounces of tea and a can of "pig" or stew—usually the famous "pilot" soup which the ministry of food had prepared from specially nourishing recipes. At the rehearsals all the food was duly collected on ration books and turned in again at the exit to the hall.

Between rehearsals the Food Army was kept busy seeing that the stores were in order. All the cans were inspected periodically, doubtful ones rejected and replacements made. Usually there were more than three tons of food in one place and those places varied from schools and garages to the cellars of decorated spare room of the local rectory.

The leading food officers, however, had even more than this to do. For them was the terrific job of organization which lay behind the whole plan.

What the collections must have meant in terms of limiting they already scanty food supply—as well as in terms of effort and time is hard to realize. In statistics of the civilian consumption of principal food items. The thousands of cans of condensed milk, which would have helped "fight" the Germans, would, for instance, have nicely padded the weekly milk ration which for adults was often as low as two pints. The cans of corned beef, too, could have supplemented the weekly allowance of 23 cents' worth of meat per head.

But the vital stores were never touched, although Britain was sometimes desperately short of food. All through the winter of 1942, the British were urged to eat as little as possible of that staple, of diet. Africa was taking up every available inch of shipping space, according in Parliament the following May. Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Food, Wilfred Wellock revealed just how grim the situation had been.

Now that we have the glad news that Tunisia is taken," he said, "I can say that for three months after the Germans in North Africa, the total shipping available for not only Britain but Russia barely sufficient to bring in even the small amount we ate during that period. Now, too, perhaps I honorable members will appreciate why my noble friend, the minister of food, was so anxious during the winter that we should eat potatoes, not bread."

The first time the stores were used was before the invasion of Europe when the call came through from the armed forces for the 54,000 tons of food—for "urgent operational reasons". Hour after hour, school teachers, miners and mechanics set to work to collect and dispatch the vital food. And although probably not one of them failed to realize the significance of the order, they kept as silent about Britain's invasion plans as they had for her plans should she be invaded.

Now as the Allied armies press onward against Germany, and the danger of a German invasion of England seems to be past, the stores have been built again, this time for food. All of them have been distributed among the general food supplies of the country. Some

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DRINKING UP EVIDENCE

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 8 (AP) — Three men arrested for drunkenness and a case of beer seized as evidence were loaded into a jail-bound patrol wagon. But police had to stop en route. The prisoners were drinking the evidence.

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AFTER THREE YEARS

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The Ledo Road

President Chiang Kai-Shek of China has greeted the official opening of the Ledo Road to China from India with these words, "We have broken the siege of China."

These are heroic words from the leader of China which has for long endured Japanese aggression and still keeps on fighting.

Montreal Herald speaking of the remark says that "the Generalissimo is given to brave words and bold proclamations and his bravest and boldest declarations usually prove on analysis to be based on long-range hopes. He has his potential scorn for time. His optimism is not taken by temporary adverse conditions.

"Thus the phrase quoted is symbolically true, even if the achievement of it is of limited significance from the material point of view."

The Herald quotes further from the statement:

"For this turn of events we and our Allies have paid no small price but we have proved to the enemy that neither the will power of China nor the will power of her Allies do win the war can ever be shaken. Let our soldiers fight on together with the Allied forces for the final and total victory."

China, most ancient of states, has the will to fight on. Many long since would have thought her end had come but the President from the beginning said that China cannot be beaten. His latest words after the opening of the Ledo Road confirm the truth of what he has said. China fights on and will fight "on to Tokyo."

Britain's Machine Tools

The announcement of the relaxation of British government control of machine tools, and of the purchase of all outstanding machine tools held from the United States on lend-lease, draws attention to the achievements and prospects of the British machine tool industry.

Britain being the original scene of the industrial revolution, was also the first home of machine tools, too big or too laborious for hand tools; e.g., in railway construction, shipbuilding, textile machinery. The construction of precision tools, for the mass production of smaller goods, began in America with the need for large quantities of small arms in the Civil War. Britain, while always maintaining her advantage in the manufacture of the larger machine tools, has in the past 25 years, and especially during the present war, made remarkable advances in the smaller types also.

In the initial stages of this war, American machine tools helped to remove "the bottle neck" which the shortage of tools in Britain threatened to cause to her rapidly expanding armaments production, but the British machine tool factories worked day and night, (and may have kept up this tempo throughout the war,) with the result that no less than 75% of all machine tools now in Britain are home produced. The production achievements recorded in the statistical White Paper of November, 1944, are thus an eloquent tribute to the war effort of the British machine tool industry.

Thanks to a machine tool especially designed for the job, the time taken on the process of aero-engine manufacture was reduced from 70 hours to 15 minutes. In addition to their part in British war production British machine tools have also played an important part in building production in other Allied countries, for example, Russia and India. Up to March, 1944, $36,350,000 worth of British machine tools had been sent to Russia, the number of metal cutting lathes alone amounting to 6,491 by April, 1944.

Within Germany

Twenty-three million Germans are homeless wanderers or refugees within Germany.

This is what Hitlerism and German militarism have done for Germany besides many other things. Nothing more striking than this fact should be needed to prove to the Germans how sinister has been the influence of war-making Germany upon her own people, besides what she has made the rest of the world endure.

Without fail the crime comes home to roost at last and Germany must pay. Germans accepted Hitlerism, Nazism and Prussian militarism and they fought against every human principle and every mark of progress, democracy and civilization.

Now in Germany's approaching doom, she has on her hands this straggling mass of men, women and children, creating one of the most gigantic problems by the very nature of their condition and numbers at a time when military Germany is being forced back and back towards Berlin. But of course for the government of Germany all is but a military matter and the consideration of refugee Germans won't count for militarism's iron hand and icy heart do not consider individuals. The only anxiety Hitler would have over this vast growing population of war refugees would be whether they would interfere with the war he has already lost but us still backing up with his futile speech and dwindling powers.

Nazi Germany gave itself over to the reign of selfishness, aggrandizement and loot. And where has it brought her and her people—to the judgment of the world and to suffering.

The nation that exalts selfishness and makes it the chief point in its program is doomed. Germany is that nation and Germany's woes will go on until Germany is made to realize that this has caused her defeat and troubles and until Hitlerism, Nazism and Prussian militarism and imperialism are rendered impotent by crushing defeat. Germany must be made to expiate her crimes against her neighbors and the world. The would-be conqueror must and will be conquered.

Urges White Paint on Cars

(Canadian Paint and Varnish Magazine)

"Paint unquestionably contributes materially to the prevention of accidents," says J. G. H. Foster, general manager of the Ontario Safety League, Mr. Foster in advocating the use of white paint on the rear ends of automobiles and the use of luminous paint for highway markings, says:

"I have always felt that if we could have every motor car and truck should have some white paint on the rear end. This would undoubtedly reduce the number of rear-end crashes, especially at night when vehicles are sometimes required to park on highways when out of order. A need on highways also is luminous paint to give better direction at night to drivers possessed of doubtful eyesight.

Salvage in British Waters

From the outbreak of war up to December 1944 over 2,000,000 gross tons of merchant shipping had been salved in British home waters and over 460,000 gross tons in foreign waters. These figures do not include salved warships, nor any merchant ships or landing craft salved in captured ports or beaches. This colossal task has been carried out by Britain's Admiralty Salvage Department which has been working at high pressure since the beginning of the war and in recent months has been particularly concerned with the clearance of Allied ports supplying the B.L.A.

Silenced Seer

(Chicago Daily News)

—Well, it happened.

George Bernard Shaw wrote to the editor of the London Herald that not even he knows what is going to happen in 1945.

This is the first year since 1880 for which G.B.S. couldn't call every shot.

But it took Armageddon to do it.

War Changed His Ideas

(Washington Star)

People have different ideas of what they want to do after the war. For instance, a certain man who once was notorious for his hatred of school writes home from France: "The first thing I do when I get back is to chop myself out a big hunk of education."

JUST FOLKS

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By EDGAR A. GUEST

NOSTALGIA

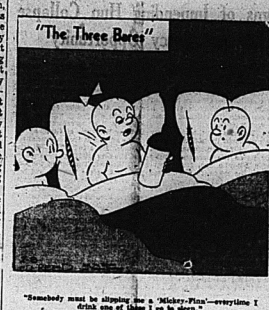
Never to feel the cold winds bite,
Never to see a field of snow,
Always to live, by day and night,
Where only the palm trees grow!
Ask of the boy on some tropic isle
What he'd give to be cold for a little while.

Never to hear the north wind moan,
Never to look on the maples bare
Or a nest with its summer tenants flown
Or a snowplow clearing a thoroughfare!
Ask of the boy in some jungle grim
How good would a snowstorm seem to him?

Never to wake to a shovel sound
Or the crunch of wheel on a frozen road,
But an earth where lizards and snakes abound
And a flimsy hut is a man's abode!
Ask of the boy in the jungle mire,
What he'd give to be home by a blazing fire.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Somebody must be slipping me a 'Mickey-Finn'—everytime I drink one of these I go to sleep."

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

February 8th, 1925.

Mr. R. Mallory, Hastings County Treasurer, was re-elected auditor for the 32nd. term of the Holstein-Friesian Association, at a meeting of the association in Toronto recently. Just before the close of the business session the Hon. W. J. Lee, on behalf of the members, presented Mr. Mallory with a gold headed cane in recognition of his long and valuable association with the organization.

The Ontario government will commence work shortly in the construction of a sewer from the O.A.D. to connect with the city of Belleville system.

Mr. Charles Walker went to Toronto today.

Mr. W. Lynch left yesterday to spend a few days with relatives in Watertown, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ackerman, Mr. F. E. O'Flynn, Mr. Fred S. Deacon, and the Rev. and Mrs. T. Malott have returned home from Washington, D.C., where they represented Bridge Street Methodist Church at the World Convention on Foreign Missions. They were absent from the city for eight days.

The frame metal abested warehouse of the Thompson Furniture Company adjoining their store on Front Street was gutted by fire early this morning.

30 YEARS AGO

February 8th, 1915.

In the annual hockey match between the teams of Holden's Shirt Company and the Printers, the former team was victorious. The final score was 5 to 1. The following composed the teams: Printers — McCullough, Riggs, Mason, French, Daley, Ford and Barlow; Deacons—Hinchey, Addleston, Finkle, Barrett, Hibbard, Rayfield and Alexander. The referee was Roy Hinchey and he handled the game well. Sam Hibbard was hit with considerable force by the flying puck, but he will recover.

The Rev. and Mrs. Meyers, celebrated quietly the 50th anniversary of their wedding, at their home on Grove Street, yesterday. They were married in Stirling by the Rev. S. W. Lady. Many friends are pleased to extend to them congratulations and good wishes.

Frank Broderick, well known high class tailor, died in Toronto at the age of 59 years. Some years ago he conducted a tailoring establishment in this city and occupied the store in the building recently occupied by the Palace Theatre and destroyed by fire.

40 YEARS AGO

February 8th, 1905.

Belleville and Cobourg junior hockey teams played here last night and the local boys lost, the score being 2 to 0. The following composed the Belleville team: Holton, Townsend, Connelly, Pepper, Allen, Waller and Hamilton.

Arrangements are underway to change the site and enlarge the new armouries from the hospital lot to the corner of Bridge and Pinnacle Street, now occupied by J. C. Lake and Richard Arnott. The Roman Catholic Diocese is desirous to again own the hospital lot and the change of site of the armouries is agreeable all round.

The snowfall this winter has already broken all records in this district and if it keeps on it will break many snow shovellers' backs.

Mr. A. A. McDonald of Madoc was in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gordon have returned from Ivan Tweed where they visited relatives.

50 YEARS AGO

February 8th, 1895.

Mr. H. K. Smith, game warden, will resume his duties shortly.

The new cheese factory will operate this year at Thomasburg on the Hastings Road and will be known as the Glanmire & Thomasburg Cheese Manufacturing Company. The following officers were elected for this year: President, D. M. Lumsden; Directors, William Armstrong, Willits McKillips, James Lummiss, Sr., D. Henderson, John Nixon, James Liddel, Martin Murphy and Ed. Reid.

Mr. J. B. Orr of Madoc was a visitor in town today.

A ten lead to young people drove to the home of Mr. S. Frost in Tyendinaga Township last evening and passed an enjoyable time.

Mr. W. B. Northrup, M.P., was in Peterborough yesterday.

YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

RAINBOW CHASERS

A person looking for a short cut to riches is said to be searching for the philosopher's stone.

The ancient alchemists believed that somewhere in nature there existed a substance that would convert ordinary metals into gold.

This imaginary substance was called the philosopher's stone because it was supposed to have a philosophic basis and was linked with the theories of matter advanced by the philosophers.

The idea of transmuting base metals into noble ones seems to have originated among the Greeks at Alexandria in the early centuries of the Christian era.

In medieval times the philosopher's stone was regarded not only to have the property of transmuting the baser metals into gold but also the power of curing most of the ills that the body is heir to. Accordingly it became synonymous with "the elixir of life."

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The dual function of the philosopher's stone is referred to in Shakespeare. In King Henry IV, Act III, Scene 2, Sir John Falstaffe, who has secretary designs on Master Shallow, says "I will make him a philosopher's two stones to me."

According to one version of the legend the philosopher's stone was buried at the foot of the rainbow. Another version has it that if a person were to dig at the spot where a rainbow touches the ground he would find a pot of gold.

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SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

IF THE HOME IS FIT FOR THE BABY

Kindly suggest a few doctors and hospitals who will not refuse to admit the husband and the rest of the family to the delivery room.

(Mrs. H. F. J.)

What, only the family? Shouldn't we have the neighbors and the members of the bridge club on hand too?

Right now I don't know of a doctor who is willing to have the husband present during delivery. As for hospitals, all I know is what I have said here repeatedly—they will try to exclude the husband from the delivery room as long as they can get away with it, because they naturally prefer to keep the public ignorant of what sometimes happens in the delivery room—I mean the frightful breaches of surgical aseptic.

But I can recommend one fine place to be a baby. Make it a place where your husband may remain at your side, where a real man at Alexandria in the early centuries of the Christian era.

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Louis L. Lang, President of the Mutual Life Canada, who addresses the 75th meeting of policyholders held at Waterloo on Thursday, February 1st.

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Craving for Carbohydrate

I crave laundry starch—and I want to stop doing it because I believe it is a bad habit. What causes a person to crave starch . . ?

(Mrs. T. S.

It can't find the bread and cake substitutes you suggest in "Rules for Reducing" (E. A. M.)

Age 34, height 5' 2", weight 117 lbs. I get plenty if I try to deprive myself of candies, sweet cookies, cakes, and sweetened carbonated beverages, although I admit if I continue to indulge in such substitutes too, should stop.

(Miss E. F. C.)

Answer—I believe the craving for excessive quantities or proportions of starch comes from starch, sugar) is due chiefly to deficiency of vitamin B complex in the refined diet. Food stores, especially, purporting to supply "health" foods, should stock up non-carbohydrate or low carbohydrate bread and cake substitutes. You should study "Rules for Reducing" (for copy send 3c. stamp and stamped, envelope bearing your address) and remember "Make the Meals" by Clarence A. Mills, M.D. (Harper & Bros.) which should be available in your public library.

Arthritis

Have you a problem on arthritis and neuritis? If so will be grateful for a copy in full detail, addressed envelope enclosed. (D. H. A.)

Answer—Pamphlet on Arthritis is in preparation. Nothing about neuritis—that is too vague or general to attempt to discuss as a definite ailment.



A Policyholder Reports

"Some years ago I insured my life with The Mutual Life of Canada and every year since then I have carefully read the Company's Annual Report because as a policyholder I am, with 180,000 other policyholders, a part-owner of the business.

"I am a practical man, and big figures, as such, do not convey much meaning—I want to know what they mean to me as a policyholder and to my dependents.

"Take 1944 for instance. More new policyholders joined The Mutual Life than during any other year in the Company's long history. That means a stronger company, more people united with me for a common purpose—personal and family protection. (We own 285,000 policies for protection, exceeding $723,000,000). It is evidence that the Company has gained a good reputation through its service and outstanding policy results.

"$14,854,000 was paid to policyholders in death claims, matured policies, dividends and other payments last year, benefitting many individuals and families throughout Canada. My policies are still in force and their values are constantly increasing. The assurance of security for the future that they guarantee gives me peace of mind.

"Of the amount paid out by the Company in 1944 I received my share of the dividends, or premium refunds as a substantial reduction of my premium. $93,000,000 have been paid out in dividends to policyholders since The Mutual Life was first organized in 1869, which means that the actual cost of insurance has been reduced by this amount.

"I also noted with pleasure that The Mutual Life invested heavily in the two Victory Loans of 1944 and that a large percentage of the assets, which total $252,000,000, is in War and Victory Bonds. I am interested in these assets because they belong to us—the policyholders—and represent the stability behind our insurance.

"It pleases me to know that the Company is conducting its operations from year to year so carefully that the SAFETY of my insurance is unquestioned, and so economically and efficiently that the earnings of the Company give me my insurance at the LOWEST POSSIBLE NET COST.

"You see, life insurance to me is a personal thing, and my Company's reports on its operations for the year mean more than a presentation of figures—to me they mean a strengthening of my present and future security and that of my fellow policyholders and our dependents."

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Tribute is Paid Montgomery's Leadership

The appointment of Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery to the tactical field command on the western front in Normandy during the critical period of the German counter-push into Belgium and Luxembourg assured the Allied American and British armies of efficient field leadership and probably of a shorter war, says The Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

His earlier appointment in a similarly perilous situation on the African front provides sound military leadership at a critical time, and not only shortened the campaign but speeded it to a victorious conclusion when a disastrous defeat had been numbered.

Able Commander.

Marshal Montgomery is without a peer as a battle-commander in the European theatre.

General MacArthur is of course the master military strategist of all these in the triple combination of air, land and sea warfare demanded by the Pacific war.

And there is certain parallel in the treatment MacArthur and Montgomery.

General MacArthur, after turning the tide, of apparent invasion and conquest back in the south Pacific and early Australia and New Zealand, was the victim of a policy of inadequate supply and stinted command in the Pacific war for nearly two years before he was finally given the equipment and the authority for the campaign which he has relentlessly driven across the vast range of Pacific islands to the very heart of the Philippines.

Marshal Montgomery has had almost the same experience.

Monty's "Eclipse"

After commanding and inspiring the great drive from El Alamein in Tunisia and saving the Suez Canal and the oil-rich Near East, and even after conducting the most perilous landings against the underside of Sicily which ended the military collapse of Italy, he went into comparative eclipse.

And this in spite of the fact that the "Montgomery of mechanized warfare which defeated and humiliated Rommel, ideally fitted the pattern of requited military strategy on the western front in Europe and, indeed was a fundamental requirement for victory.

Marshal Montgomery has a special and superb genius for commanding the huge and fast-rolling vehicular forces employed in mechanized warfare.

He has this genius, in fact, almost exclusively among the military commanders of this war.

Mistake Corrected.

It has been a mistake to relegate him to the relatively minor and inferior role he has played so long on the western front, and it is an appropriate and proper remedy for that nearly tragic mistake that he is now elevated to a command commensurate with his great talents.

Marshal Montgomery has the complete confidence of the American forces under his command, and his leadership is an inspiration to them.

He has, moreover, utter confidence in the American soldier as a fighting man, profound admiration for his courage and resourcefulness and deep affection for him personally.

He formed a very high opinion of the American soldier in Italy and Sicily," Marshal Montgomery told the press at his conference after his new appointment.

Affection Formed.

"I have spent my life with the British soldier, but I have formed a great affection for the American soldier, who is a very brave fighting man. He has the quality in battle which makes a great soldier."

It was the good fighting spirit of the American soldier, he declared, which was "basically responsible for Rommel, ideally fitted the pattern of his defeat."

The ideal relationship thus prevails between Marshal Montgomery and his new command.

He is a field commander upon which Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, supreme commander of the Allied war operations in Europe, can place the utmost reliance, and in which he can have utter faith.

The appointment reflects the wisdom of General Eisenhower, and unquestionably reflects his own personal choice of an associate capable of hastening the victorious end of the European war, for which the peoples of America and Britain are earnestly praying.

Lack of Clothing Brings Suffering To Netherlanders

Well-Stocked Shops Cleared by Nazis Under Civil Administration Established During Occupation

By MARGARET ECKER
(CP War Correspondent)

Eindhoven, Holland, Feb. 8, (CP).—A pretty, little blonde, braided Anna and blue-eyed Pieter, are being kept warm in bed by their mothers as much as possible these winter days in Holland because of a clothing shortage.

It seems like a punishment to the little boys and girls because outside the ground is white with snow that lies deep enough running up the canals are frozen just right for skating.

But little Anna has no woollen underwear and Pieter has a pair to wear inside his wooden boots, and when the children do go outside they shiver pitifully in the thin north wind. Years of undernourishment don't help resistance to cold.

Children haven't even the consolation of plaything inside by a warm fire. The best Dutch mother can do is to manage, if it's lucky, enough wood to keep a small stove in one room in the house. The Germans as they go about their work have left Dutch homes bare with cold.

Hendrik Godin, Ldr. F. J. MacNamara, of Ottawa, as civil affairs officer in charge of a transport column, brought a small convoy of clothes to Eindhoven. But the clothes were comparatively few and the needs of the people are great so only a small number of the people in the area can get the help they were before. Most clothing supplies can be given only to refugees or the bombed out.

Hardly any people in Holland have underwear and many growing children have only makeshift outer clothing.

The people will tell you that for two years it has been impossible to get any clothing. Ration coupons were distributed but there were there any stocks in the shops. No Black Market.

The Netherlanders had no black market to fall back upon—and the law-abiding Netherlanders were reluctant to deal in any market that savored of the illegal.

A vague racial blood link with the Germans is partly responsible for the lack of clothing in Holland. Because they felt Holland was Nordic as themselves, the Nazi conquerors established civil administration over the country with "privileges". For one thing that meant that there were no exchange or trade barriers between Germany and Holland. German stations in the country could buy everything they wanted without question, and they cleaned out the shelves of the Holland shops which looked well stocked after Germany's easy terity years.

Belgium and France on the other hand were under military administration, and trade with them supposed to be no exchange of German money for francs. In practice it didn't work out that way but it did in some measure prevent the complete looting of shops the day the people of Belgium and France are chic and well dressed. The people of Holland are in rags.

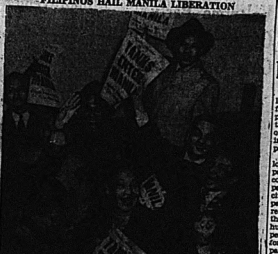
Operational conditions do not permit the using of transportation to bring the clothing to Holland.

BIG CLOVE INDUSTRY

Zanzibar, (CP) — The Clove Growers' Association in a brochure telling the story of cloves, says that Zanzibar is now virtually the only place in the world the prosperity of which depends primarily on the clove industry. Some 80 per cent of the world's supply of cloves comes from Zanzibar and its neighboring island of Pemba.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

Burton-on-Trent, England, Feb. 7 —(CP)—A coroner's jury last night returned a verdict of accidental death in the case of 50 persons who died in a bomb-dump explosion last November. The jury presumed death in the case of 18 other persons bodies were never found. There was no evidence of sabotage, the verdict said.



FILIPINOS HAIL MANILA LIBERATION

This happy group of Filipinos are shown celebrating the liberation of Manila following the news that victorious American troops were rapidly wiping out Jap resistance throughout the city. The Japs had occupied Manila three years during which the Filipinos suffered great hardships and starvation.

MacArthur Untangles Rope Shortage By Philippines Push

New York—Most war scarce of all vital commodities, abaca, known commonly as manila hemp, may soon be off the danger list.

As MacArthur's dim wave forward in the Philippines they are freeing lands on which this critical fibre is grown and with them are experts who are arranging for the shipping and shipping of the commodity.

Used for a myriad of marine tasks the thing is in short supply since the Japs seized the Philippines. Over 90 per cent of all abaca was grown in the islands before the war. Nearly all the manila hemp imported into the United States comes into the manufacture of ropes and cables for ships. It is particularly well suited for this use, having a high degree of resistance to sea water, durability and tenacity.

So critical did the shortage of the cordage fibre become after the fall of Luzon that substitutes, generally inferior to the Philippine product, had to be used on naval and merchant ships. Government plants producing inefficient Burlapsean-type hemp were established by the government in the midwest. These products, however, proved unsatisfactory for marine service use.

In 1942 experimental plantations of abaca were started by the United Fruit Company in Central American series. Previous experimentation in the Philippines, the West Indies and the Malay States had failed. In Central America, much to the surprise of cordage experts, however, the plant flourished and grew. Abaca planting was kept to a small scale in Latin America, because of the greater cost of the fibre there compared with that of the Philippine product. With the fall of Mindanao, largest producing island, the United States authorities requested the United Fruit Company to begin extensive plantings in Panama, Costa Rica, Honduras and Guatemala. This year's crop is expected to amount to 60,000,000 pounds, approximately two-thirds the normal imports from the Philippines.

Abaca planting succeeded in Central America, according to scientists, because the climate there is similar to that of the Philippines, and because planting was done from suckers rather than seeds. The abaca plant is very similar to the banana plant found throughout Central America.

When Japan took the Philippines she knew she was cutting off our supply of the vital cordage fibre. She had planned for the attack even before Pearl Harbor. More than half of Mindanao's population was Japanese and nearly all the plantations were in Jap hands.

The Japs have broadcast claims that the abaca fibre was a great part been replanted with other fibres. The only supply of cordage fibre the United States has been done is not as yet ascertained. Any crops from fibre, third largest producer of the fibre, is abaca fields there are in good order and stripping is already in progress.

TIPPING "OBNOXIOUS"

Manchester, England — (CP) — Frank Jr. Ltd., member of the Council of the Hotels and Restaurants Association of Great Britain, said here that remuneration in the form of tips is "obnoxious" and should be eliminated.

NEVER MIND JAVEX WILL BLEACH IT OUT IN A JIFFY



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JAVEX removes stubborn stains from linens and cottons the quick, easy way! They simply disappear like magic. And a little Javex in washing or rinsing leaves the whitest wash a snowy-white, even after bleaching. Use it, too, for bleaching and disinfecting sinks, drains, garbage pails, bowls, etc. A 13c bottle goes a long way.

Javex

DIRT'S WORST ENEMY

Tracking Down Owners of Goods Lost on Trains

Chicago — G.I. Joe, who does a lot of travelling these days, often forgets to take some personal possession when leaving a train, thereby adding a client or one of the greatest "detective" agencies in the world, the Pullman Company.

The company checks its cars for lost property after the departure of passengers and has developed an efficient, speedy and-find-the-owner department with representatives in 80 cities. During the past year, when passenger traffic on the railroads reached the highest peak in history, this department returned several hundred thousand dollars worth of personal property which had been forgotten or mislaid by Pullman patrons.

Reaches to Front Lines.

Pullman goes all-out in its efforts to find owners of lost articles. This is particularly difficult in the case of servicemen who have to be traced to lands across the seas and sometimes to the front lines before delivered to them in the front lines of the Pacific.

P. B. Callahan, general manager, cites the case of a soldier who left an electric shaver on a train going to Minneapolis. The only clue was a 30-year-old sales slip by which the owner was traced from Minneapolis to Spokane and thence to France where he was serving with the invasion forces.

Owners of lost articles have been traced to South Pacific islands, Alaska and Iceland. The department never gives up until it has exhausted every clue.

Varied Articles.

Callahan said that civilians lose everything from eyeglasses to snowshoes and in most cases their losses are more spectacular than those of servicemen.

"For example," Callahan said, there was a woman who lost a bag containing $125,000 worth of jewels, and her husband were travelling from Boston to New York. After leaving the train, she discovered that she had left a little green bag containing the jewels beside her seat. She notified the Pullman Company which telephoned to points ahead on the train's schedule. The bag was found by a porter at Philadelphia and it was sealed and returned to New York on the next train."

$100,000 Ring Lost.

Another porter found a $100,000 diamond ring on the floor of a coach aboard a train between Atlanta and Augusta, Ga. He turned it in and immediately and the owner soon claimed it. Callahan said porters display exemplary honesty and did after day turn in wallets containing from a few dollars to thousands of dollars.

Travelling agents of the company frequently travel halfway across the continent to return an owner of lost property—or one will be forwarded it for another parcel. Prolonged searches, sometimes lasting up to two years, are characteristic of the diligence with which the company performs this unusual service.

Pullman officials say passenger loss may be minimized if they will put identification on easily mislaid items such as eyeglass cases, keys, watches and wallets and put names and addresses on both inside and outside of all luggage and parcels.

Read

Read — Everyone was glad to see the weather change.

Miss Rita Bowers, Reg. N., of Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston, returned home on Monday evening and attended the golden wedding anniversary of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Will Powers.

Friends of the late Mr. James McAuley were sorry to hear of his sudden death in Winnipeg on Wednesday last.

Mr. Raymond Brennan returned home from Belleville on Tuesday after recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Edward Jordan of Richmond is ill at her home.

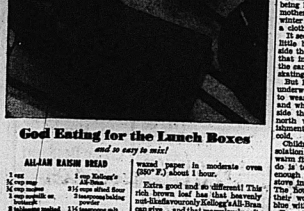
Bonarlaw

Bonarlaw — Mrs. A. W. Williams has been on the sick list since last Thursday but is beginning to mend.

Howard Adams of Orono, who was assistant agent C. P. R. some years ago, visited friends in Bonarlaw on Friday of last week.

SOURCES OF IVORY

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1 egg	1 cup Kellogg's All-Bran
¾ cup sugar	2 cups sifted flour
¾ cup molasses	2 teaspoons baking powder
2 cups nonfat or buttermilk	½ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons melted shortening	1½ teaspoons soda
	¾ cup chopped raisins

Beat egg well. Add sugar, molasses, milk, shortening (melted and cooled) and All-Bran; mix well; let stand until most of moisture is taken up. Sift flour, baking powder, salt and soda together; add to first mixture with raisins; mix well. Pour into greased pan. Bake greased loaf pan lined with waxed paper in moderate oven (350° F.) about 1 hour.

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Grapefruit 96s 3 for 17c
Delicious Apples, 88, 5 for 22c
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

LAW, Isabel Adalane, No. 1 Outmarsh, Trenton, visiting her brother, Rev. F. K. Mullins, B.A., St. Michael's parish, Cobourg.

LAC. Henry A. Constable, R.C.A.F., Trenton, and Mrs. Constable, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clyde and family of Westbrook.

Mrs. Jack Carson (nee Rowena Adams), a very recent bride, was guest of honor at a delightful cup and saucer shower on Wednesday night arranged by Mrs. Jack Boyle, 39 Perth Street. For the occasion, pink and white streamers were attractively arranged in decoration throughout the house. The evening was spent in playing games. The gaily wrapped gifts were presented to Mrs. Carson in a basket designed in pink and white paper. The hostess served dainty refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nolin, Foxboro Rd., entertained thirty-five young people at a sleigh riding party on Saturday evening in honor of the thirteenth birthday of their son, Garth. Following the sleigh drive, games and contests were enjoyed at Garth's home. The birthday celebration was the recipient of many fine gifts for which he expressed his thanks and appreciation. Everyone present chorused "For he's a Jolly Good Fellow". Refreshments were served which included a three-tiered birthday cake.

TRACTORS PROVE POPULAR

London —(CP)— C. Culpin, agricultural engineer for Worcestershire, predicted here the number of tractors on British farms will be doubled, in 20 years — and the horse population will be halved, to 200,000.

WEDDINGS

CONNOR—KING

The marriage was quietly solemnized on Friday, February 30th, at Christ Church, at 3 three-thirty when the Rev. J. Grant Sparling united in marriage Alice Reid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Reid, and Fred W. Lank, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Lank.

The bride was very attractively attired in an ensemble of blue crepe, accentuated with brown trimming. She wore a corsage of red roses.

Mrs. Madeline Bell, as matron of honor, wore a charming gown of yellow crepe and corsage of red roses.

Mr. Jack Warner was groomsman for the occasion.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the groom's parents. The mother of the bride chose blue crepe while the groom's mother selected a two-piece crepe dress in navy shade. Both were corsages or red roses.

After a honeymoon spent in Montreal, the bridal couple will take up residence in Belleville.

THOMPSON—GAY

A pretty wedding took place on Saturday, January 27, at four o'clock in Naval Chapel, Halifax, when Verna Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Robert Gay, became the bride of Supply Assistant Kenneth Alfred Thompson, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson, of Belleville. The Naval Chaplain, W. A. Patterson, officiated.

The bride was attractively attired in a brown all wool suit with accessories to match and corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. I. L. Wood, as matron of honor, wore a green wool suit complemented with black accessories and corsage of red and white carnations.

Petty Officer I. L. Wood was groomsman.

The bride and groom will reside at Halifax, where the groom is stationed.

REHABILITATION ADVANCED

Vancouver, Feb. 3 (CP) — The Canadian government has developed a program of rehabilitation for war veterans more far-reaching than any other of the United Nations, Veterans Affairs Minister Mackenzie, said in an address last night over a Canadian Broadcasting Corporation network.

Valentine Party Of St. Michaels' Girls Gay Affair

The Knights of Columbus Hall was all decked out in readiness for Valentine finery on Wednesday evening, the occasion of a very gay party held by the St. Michaels' Girls' Social Club. There were assorts of various-sized hearts, cupids and streamers in shades of red and white decorating the hall in a riot of color. The hall was spread with an ivory lace cloth down the centre with red hearts artistically arranged on the tables. Each was finished with tall red tapers in crystal candelabra. Guests of honor at the event were Monsignor J. F. Nicholson and Grand Knight Cecil O'Brien. The playing of bridge and euchre afforded everyone a great deal of pleasure. The following prize lists was announced with an ivory lace cloth down the centre with red hearts artistically arranged on the tables. Each was finished with tall red tapers in crystal candelabra. Guests of honor at the event were Monsignor J. F. Nicholson and Grand Knight Cecil O'Brien. The playing of bridge and euchre afforded everyone a great deal of pleasure. The following prize lists was announced by Mrs. Murphy and for euchre Miss M. Murphy. A draw was made on a general prize and was won by Miss Madeline Bennett. Several other novelty games were playing during the party. A presentation from the club members was made to Miss Margaret Ehler in honor of her approaching marriage. The presentation was made by Miss Ellen Doyle, president of the club. Monsignor Nicholson, in a humorous manner briefly addressed the girls. Very delicious refreshments were served at the close of the party by members of the club.

Questions and Answers

This column is sponsored by the Regional Office, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Toronto, on price control, ration regulations and other Wartime Prices and Trade Board rulings should be referred to the Information Branch, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Victoria Building, Brockville, Ont.

Q.—When will butter coupon 26 become valid?

A.—Butter coupon 26 will become valid February 13.

Q.—Is there a shortage of eggnog this season?

A.—No.

Q.—I did not apply for my No. 5 ration book until last month and then I found that some of the sugar coupons had been removed. Was that right?

A.—Yes, late applicants for ration book No. 5 are only allowed one valid current coupon for each rationed commodity, that is 1 butter, 1 sugar, and 1 preserve coupon.

Q.—When will there be some grapefruit pits in the stores?

A.—There should be a limited supply in the stores about the first week in March.

Q.—How many butter coupons have expired?

A.—All valid butter coupons in book No. 3 remain valid until expiry dates are announced by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Q.—What will the increased price of oranges be per dozen?

A.—There will be very little change in the price of oranges—not more than 2 cents or four cents a dozen.

Q.—When will the dates we hear so much about be in the stores?

A.—Some stores have them already. They are being distributed as quickly as possible.

RATION COUPONS

(Feb. 2-14)

Butter: Coupons 90-96 are now valid and will remain so until declared invalid. Coupon 96 will become valid February 13.

Preserves: Coupons 33-38 are now valid and will remain so until declared invalid. Coupons 39 and 40 will become valid February 15. Valid preserve coupons may also be used for the purchase of sugar at one-half pound per coupon.

Sugar: Coupon 46-51 are now valid and will remain so until declared invalid. Coupons 52 and 53 will become valid February 13.

DISASTROUS HARVEST

London, (CP)—Annual report of the North Riding County Executive of the National Farmers' Union said that seldom, if ever, "in living memory" has there been a more disastrous general harvest in parts of Northern England. The cause was incessant rain.

Improvements for the Skin



Blend Your Foundation Cream In With Care.

By HELEN FOLLETT

DO YOU, now and then, marvel at the sight of a soft, velvety, perfect complexion that is the result of a blend of an artist? You're right, lady. The owner and carrier of that complexion is an artist. The skin should be conditioned so it will accept cosmetic paint and calcimine, on friendly terms with it. If the cream you use does not be lubricated every day of its life, it will crack, adhere to a dry skin; it grows in patches. Because it brings moisture from the pores, cold cream is not the best medium to use before making oneself a new face. Our old friend serving shoe clerk tells me. They lation, therefore, call it a foundation cosmetic. Put it on sparingly in little dots and dabs over the entire facial area and on the neck. Unlike these applications by rubbing with flattish fingers. Keep on with the friction until the cream is thoroughly absorbed.

After the skin is conditioned, place a suggestion of rouge high on the cheeks, fluff the compact pad lightly over the eyelids.

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

SHOULDERS ARE STILL EMPHASIZED

The fashion set-up this season seems to describe an elongated triangle. Shoulders are broadened to the limit by sleeve pads. The waistline is neat and slender. Hips keep to normal proportions, and that's nicer than the sel-like shape of the days of the boyish figure. Remember?

There should be a pleasing curve from waistline to thigh. If ankles are trim and calves are not fat-ted, you qualify. You are precisely and exactly what you should be. You'll be a credit to the fashion designers. When you look into a full length mirror you'll be pleased with yourself. Grand!

Some girls are not so lucky, and it is to those that this dissertation on slenderizing is addressed. They may need to develop firm, rounded breasts, slither down the waistline, flatten the tummy. A big order? Oh, not so bad. They merely have to stand, sit and walk properly, and give their muscles a daily workout. Results are worth the effort. Girls spend enough time, goodness knows, on their faces, cultivating the velvet-soft and colorful complexion. Why not spare a few minutes each day for figure remodelling?

You may have to nag at yourself to make exercise a habit. It's like the first plunge into cold water; you dread it, but, once in, you like it. Like reducing, it isn't terrible; you just think it is. Once the practice starts, once you give a certain amount of time to the well-being of your musculature, you'll find it a diversion and a restful pleasure. Takes your mind off things you don't care to dwell upon.

Start the day right. Get your exercise over with; you'll feel noble and righteous. The lazy girl can begin her routine by stretching in bed. Stretching freshens the blood streams.

Extend the arms and legs, even the little pink toes. Stretch the neck, turn the head from side to side.

Place the hands, palms downward, under the hips. Lift the legs slowly until the toes touch the headboard of the bed. Take a deep inhalation, lifting chest and breasts; lower legs slowly.

To acquire good shoulder lines and to develop the bust, fold your fingers tightly in the palms of your hands, swing them in high, wide, far-back circles. Your mirror stand tall when you do this. Swing one arm six times, the other six times and repeat. The exercise not only develops the chest, but has a good effect upon the interlacing muscles that extend from the ribs to the shoulders.

Before going to bed, stand tall, breathe deeply, inhaling through the nostrils, exhaling forcibly over the lips. Five minutes of this by the clock; no guessing.

SWELLED BY REFUGEES

At the time of its surrender to the Japanese in 1941, Hong Kong had a normal population of 1,060,-256 plus 750,000 refugees from China.

PARAGUAY DECLARES WAR

Asuncion, Paraguay, Feb. 3.-(CP) —Paraguay last night declared war on the Axis. It broke off diplomatic relations with Germany, Italy and Japan in January, 1942.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEEKMAN

FOR A SERVICE MAN'S WEDDING.

Dear Mrs. Beekman,—

I have been asked to take part in a wedding to take place soon, since the prospective groom is expected to arrive in a week or so from overseas. The bride-to-be and I are making the plans for the wedding, and we would appreciate your answering the following questions.

What is the difference between a first bridesmaid and the other bridesmaids? What are her duties? With five or six bridesmaids, where does the first bridesmaid walk in the processional?

If there are ushers in the wedding party, do the bridesmaids walk into the church with the ushers, alone, or in pairs? If there are no ushers, and a maid of honor, first bridesmaid, and two other bridesmaids, how is the procession-al arranged?

—A. N.

I really don't know what you mean by a "first bridesmaid." Is one of the bride's friends or relatives is to more honored than the attendant, she is called, if she is unmarried, a "maid of honor;" if married, a "matron of honor." There are sometimes two honor attendants: either two maids of honor, two matrons, of honor, or one maid of honor and one matron of honor; and they may either walk together, dressed alike, or their dresses may be of harmonizing colors, and they may have the one directly in front of the bride and her father being the one who is the actual witness.

There are usually an even number of bridesmaids, and they walk in pairs in the procession. If there are ushers, they walk first in the procession, two by two. If they go to the altar, the bridesmaids walk in all first in the procession, in pairs. (If there if an "extra" bridesmaid, I would suggest that she walk before the pair or pairs of bridesmaids, so that she would not seem to be an "honor" attendant at the maid of honor; and last in the procession the bride and her father.

The best-planned recessional is the reverse of the procession: first the bride and bridegroom next, the maid of honor (usually walking alone, although she may walk with the best man); then the bridesmaids, two by two, and last, the ushers, two by two.

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STIRLING

Garnett R. Tanner, Prisoner of War, Commissioned PO.

Stirling— Mr. and Mrs. Tom J. Tanner of Stirling, have received official notice from the Chief of Air Staff (R.C.A.F., Casualty Officer, Ottawa, that he is in receipt of word from overseas which states that their son Garnett R. Tanner, who is a prisoner of war in Germany, has been commissioned with the rank of Pilot Officer.

Personals.

Mrs. Douglas May has returned after spending a few days with her husband, Pte. Douglas May, who is convalescing in the hospital at Brantford. The best wishes of the community are extended to Doug for a speedy recovery.

Mr. Oscar Gillespie, of Peterborough, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Potter.

Leading Seaman Bill Morton of the R.C.N.V.R., is spending his leave with his mother, Mrs. Hugh Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McKenzie, and family also Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Spafford, of Belleville, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Pinkie.

Mr. Douglas Gray of Queen's University, Kingston, spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Gray at the homestead.

Several from Stirling attended the Pie Social and Play at Bethel United Church on Thursday evening of last week and report a good time.

St. Paul's United W.A.

The Woman's Association meeting of St. Paul's United Church was held at the home of Mrs. Carleton Wright, Henry Street, on Tuesday afternoon, with fifty ladies present including several Visitors.

The meeting opened with Chorus song and prayer followed by a brief business period with the President, Mrs. R. B. Dafoe in the chair. Mrs. S. A. Patterson and committee in charge of the program which proved to be both instructive and enjoyable. The program opened with hymn "Lord for To-morrow and Its Needs" followed by a reading "Just For To-day" given by Mrs. Fred Jones. The Scripture Lesson was read by Mrs. E. Grover and Mrs. R. Christie gave a talk on "Dorcas and Her Needle"; Mrs. Hockey led in prayer followed by hymn "Saviour They Dying Love".

Mrs. R. Patterson gave a paper on charity "The Greatest Thing in Life". A hymn and the National Anthem followed by benediction, closed the afternoon program.

Mrs. Harry Francis was in charge of a contest.

Mrs. J. A. Good expressed the vote of thanks to the hostess and committees. Refreshments were served at the close of this most enjoyable meeting.

FREE PHONE SERVICE

Ottawa, Feb. 7 —(CP)— A free bedside telephone service is being rolled out in two wards of Christie Street Hospital in Toronto and if successful similar facilities will be operated in all veterans' hospitals throughout Canada, a Veterans' Affairs Department spokesman said last night.

Rawdon

Rawdon—A large number of Rawdon folk attended the funeral of Mr. A. A. Farrell in Stirling, on Saturday morning.

Several Rawdonians attended the Chester Parishioners Convention in Toronto last week. Messrs. Walter Warren, Gordon Bailey, George Thompson, Lindsay Pollock, Rev. McGee, John Beagle and Victor Taylor were included in the number.

Mrs. James Middlemiss spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Bailey, Hazelbridge.

The F.F.U. held its meeting Friday evening at the Allan school. All adjourned to the auditorium of "World Peace and Our Responsibility" which was followed by a period of recreation.

The meeting this week will be cancelled and it is hoped as many as possible will be able to attend the Presbyterial meeting in Stirling.

The snow storm Sunday evening filled the side roads again. The men were busy on Monday snow plowing.

Mr. Kenneth Weaver, Mrs. Geo. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Weaver and Edna, attended the funeral of Mr. David Hubble at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Day, Read-borough, on Sunday afternoon. The body was placed in the Belleville vault and will be interred in the Rawdon Cemetery on Monday in the Spring. Mr. Hubble lived in Rawdon for many years and was well known at Mount Pleasant. He was the last of his family, his sister, Mrs. Emily Tyler will be 98 years old this fall. Besides a sister, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Clarence Day and Mrs. Selbourn Westover, Rawdon.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Mount Pleasant, Press secretary, and Mrs. Earle Bailey, Stirling, stewardship secretary, attended the Winter conference meeting of Belleville Presbyterial Women's Missionary Society in Bridge Street United Church, Belleville, on Thursday, February 13th. Mrs. Bailey's reports were accepted and will be forwarded to Guelph. Plans were made to hold the Presbyterial in April at Bridge Street Church, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, of Belleville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lake and son, moved on Thursday from Mount Pleasant to the Hubble farm on the Sharp farm near Stirling.

Mrs. Fred Pleasant was elected President of Hastings County Women's Institute Association and Mr. Malcolm Sharp was elected President of Rawdon Junior Farmers' Association.

Fifteen persons from Mount Pleasant attended the play and pie social at Bethel Thursday evening.

Mrs. Hubert Bailey is recently visited Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey.

Folks at Hoards received word of the death of Mr. Theodore Smith in his 69th year. He died at Seattle, Washington, where he was a freight agent for the Canadian Pacific Railways. He attended school at Hoards and then went to business course in Belleville. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Lily Parrel.

DENY SOVIET CHARGES

Ankara, Feb. 5 —Delayed—(AP)— A semi-official newspaper, Ulus, today denied Soviet charges it made over the Moscow radio two days ago that Ankara-Berlin trade was unfriendly to Russia and was "positive evidence of a desire to see the German halt the Red army."

Marmora and District

Canadian Legion's New Hall Is Officially Opened

Marmora—The new hall of Marmora Branch No. 327 Canadian Legion was officially opened by District Commander, Lt.-Col. Chisholm of Peterborough, on Monday evening in the presence of a good concourse of comrades and visitors. The new headquarters of the Legion which will still retain the name of the Memorial Hall alloted to them in the building formerly known as the Carscallen Block. It has been fully paid for and has been renovated within and furnished to meet the requirements of its organization. After President William Mumby had welcomed comrades and visitors the initiation of five candidates for full membership was carried out. Past President Fred Bedore acted as proxy for other candidates who were unavoidably absent. At the same time Associate membership was conferred on Rev. Father H. J. Farrell, Rev. John M. J. Brownlie, Reeve W. R. Linn, of Marmora, Reeve John A. Bell, of Marmora and Lake Township, Reeve C. H. Ruskard, of Deloro and Dr. H. Crawford. For the dedication of the memorial tablet in the building, the District Commander called upon Rev. Father Farrell and Rev. E. M. Cadigan.

Father Farrell, wished the comrades every success in the new undertaking and endeavor and said that the branch was well organized and had the responsibility of returning soldiers, sailors and airmen. He asked God's blessing on the work and the welfare of the families of the comrades, the hall itself and and everyone present.

Rev. E. M. Cadigan referred to the different span of years in the lives of the older comrades to that of the younger ones and hoped there would be many hours of comradeship and increased friendships. At the close of the address, he offered a short prayer.

After the hall had been declared officially dedicated and opened by the District Commander, he officially appointed Col. A. V. Yates, M.C. and Jack Hamilton to office in branch. In returning thanks for the honor conferred upon him Col. Yates eulogized the members of the Branch who had kept it together in a difficult time and kept a beacon in the minds of others, the ideals and principles and work of the Legion.

Included in correspondence read by Secretary William Regan was Club congratulations to the sports room upon the inauguration of the new headquarters.

President Mumby then gave a brief review of the endeavors which led up to the possession of the new hall and said it was only made possible through the generous support of the community. He announced, an information for refreshments following which time committees and visitors enjoyed social intercourse.

District Commander gave a short address before adjournment upon the operations of the Legion in the welfare of returned comrades and said that Marmora could rest on his visit were Jack Wigley the 13th executive of Peterborough, Reid Patch Club, Ernie Hamilton, chairman of the Property Committee and the Ladies Branch of the Legion and T. E. Pritchard, immediate past president of the Marmora Branch.

GERMAN COMMANDER KILLED

London, Feb. 7 —(AP)— The British radio early today quoted Hitler's headquarters announcing that Gen. Harald von Hirschfeld, 2d, youngest divisional commander of the German army, had been killed in action on the Russian front.

WALKING DANGEROUS

Bath, England, (CP) — Kenneth Swarin, 21, of Bath, a boy for the 21st time. His bones are so brittle that every walking has caused a leg to snap. Otherwise his health is normal.

St. Paul's Honors Mr., Mrs. Wright With Gifts

Marmora—Scrapping Sunday was observed at St. Paul's with a choral celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 a.m. with the rector Rev. J. M. Snowdon officiating. The rector gave an interesting address on the work of the church of the social Service. Following the benediction the presentation was made to Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Wright of a beautiful framed large photograph of St. Paul's Church and rectory and two table lamps. An address was read at the conclusion of which Mr. Wright on behalf of Mrs. Wright and himself returned thanks and said that whatever they had done for the church had been done from the bottom of their hearts, and those years of association with St. Paul's could never be forgotten. After the recreational meeting of the congregation remained to take farewell of Mr. and Mrs. Wright and bid them godspeed in their new home in Vancouver. Mr. and Mrs. Wright who have had thirty-eight years of association with St. Paul's will be long remembered for the past and present members of the congregation for their variety and faithfulness to the church. In addition to this Mr. Wright was a member of the vestry, Rector's Warden, and was closely identified with Laymen's movements in the parish and diocese. Mrs. Wright also has taken a deep interest in the women's work of the church being an active and willing worker in the Ladies' Guild. She also has been a member of St. Paul's choir for a number of years, possessing a fine soprano voice, which has added to the praise of the choir. Regret is felt for their new home in the middle of February.

Seventeen Blood Donors.

Seventeen blood donors from the Marmora district visited the Belleville clinic on Sunday as follows: William Dickson, Jack Reynolds, S. Harry Keating, Ernest Shannon, Mrs. George Gwillim, Frank Bird 2, Carl Bird 2, Arthur Conley 3, Mary Warren 1, John Cockpan 2, and Mrs. Wilfred Hartley. Remark the second anniversary of donations from the district, and a goodly number are expected to make the anniversary trip to the clinic.

Personals.

Lieut. N. S. Joan O'Connor of Petawawa has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. O'Connor.

Miss Isabel Gillespie of the Dominion Bank staff is spending a week's holidays in Toronto.

Mr. Fred Wells is spending a few days in Toronto.

L.O.L. 319 sponsored a successful dance in the town hall on Friday evening, which was furnished by the Trent Valley Ramblers.

Major Percy Gray of Ottawa spent the weekend at his home here.

Miss Marjorie Bonier Reg. N., of Belleville, spent the weekend at her home here.

Mrs. R. J. Elliott of Belleville, was the weekend guest of Dr. and Mrs. Hamilton Crawford.

Private Ralph Green of Kingston, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Green.

Messrs. Reid and Hazlett of Peterborough, spent the weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones and son Jack, Mrs. E. Rose and Mrs. A. Eagleson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Fleming, Corbyville.

Allan Mills

Allan Mills — Mrs. D. McComb is spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones of Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGowan spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McAdam, David and Thane visited Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Burkitt on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKeown entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yeomans, Keown and Gerald of Stirling, Mr. and Mrs. Mel McKeown and Mrs. Glyn of Campbellford on Saturday night.

Mrs. Hugh Collins returned to her home in Peterboro after spending some days with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Reid.

Mrs. Chas. Hick of Belleville spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Reid.

Mrs. Green of Springbrook is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. McComb.

SEARCH TWO BANDITS

Montreal, Feb. 7 — (CP) — The Montreal police hold-up squad continued a search today for two bandits who staged an armed hold-up at an east-end jewelry store yesterday and escaped with 36 diamond rings valued at $1,200.

EASTERN BERLIN REPORTED APPARENTLY DESERTED

Moscow, Feb. 7 — (Reuters) — Soviet airmen on reconnaissance over Berlin today reported the eastern sector of the German capital to be apparently deserted. Only in the western part of the city did the airmen see smoke coming from the factories.

RETURN POSTPONED

London, (CP) — London firms which evacuated staffs earlier in the war are being asked by the government to postpone their return until next Easter.

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Primate of All England Pipe-Smoking Family Man

By George Murray in the Transatlantic Edition of the London Daily Mail

The Right Reverend Geoffrey Francis Fisher, Bishop of London, is facing a task which will tax all his abilities. He has been translated to the Archbishopric of Canterbury, which means that he has been given the highest office of its kind in the British Empire.

There are two English Archbishops—those of Canterbury and York. Canterbury takes precedence, but in the "Primate of All England", whereas his reverend brother is merely "The Primate of England".

Canterbury is the head of the English Established Church. Its ritual, its finances, its organization everywhere—and that means all over the world—are ultimately his concern. But his immediate work lies in the Province of Canterbury, which covers half of England and also takes in 36 overseas bishoprics ranging from Newfoundland to Madagascar and Mauritius.

It can be seen therefore, that Dr. Fisher, as first of the Lords Spiritual in the ancient realm of England, with occupants of the Throne of St. Augustine, will have his hands full.

But, more than that, he follows a man who will be hard to succeed. is predecessor, William Temple, himself the son of an Archbishop of Canterbury, was famous for his outspoken views on social problems of the day.

The Primacy is usually a symbol of caution and conservatism in political matters. William Temple made it the opposite.

He carried out a flaming crusade on behalf of progressive ideas and did battle in editorials, in contradiction to his critics, that it was very much the duty of the Church to interfere in politics.

How, then, does Dr. Fisher measure up to the great demands which will be made upon him? What are his qualifications for the supreme office to which he has been called?

It can be said that he was almost the only choice after the death of William Temple. He is 67—a mere baby as Primates—and is known as a brilliant scholar and a first-class administrator.

Unlike most of his predecessors in modern times, he has never been a parish priest. For nearly 20 years, he was headmaster of Repton, one of England's great boarding schools for boys. It is curious that, he should have succeeded Temple even in that post. But whereas Temple was 33 when he became head of Repton, Fisher was only 27—an astonishingly early age to become head of such a school. It is a striking tribute to the high intellectual attainments of the Right Reverend Doctor.

In 1932 Fisher was appointed Bishop of Chester, and in 1939 Bishop of London. Thus he has been a bishop for only 12 years, and is comparatively unknown to the public.

Such rapid advancement, though it has its disadvantages, must certainly be taken as a tribute to his outstanding abilities — without which, indeed, no man can hope to become Archbishop of Canterbury.

The question whether or not these abilities are such as to make his reign notable can only be answered by time. It may be that Dr. Fisher may prove to be among England's great Archbishops.

As a person, the new Archbishop is a pipe-smoking, rather lawyer-like gentleman—the father of six sons—four of whom are in the armed forces—and the husband of a woman who is one of the most active public speakers in the country.

On occasion he has not hesitated to show his conviction.

He got into trouble with the hierarchy by allowing a special commemoration service to General Booth when he died—after the row in St. Paul's Cathedral. A keen Evangelical himself, Fisher thought he replied that they all owed a lot to General Booth.

Of another occasion he played a barrel-organ in one of London's more fashionable squares on behalf of a favorite charity.

But such unorthodoxies are as nothing compared with the unorthodoxy of William Temple. On the whole Dr. Fisher runs true to form. He is one of the directors of a Marriage Guidance Council and of a Public Morality Council. He is against the opening of theatres on Sunday. "The somolence of Sunday must be preserved," he says, somewhat facetiously. He is, however, concerned by the spread of drinking during wartime, and deplores, as a result, the perversion of good comradeship to evil ends.

His strictures do not fall upon tobacco. "I cannot work without smoking", he says.

And, a final human touch: "It is very difficult for any reasonably honest man to be absolutely honest" when it comes to income tax returns".

Much of Dr. Fisher's time as Bishop of London has been concerned with finances—especially his own. Like most English bishops he is weighted down by the enormous expense of maintaining the palace in which these princes of the Church are expected to live.

He was comfortably off in Cheshire. There he received £6,000 a year and kept a house of only 13 rooms. On his translation to London his stipend rose to £40,000 a year, but of this £24,000 went in the upkeep of Fulham Palace, traditional Tudor home of the bishops of the capital.

Fulham Palace may have been a financial wreck to the Doctor, but think what it must have been to the Doctor's wife who has had to manage the household.

The palace is a building which rambles about so much that nobody ever seems to have agreed about the number of rooms with anyone else. Estimates range from 64 to 200—but the most authentic reports say there are 70 rooms.

Mrs. Fisher does not claim to be domesticated. "I think I could boil the bishop's shaving water at a pinch", she says—beyond which she will not go.

But, as a bishop's wife, her time is not her own. She is, for example, president of the Mothers' Union, the nation-wide organization of the country's best clergymen—the family women— and her many other duties take all day and every day to perform.

To be a bishop's wife in these days of high income tax and no domestic servants is no joke. Even less of a joke is it to be the wife of an Archbishop, Lambeth Palace, official home of the Primate, is twice the size of Fulham Palace. It is 700 years old and has 100 rooms.

But Mrs. Fisher's problem has been reduced by the Germans. No fewer than 150 rooms at Lambeth Palace have been made uninhabitable by air raids.

So the new Archbishop, his wife, and his six sons look forward to a life on a newer and higher plane.

But not just yet. The enthronement of Dr. Fisher is not to take place until the weather gets warmer. Owing to the coal shortage in England there is no central heating in Canterbury Cathedral.

PETITE CHINESE SAVED PAINTINGS FROM JAP HORDES

Chang K'un-i Exhibits Famous Works of Art in Western Canada; Escaped from Hong Kong in 1939

Winnipeg, Feb. 8.—(CP)—Legendary fame, both in the paintings which guides her brush, surrounds Chang K'un-i, hailed today as China's greatest living artist.

Miss Chang arrived in Winnipeg recently to exhibit her paintings and those of her father and daughter-father, the late Kan Weng-Piaomo as China's national artist-sage, Mr. Kan was buried with a state funeral of his death in China in 1932.

Doll like, not quite five feet-tall and weighing only nine stones, Miss Chang outmaneuvered the Japanese at Shanghai, Canton and Hankow, taking with her from each, Kan Weng's priceless works of art.

She has been in the United States since 1939 when she escaped from Hong Kong and sailed for San Francisco. During the presidential mother, Mrs. James Roosevelt, commissioned her to paint whatever she can, saide. Miss Chang "carries with her and displays proudly a letter from Franklin Roosevelt, thanking her for this work.

Enlisted As Nurse.

The black-eyed, gracious little woman is the daughter of a wealthy Chinese family. In 1937 while still in China, she enlisted as a war nurse. When it was discovered that she was at the front, Madame Chiang Kai-Shek and important Chinese officials ordered her back to Nanking to save herself and as many of her-adopted father's paintings as she could. "Many can nurse, only you can paint", the decree read.

Miss Chang has exhibited her paintings in many American and Eastern Canadian cities. She now is on a tour which will eventually take her to Saskatoon, Edmonton and Vancouver, and back to her home in New York.

She is enthusiastic about life in America. "What I like best about it is the harmony or work between head and hands", she said. "Chinese ladies here work with both their minds and their hands That is good Better than in China where a lady works only with her mind and her servant with her hands".

But Miss Chang is eager to return to China. When the war is over she plans an exhibition tour of Europe and then —home.

Truth About That Thirty-Hour Week

(The Canadian Hospital)

Some of us who work nearly twice that many hours would like very much to work only 30 of the 168 hours in each week. We would like also to have Saturday free, as is now enjoyed the year around in so many plants and offices. But we wonder if these 62 per cent. who in a recent poll so glibly vote for a 30-hour week have any idea of what they are saying.

We presume, of course, that they would want the same amount in the pay envelope for this short period as for a full week; they would soon want more, for there would be just that much more time to burn up gas, or go to shows, or think up other ways of spending money. That, inevitably, would mean a higher cost of unit production and a higher selling price for the article produced or sold. Unfortunately Canada is small, contained economic unit and depends upon its export trade for its prosperity. In the post war period we can only retain our foreign markets—and our prosperity—if we can compete successfully against other nations on these world markets. If our production and transportation costs prove higher than those of other nations, our export trade collapses and down goes the level of our national wealth and scale of living. Hitherto Canada and the United States have overcome the higher cost of labor by mass methods of production and by attention to consumer demands. Other nations with cheap labor costs have now adopted our production methods.

World competition is going to be keener after the war than ever before. After the first rush of world reconstruction has passed and buyers can do a bit of shopping for what chance will Canada have on a 30-hour week, if other countries obtain, say 50 per cent. more production for their labor costs, as would be the case with a 45-hour week in Canada? Buyers will go to hordes of highly-skilled workmen and unlimited materials should decide to continue its present 66-hour week?

Organizers and political spokesmen who endeavor to enhance their personal interests by arousing the hopes of others that life can become one grand semi-holiday never learn their unthinking followers that these rosy hues would indicate that the dawn of a new era of prosperity is the setting of the sun for Canada. Its place in the markets of the world and our future scale of living will depend on the ardour to which we are willing to work.

FAMINE MORTALITY

Deaths from starvation in Bengal province alone were estimated at 100,000 a week during the 1943 famine in India.

Vichy Today

(New York Herald Tribune)

They are taking wounded Frenchmen to Vichy now to recuperate in that little watering place from blows sustained in the war for freedom. It is a curious turn in the wheel of Vichy's fate yet not as curious as the one which brought a "government" of the hopeless to the city to make its name a byword throughout the world.

Where are those other "men of Vichy" whose efforts to turn back the clock in France led them to link their country's destiny with Hitler? Once they fled to Belfort, but Belfort was not safe for them. Once they were reported in Baden-Baden, which seemed logical for a group of old men with no health in them, wandering from spa to spa.

But now it is said, and generally accepted, that Petain and Laval with what is left of their entourage, roost in the castle at Sigmaringen, high above the Danube. And this residence has its own appropriateness for Sigmaringen is in Hohenzollern, whence a certain obscure family went north to Prussia to rule Imperial Germany and plague the world. The castle, which is reputed to be the home of Petain—Marshal of France—is the seat of the princes of Hohenzollern-Sigmaringen, who thoughtfully provided kings for nations in need of them.

It is reported that the tricolor flies over Sigmaringen; Germany adheres to her recognition of the Petain government (maliciously pointing out that the United States once kept her company in Vichy) and kills "De Gaullists" on behalf of the old Marshal's adherents who come before French firing squads. It is a squalid ending for a squalid regime, conceived in defeat and dedicated to the proposition that slavery is the normal state of man. What Vichy, the city, is both purged by the suffering of the men who fought and are fighting to protect that ignoble doctrine, the Hotel du Parc itself, capital of Petain's "National Revolution", is a hospital. Vichy is a tragic town today, but it is no longer degraded.

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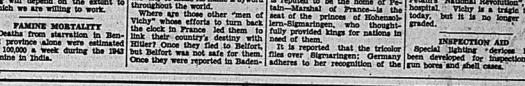
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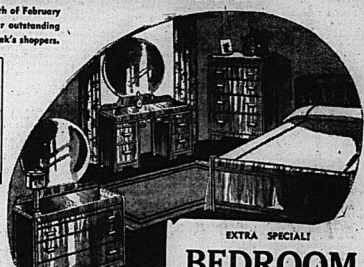
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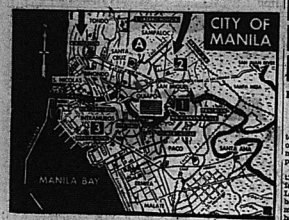
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THE MOP-UP IS ON IN MANILA



While the northern half of Manila was entirely in American hands a short time after the initial penetration into the city, a race to trap large numbers of Japanese south of the Pasig river followed consolidating of American objectives in area (A) on map. Arrows point to routes taken by the First Cavalry Division and the 37th Infantry Division on entering Manila. The palace (1) was one of the first places to be taken. The Santo Tomas internment camp (2) is where more than 3,000 American and British prisoners were liberated. One of the sections where the Japs are expected to make a stand is the Intramuros (3). Fierce house to house fighting is now taking place.

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The cheetah is the fastest animal in the world over short distances.

BRITONS DEMAND HEAVIER PENALTY FOR CRUELTY

Recent Case Causes Much Interest and Other Instances Are Noted

London, Feb. 8 — (Reuters)—Britons are angry over increased cases of cruelty to children and are demanding heavier punishment for persons responsible.

The case which appalled the country most in the last few weeks was featured on front pages of every London daily newspaper yesterday because G. Tasker, Independent member of Parliament for Wallasey, has called for a full report from Home Secretary Herbert Morrison.

A young married man and his wife were each fined £10 ($40) for ill-treating a 1/2-year old stepson boy from Surrey. A younger brother had died in the couple's charge.

Mr. Reakes, a Justice of the Peace and a solicitor, raised three issues with the Home Secretary: the fine was inadequate; an inquest should be held on the younger child; and a ruling that all evasions of cruelty, especially those under school age, should be seen regularly by a health visitor.

Newspaper Relates Other Cases

To support their clamor for stiffer punishment, London newspapers featured two more cruelty cases in court which resulted, they claimed, in inadequate sentences.

The first case — a mother broke her little girl's arm with a poker and struck her little daughter on the head with a wooden shoe, that both children had to go to hospital. For this she was not sent to prison but was bound over to keep the peace.

Yet, a man who charged a few pence too much for a packet of hairpins was sentenced to hard labor for a month," said an editorial in the London Evening News.

The second case developed when a soldier home on leave charged his wife with neglecting her four children, aged 16, 14, nine and four years respectively. The soldier found the children alone in the house, foodless, and without money. The wife who did not had been associating with another man, offered no defence and was sentenced to six months in jail.

Snow-Covered Ameliasburg Looks Good to Soldier Away Five Years

Snow-covered Ameliasburg looked very nice in the northern part of Prince Edward county when it strikes any other part of Canada to most people, but yesterday it seemed a bit of Heaven to Corporal Allen Sobie, one of four fighting sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sobie of that district, who arrived home on "rotation" duty after five years overseas.

A Member of the famous Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, the Corporal was overseas with the First battalion. He trained through the autumn years in England, went to France on the now famous raid that cost the regiment its Indian colonel, and later served in Italy where he remained until recently.

He is a "member of the second family of Prince Edward's" and his old brother, Private Kenneth Sobie was recently killed in action in the Caligion campaign.

Another brother, Sergeant William Sobie, is serving with his regiment in Belgium, while yet another Private Lloyd Sobie, is training in the army at home.

Corporal Sobie was born in Consecon and moved with his family eleven years ago to their present home "across the bay."

Picton and District

Five Members H. & P.E. Regt. Home on Leave

Picton, Feb. 8 — Five members of the famous Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, among those who returned home on 30 days' leave from Italy, have arrived in Kingston early yesterday morning.

Those home are Sgt. Cecil Harrison, Cpl. Allan Nourse, Sgt. Albert Carr of Picton, Fred Howarth of South Bay and Cpl. Allan Sobie, Ameliasburg.

All had seen five years' service in England, Sicily and Italy. They speak little of their own work but are unanimous in their praise for their unit. It is generally agreed by them that the most spectacular achievement of the regiment was at Assoro in Sicily, when they climbed the almost precipice, taking the Germans by surprise, but that their bitterest fighting was at the Moro River crossing.

Every foot of ground is contested, said Sgt. Carr. There are many canals and the high banks offer an opportunity for the enemy to put up strong resistance. Snipers are very numerous.

The men were not impressed by Sicily as a whole, or by its people. The custom of keeping pigs and sheds adjoining homes disgusted them. All had visited Rome and several had seen the Pope.

Sgt. Harrison was slightly wounded last October. He was greeted by his wife and three children. One of them, the younger son, John, was born, after he left for overseas in December 1939.

Cpl. A. Nourse was engaged in clearing land mines and despite the dangerous work, escaped injury. He enlisted the day war was declared. His brother, Sgt. Gordon Nourse, is with the army on the West Coast and earlier was overseas. He was greeted by his mother, Mrs. Allan Nourse.

Cpl. F. Howarth was met by his wife. He had escaped injury, though in many actions. He stressed the importance of letters and parcels from home. They are a big factor in keeping the men going, he said. Smokes are always a welcome gift.

Cpl. A. Sobie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sobie of Ameliasburg. His brother gave his life in action last October.

Sgt. Carr was welcomed by his wife and three children. He was injured in action last December.

The trip was made from Naples to a United States port, with a transfer to another ship in England.

Report Premier King May Quit Leadership Says Victoria Colonist

Victoria, Feb. 8 — (CP) — The Victoria Colonist published today a special dispatch from Ottawa saying that "reports are in circulation on Parliament Hill that Premier Mackenzie King may resign as leader of the Liberal party before the coming Dominion Federal election."

The newspaper added: "If he does Hon. J. L. Ilsley, finance minister, or Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supply, will assume the mantle, and party support between the two is evenly divided."

LAUNCH VIs IN PAIRS

A Forward R.C.A.F. Airfield, Feb. 8 —(CP Cable)— The Germans are launching their V1s against England in pairs, probably from the same platform, Canadian fighter-bomber pilots reported today after an attack against enemy rail lines near the German border.

Pilots said they saw twin trails of frosted projectiles rise 20 miles ahead of them almost from ground level to great altitudes.

"At first we thought they were jet-piloted, streaking along on a formation they were so close together," said Flt.-Lt. F. J. McAlpine, Windsor, Ont.

FOURTH SET OF TWINS

Allentown, Pa., Feb. 8 —(AP)— Mrs. Peter Surandsky, 36-year-old wife of a truck driver, gave birth to her fourth set of twins. The girl, Jacquiline, arrived at 5:16 p.m., and her brother, Jack, at 5 p.m. They were the 19th and 14th children born to the couple. All are living.

KEPT DOBBIN QUIET

Early automobiles frightened so many horses and created so many runaways that one manufacturer mounted a dummy horse's head at the front of his vehicle to fool old dobbin.



PARACHUTE CHIEF

A new photograph of Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, wearing his red beret with the badge of the paratrooper, regiment and the jumping Jacket. The latter is one of the thousands worn by men of the 6th Airborne Division on the June night when they dropped by parachute into Normandy. He was recently appointed colonel commandant of the parachute regiment.

Pte. Henry Weber Escapes Gallows

Camp Roberts, Calif., Feb. 8 —(AP) —Pte. Henry Weber, 'real pal' of the shadow of the gallows today, his death sentence changed to life imprisonment, his wife continuing her fight for him.

The 27-year-old American soldier, a shipyard foreman at Vancouver, Wash., before being drafted, was sentenced by court martial to hang for slugging a drill, and his case attracted wide attention.

Yesterday, by direction of the commanding general of the camp, the court martial reconvened, revoked the death sentence, sentenced Weber to life imprisonment at hard labor, gave him a dishonorable discharge, and ordered his pay book changed.

In Portland, Oregon, his wife conferred with an American civil liberties official. She denied life imprisonment for her husband is 'still outrageous.'

WIRELESS STILL CHAOTIC

London, Feb. 8 —(CP)— Germany's wireless news service still was in chaotic state on the fifth day after the massive air strike at the heart of Berlin by United States heavy bombers.

Transmission was delayed "in starting from one to three hours and then ended in the Home Service, D.N.B.'s European Service and Transocean Service. The three services usually start transmissions at 6 or 6:30 a.m. Berlin time.

SPECULATION GROWING UP

Toronto, Feb. 8 —(CP)—Kelso Roberts member of the Ontario Legislature for Toronto St. Patrick, said last night that despite the war a "highly speculative spirit" has grown up in Canada and particularly in Ontario with consequent stock market manoeuvres which stand in the way of the war effort.

Expect Labor Demand For Relaxation In Wartime Wage Control

Ottawa, Feb. 8 (CP)—Demands from organized labor for some relaxation in wartime wage control regulations are expected to be put before the Federal cabinet next month when labor organizations make their annual submissions.

Most recent evidence of a growing dissatisfaction on the part of labor with the present regulations comes from the west coast where members of the Street Railwaymen's Union (A.F.L.) unanimously so far in their efforts to have a 1-2 cent wage increase stepped up to six cents, have announced a plan to enlist support of other unions in seeking a revision of the order.

Hospital Board Shows Profit In Year's Work

Picton, Feb. 8.—At the annual meeting of Prince Edward County Hospital Board, Tuesday night, Secretary-Treasurer, R. B. Small reported total revenue for the year of $46,600, operating expense $40,343, leaving gross profit of $6,097. After deducting for depreciation, bad debts, reserve for sinking fund, a net profit for the year of $2,250 was had, since sheet was $157.76. Bequests of $1,100 were acknowledged.

Investments are shown with a listed value of $32,500 and endowment securities with a listed value of $6,700.

There were 1,462 patients during the year with 13,382 patient days. Of the 962 births 152 were males and 141 females.

Officers elected—President, How. and Leavens; Vice President, W. A. Davis; Sec.-Treasurer, R. B. Small. Directors, F. R. Furnelle, R. Warren, Dr. G. Allison, W. Pope, H. N. Tully.

Honor prisoners-of-war camps are operated in Canada as described in an address at the Rotary Club on Tuesday by C. R. Widdifield. There are three classes of camps, those for officers, other ranks, and for members of the merchant marine. Inside the enclosure of wire the camps are much the same. Widdifield said, the prisoners elect up a system of responsibility for internal management of the camps. The prisoners hold of the system of paying prisoners, not in cash but in script, at the rate of a few cents a day. Similarly, the Germans pay their prisoners, and settlements of the international balance of accounts are periodically is made through Swiss authorities. Prisoners' money can be obtained by prisoners if they wish to work in certain occupations under guard.

Mr. Widdifield told of periodic visits to the camps by the Swiss consul, who makes reports, forwarded to Germany through Switzerland. Similarly, we in Canada, receive accurate reports on German prison camps through Switzerland, he said.

Pictorial Review of Week's Events



Lt. Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, Jr., commander of the U.S. Tenth Army, who was killed by Japanese fire on Okinawa. He was the highest ranking U.S. officer killed in the war.



Lt. Gen. Walter Krueger, commander of the U.S. Sixth Army, who succeeded Lt. Gen. Buckner in command of the Tenth Army on Okinawa.

Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, commander of the U.S. forces in the China-Burma-India theatre, who has been recalled to Washington.

Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, who succeeds Lt. Gen. Stilwell as commander of the U.S. forces in the China-Burma-India theatre.

BAY RUM VENDOR JAILED

Toronto, Feb. 8 — (CP) — Isaac Shorfell, Toronto cigar store operator charged with keeping bay rum for sale and selling bay rum, was sentenced yesterday to two months in jail on each charge, sentences to run concurrently. Crown Prosecutor W. B. Common said conviction in this case was important as "it would make liable to prosecution anyone, other than licensed druggists and others allowed to sell drugs, who keeps bay rum for sale."

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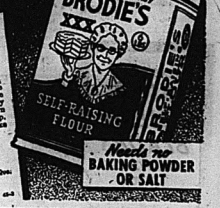
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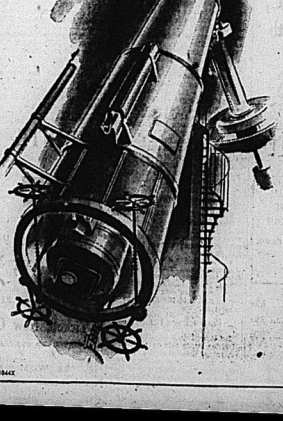
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Mountain View "Bombers" Outsmart and Outplay Flyers Of Trenton To Win by 5-3 Score

Williams in Nets for Wins-nerx Unbeatable in Final Stages of Contest

Making a strong third period comeback after trailing for the first two thirds of the game, the Mountain View "Bombers" gained sweet revenge over the Trenton RAAF main station Wednesday evening when, at the Bureau arena, the final scheduled game in the local service league duly outmanned and outplayed the boys from our Trenton way to bang up a nifty 5-3 decision.

Period scores were 2-1 and 3-3 for Trenton with the boys from the bombing and gunnery school on the hill counting three times in the final stanza, after going scoreless in the 20 minutes. Dan Cowley who carried most of the offensive load for the "Bombers" with this victory, of the kind that is dangerous to the opposition goal tender every time he stepped onto the ice, William Jones had a smart game for the "Bombers" mite, and at times Hierby stood between his net and defeat as Trenton forwards broke thru so fast. Jim Wilson and Duquette for the winners were other effective thorns in Trenton's side, while for the losers it was again Raymond and his wingers Rasmisky and Gingras who drove in for most of the counters.

Mountain View got away to a good start in the first period when Wilson soloed to put his team in the lead. Raymond came back near the halfway mark, however, and evened matters with a counter of his own while Peck put the Trenton lads into the lead on a shot which eluded Williams in the "Bombers" nets.

Players Mix

Rasmisky and Aube mixed matters briefly in the first period after the former rushed the former's goalie in a mixup around the nets. Both players were chased to their wrestling compensation but feeling ran high throughout the pastime and stiff work carried high, especially in the middle stanza. Tripe verse "Bombers" however had a busy time chasing players to the bench.

Trenton went two goals up near the end of the second period as Raymond clicked on a three-man play with Gingras right through the Mountain View citadel. The veteran Cowley got the "Bombers" back in the running on a pass from Duquette, however, just as the period ended.

The third period was definitely all Mountain View and for the greater part of the time the Trenton lads were all bottled up in their own end of the rink as the opposition forwards swarmed all around. Scored from Faceoff

But score they did with Cowley driving through for the tying counter from the initial faceoff. And with that biting counter Trenton's hopes of making it two wins in a row for the season faded. Sensing victory, the goal-hungry "Bombers" swarmed in on Robertson in the Trenton nets and he all but stood on his head as he battled and bodied out pucks driven at him from all directions.

At the halfway mark Mountain View went into the lead for the second time in the game and this time stayed ahead as Wilson and Duquette combined. Solo thrusty by Trenton proved unavailing as the game ended with six Trenton forwards driving in a vain effort to get the equalizer.

The Lineups—

Trenton — goal, Robertson; defence, Rashnard and Rae; centre, Raymond; wings, Rasmisky and Gingras; subs, Currie, Marshall, Perras, Thompson and Merpah said Peck.

Mountain View — goal, Williams; defence, Brock and Swanson; centre Cowley; wings, Aube and Boudreau; subs, Wilson, MacMullen, Cowley, Goring, Pigge and Beresford.

SUMMARY

1st Period—
Mountain View—Wilson 6.40
Trenton—Peck 11.00
Trenton—Peck 14.10
Penalties: Rasmisky, Aube and Swanson.

2nd Period—
Trenton—Raymond
(Rasmisky, Gingras) 14.00
Mountain View—
Cowley (Duquette) 17.30
Penalties: Merpah, Marshall 2, and Swanson.

3rd Period—
Mountain View—Cowley
(Boudreau) 00
Wilson (Swanson) 9.50
Mountain View—
Duquette (Swanson) 16.50
Referee: Reinhardt.
Referee: Cowley" St. Louis and "Toots" Holway.

TO RUN MEETING

Toronto, Feb. 6 —(CP)— Fred Cryer, announced yesterday a summer harness race meeting would be held at Dufferin Park, Toronto, July 27, 26 and 29. Dates are for seven events carrying substantial purses and a wide variety of classes.

BARONS SWEEP INTO CONTROL OF FIRST PLACE

Two Points Ahead of Indianapolis Capitals and the Buffalo Bisons

(By The Canadian Press)

Cleveland Barons swept into sole control of the American Hockey League leadership last night when they upset the lowly St. Louis Flyers 5-3 on Clevelands Barons, with 52 points, now are two points ahead of the Indianapolis Capitals and Buffalo Bisons.

In other games last night, Bisons defeated Providence Reds 4-3 at Buffalo, and the rejuvenated Pittsburgh Hornets defeated Hershey Bears 7-3 at Pittsburgh.

The Cleveland-St. Louis game developed into a walk. In the final period when Johnny Hady, St. Louis defenseman, was ejected for misconduct penalty, for threatening promenade official with his stick. Later he exchanged blows with Ray Benzie, Barons' hefty defenseman, and both drew the coop for five minutes.

Barons built up a 2-1 lead in the first period and downed a score of 5-3 by the end of the second. Lou Jankowski set the pace with two goals and two assists for Cleveland, while George Agar got two goals and one assist. Defenseman Dan Symrd and Johnson added the other tallies for the Barons. St. Louis goals were provided by Art Giroux, with two, and Nakina Smith.

Fourth Successive Victory

It was the fourth successive victory for the Barons and a timely one to edge out Capitals for a play-off berth. Capitals, meanwhile, bowed Hornet's triumph with three goals, while Bill Gracie contributed two and Bob Wallace and Jack Hamilton's lone notched singles.

Hershey's goals by Bill Gooden, Alex Ritzen and Hec Fonne.

Hershey had a clear indication of their aggressive nature in the first period and whipped in 4 goals before Bears scored their 1st. Jamieson's goal followed and in the second period Bears added the only marker, Ponzo's goal for Hershey's second with 18 seconds left in the game.

Bisons' victory broke a four-game losing streak, while Providence Reds had twice tied the score. Gen. Buffalo's semi, Buffalo ahead with an early first period goal with Gerry Bellamare recovering for Reds a minute later. Regan gave Bisons the Bisons ahead again and Bellemarre again retrieved the deadlock. Wimpy Jones scored with a turned shot to be the winning tally, and the only third-period goal came from Paul Mundrick.

JOHNNY BLUTE STILL LEADING

Toronto, Feb. 6 —(CP)— Johnny Blute of St. Michael's Majors, with a total of 10 points, still leads the point margin over team mate Leo Gravelle in the OHA senior scoring race. Two other St. Michael's forwards, Bill Johnny McCormack and Joe Sadler, are tied for third place with 36 points.

	GP	PTS
Blute, Michael's	30	20
Gravelle, Michael's	22	20
McCormack, St. Michaels	16	22
Sadler, St. Michael's	19	18
McMurdy, St. Catharines	17	23
Sloan, St. Michael's	20	17
Peterson, St. Catharines	16	17
Sullivan, Oshawa	19	10
Paul, St. Michael's	14	14
Delmonte, St. Catharines	12	12

JIMMY FOXX PLANS COMEBACK

Philadelphia, Feb. 6 — (AP) — Jimmy Foxx, one of the greatest home run hitters of all time, plans a serious comeback effort this year —at the age of 39.

And it may be with the National League Phillies.

Within 10 pounds of his best playing weight and imbued with the same enthusiasm he had 20 years ago when he first reported to the Athletics, Foxx stopped off at the Phillies' office yesterday and asked general manager Herb Pennock whether he'd be interested in him as a good first or third baseman.

They had a long conference, behind locked doors.

When it ended, Pennock refused to comment, but Foxx said he wanted a last crack at the majors and declared himself confident that he would be about as good as ever.

"I'm not through," he said.

DETROIT WINGS WIN

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 5 —(CP)— Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League turned in a 10-6 win over the Windsor team in an exhibition game before 4,000 fans last night.

Toronto lead 5-4 at the end of the first period, as they bombarded Wings' reserve goalie, Norman Smith. Harry Lumley, Wings regular goalie, took over in the second period and held the Sailors to one more tally.

SURPASS IN STRENGTH

Brisbane, Feb. 5 — (CP) — Army Minister Forde said in a broadcast yesterday that Australia is using or is ready to use military forces surpassing in strength anything she had mustered in either the last war or this war.

CASUAL COMMENT

by K.J.C.

An old Scotswoman, taken ill, told her daughter to send for the minister. "Ye mean the doctor, mither, more modern than her mother and sent for the doctor."

He found little the matter; and, when he had gone, leaving word, the daughter fully instructed in the treatment, the old body called downstairs: "Mary, who was yon young man?"

"Ye ken the doctor, mither."

"Ah, aye!" — after a short pause — "I thocht he looked a bright fameesellar for the meenister."

Play-Off Times

Trenton assured themselves of first place in the Little Six by beating Campbellford 12 to 0 last night. Now the play-offs in the loop are settled as Trenton goes on to playing Stirling in the semi-finals while Bancroft and Tweed are matched in a similar series commencing at the Thanksgiving Day week-end night. The winners will ultimately clash for the Little title.

In the final standing Trenton gathered in 15 points, Belleville 13, Stirling 7, and Madoc and Tweed 10 just to prove how close the loop race for junior hockey has been in the give district fans the best of the times.

Did Yez Know.

Here are some interesting and pertinent facts concerning sports brought-to light by Doug Vanthof in the Windsor Star. "Brothers Paul and Tiny Thompson, who played amateur and National League hockey for 20 years, both were on the same payroll until last season. That was the year when Tiny, one of hockey's immortals as member of the Boston Bruins, became a scout for the Chicago Black Hawks managed by Paul.....Signs of the times: Wendell Clark, Detroit Wh called himself Charley Watts, failed to show up for the game in San Francisco, his aged second, once a good boxer but not in recent years. The last 15 years, climbed into the ring with a ton de plume of Nicholas Michigan and went the full rounds.....He finally sat down exhausted and asked the referee to call it yet.....Frank Golch, greatest of all wrestling champions won 832 out of his 180 matches.....His six defeats were dealt by Jim McMillen and Farmer Burns in 1908, by Farmer Burns in 1909, Tom Jenkins twice in 1909, and Paul Beall in 1909.....One night in Denver Golch, who weighed 250 pounds, whipped five Jap jujitsu experts at once.....At the finish three of the Japs were unconscious while the other two had broken legs."

Welcome Home.

Following the completion of his tour of "ops" over Nazi Germany, Flight Lt. Sears is back home visiting his family on Bleecker Avenue. Sears returned just in time to see his favorite hockey team in action—the Belleville juniors, who with their play-off here tomorrow night. Incidentally PO Sears was one of the officers of the original Belleville group, who organized juvenile hockey here seven seven or eight years ago. Later he was secretary of the team and even while overseas followed the Belleville juniors with interest. His brother Ted, erstwhile blue boy and Canadian battler had Harvey in distress in the opening rounds, but the Englishman rallied strong to win the unanimous nod.

No Worries Here.

Negro major baseball leagues will be organized in 1947, announced by any Organized Ball circuits operate, according to J. L. Wilkinson, co-owner of the Kansas City Monarchs. Wilkinson is more concerned about the condition of his star hurler, Satchel Paige, than he is the organization of the league. Paige, the Army age, has been ill with a heart condition.

A Smart Goalie.

The smartest goaltending the fans have looked at in a long time was displayed by Williams of the Mountain View "Bombers" when they defeated Trenton Flyers last night. He was simply unbeatable, especially in the third period when he made 10 of his 27 stops. His opportunities to hit the twine but were thwarted by Williams came out to make a marvelous stop and Williams were the stumbling blocks in the undoubted string of the Flyers. Paul Raymond is still the best man on the ice and he was dangerous every time he took hold of the rubber and he was always shooting away from the net. His first goal was a picture one, Williams being completely baffled by the shift and shot. It will be a great series when these two teams in the playoffs.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Tonight: New York at Montreal

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Eastern Division	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Buffalo	22	18	7	51
Hershey	20	18	8	48
Providence	17	21	5	39
Western Division				
Cleveland	22	10	9	53
Indianapolis	20	15	11	51
Pittsburgh	19	19	6	44
St. Louis	11	26	6	28
Tuesday's St. Louis 3, Cleveland 5				
Hershey 3, Pittsburgh 7; Providence 2, Buffalo 4.				

O.H.A. Junior B

Brantford Lions 4, Stratford 3.
Watford 6, Rodney 2 (Group 1 semi-finals).

Interprovincial

Lachine 9, Shawinigan Falls 3.

E.T.S.H.L.

Philadelphia Eagles 2, Washington Lions 1.

Man. Inter-Division Jr.

Rangers (South) 8, Canadian Ukrainian Athletic Club (North) 4.

Sask. Jr. (North Division)

St. Boniface Athletics 1, Regina Red Wings 6.

Sr. Exhibition

H.M.C.S. Chippawa 11, MacDonald Airports 10.

Alberta Services Sr.

R.C.A.F. Mustangs 4, Currie Army 2.

FAMOUS NON-COM. DIES

Driffield, England —(CP)— Sgt.-Maj. William Adams, Basey Adams to thousands, of First Great War recruits and "The Bricklayer With the Bowler Hat" in an academy painting by Lady Anstruther died in this Yorkshire town. Adams, 76, was a Bisley marksman in his youth.

JUNIOR PLAY-OFFS BEGIN FRIDAY

It's play-off time in the "Little Six" Junior O.H.A. group once again and the four clubs to gain the coveted play-off positions include Trenton, Belleville, Stirling and Madoc and Hastings "Amalgamators." The group's semi-final playdowns opens at Belleville and if Trenton on Friday night in a best-in-three series with these two clubs gaining any possible third game by virtue of finishing in the top two brackets.

Hockey in the "Little Six" circuit has been treated to the finest season of hockey played in the O.H.A. in many years, the games of the final standing proving the keen competitiveness existing all season. The league was not settled by positions earned until the final game of the schedule. Now it's play-off time, that period when fans increase in numbers to take in the "moneyed series." The two clubs emerging victory in the semi-finals series will then meet for the group championship and the right to advance to the Junior O.H.A. "B" provincial playdowns.

The final standing in the "Little Six" is as follows:

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Trenton	7	2	1	15
Belleville	6	3	1	13
Stirling	3	6	0	12
Hastings	3	4	3	10
Campbellford	3	7	0	6
Tweed	1	6	1	6

Friday night: Hastings at Belleville; Stirling at Trenton.

INCREASE WATER SUPPLY

Nairobi, Kenya, (CP)—A resolution that Nairobi's water supply must be increased to at least 18,000,000 gallons a day in order to meet present and immediate future needs of the town was passed at a recent meeting of the town's municipal council.

"E" ALLEYS

EVENING

Beavers, 4 Pts—1, Moreau 433; G. Cross 504; P. Johnston 554; E. Moore 539; P. Rawson 562. Total 2611.

Spitfires, 0 Pts—B. Bolte 471; H. Lancaster 387; L. Stribbell 385; J. Gibbons 480; J. Doe 300. Total 1971.

Lancasters, 2 Pts—L. Johnson 470; N. Dorian 380; B. Stapleton 390; R. Fulwell 362; F. Brown 444. Total 2139.

Idlers, 2 Pts—T. Wardhaugh 561; B. Shappee 442; A. Hurst 352; H. Reddick 580; J. Doe 300. Total 2179.

SMART IN THE AIR

New Delhi, (CP)—A photographic reconnaissance squadron of the Indian Air Force, operating on the Burma front since early in 1944, has taken more than 30,000 close and vertical air photographs of Japanese territory. To obtain these the pilots have flown nearly 900 sorties.

AT THE ARENA TONIGHT

PUBLIC SKATING.

FRIDAY

JR. O.H.A. HOCKEY PLAY-OFF.

SATURDAY MORNING

FREE SKATING FOR CHILDREN

SATURDAY AFTERNOON and EVENING

PUBLIC SKATING

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 5 — (CP) — There seems to be a slight difference of opinion between baseball and hockey sportsmen over what should and what shouldn't be done for them to ease the manpower situation.

Baseball, which on the surface seems to have less to worry about than the ice game in the matter of possible loss of players, doesn't seem to be worrying unduly — at least if you judge by what president Ford Frick of the National League said the other day.

Rebutting rumors that the U. S. national pastime would ask Washington to let 4-F men keep on playing ball instead of going into other lines of endeavor, Frick turned thumbs down on the idea. Apparently, he believed there will be enough men to keep baseball going —if after a fashion — even if these players are sent to the official showers.

That's quite a different story from that of Conn Smythe's threat that 150 hockey players be made available for play in the coming season. Apart from the recent selective service order forbidding discharged men without overseas service playing in games south of the border, the Canadian sport boss has failed to say appreciable extent.

Of course, the league itself last year imposed a rule preventing anyone also belonging the puck around the O.H.A. leagues from any activities military exempt or had his proper clearance papers from selective service — war work deferments barred.

That much-discussed action originally was termed an attempt by the O.H.A. to create a spiritual Canadiens' wheels, but didn't work that way. By way, in fact, have averted a possible government edict in the same ends if criticism had become too loud about these thusky young men' playing hockey.

In any event, there doesn't seem much in the way of professional hockey carrying on as it did this season, unless Smythe has some straws pointing to possible future players from Parliament Hill that might upset the applecart. The NHL did very well indeed with the players available, and we haven't heard many anguished laments about the decline receipts dropping to record lows.

BEST-LIKED "PRISONER"

Rome, (CP) — Best-behaved and best-liked prisoner-of-war in British hands is "Hardship" bear in London — a handsome Irish setter with his pup skater, a German general, Von Arnim, as owner (of a channel) port. He will be returned to the general at the end of the war.

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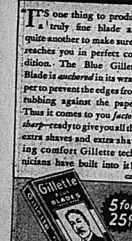
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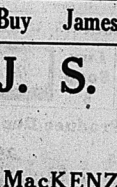
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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 601 -
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

The cumulative system has some wonderful rules with regard to signals for every occasion. Most bridge players are good enough for either efficiency that adopting it. Take the first response to an opening bid of one. With complex ideas, you are not sure of them-selves. On some occasions, you simply follow four simple steps.

The first step is this: Pass with not more than two tricks. Don't bid just because you have an ace or a couple of jacks or a king or queen. Wait for three tricks.

The second step is this: bid something if you have more than two tricks with two high cards among them. Without two queens or better, pass; even with more than two tricks.

The third step is this: When you bid, follow it with no takeout; assist, Only with no takeout or assist, bid no-trump. Or if you have an ace or a couple of jacks or a king or queen. Wait for three tricks.

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The fourth step is this: Jump the number of your bid if you see certain tricky fire game. If the jump is on the first round, you must also have two sure tricks.

Now your partner starts with an opening bid of one diamond and you have this responding hand:

♠A 10 3
♥A K 10 9 4
♦A 4
♣K 4 3

Go through the four steps. Have you more than two tricks? Yes. Then you do not pass. Have you more than two tricks with two high cards among them? Yes. Then you bid something.

With enough for a bid, follow it with a takeout. With less than six tricks, do not jump. Therefore, your first response is a non-jump take-out to one heart.

Some players jump only because they have so many and a half of this or that. Some players merely jump out of their skin.

AT THE BELLE

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Gladys "Zoot Suit"

Many of Humphrey Bogart's biographers would have you believe that his career started with "The River" that he wasn't screen material. He insisted that he was so they set about proving that he wasn't wrong. They put him in a "Western" and made him ride broncos.

Bogart was born in New York City on Christmas Day 1900. His father was a noted surgeon. His mother, Maude, Humphrey was a well known magazine artist.

The Bogarts lived just around the corner from the William A. Brady's and Humphrey's boyhood playmates were young Bill Brady and his sister, Alice. It was the older Brady who rescued Humphrey from a stock broker's office and gave him a job as assistant stage manager. Eventually Brady let Humphrey act and let him try to act in a play called "Swim." Both Humphrey and Humphrey got bad notices; but Brady had faith in the young actor, and gave him another chance. This time he made good.

For several years Bogart was a juvenile. Then Robert Sherwood wrote "The Petrified Forest" and he was chosen to play the part of the gangster. He did such a job of it that people still talk about it.

He repeated the role in the screen version and was on his way up the ladder of screen fame. Other outstanding films in which he has appeared were "Casablanca," "Passage to Marseilles", and "High Sierra".

Lauren Bacall is Mrs. Bogart. So is Belle theatre, he plays the role of a gangster—"Baby Face"—during a fellow as striking in his way as was "Red" Grange. Now, this Samuel Goldwyn production stars Sylvia Sidney and Joel McCrea. Wendy Barrie, Chas. Trevor and Allen Jenkins are also prominently featured in the film. "Dead End", based on the stage play by Sidney Kingsley, and directed by William Wyler, regarded among Hollywood's Ace Directors.

Laurel and Hardy in "Music Box"

Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy are featured in "Music Box" which will be presented on the same program with "Valley of the Lake," a beautiful screen Novelette production in Technicolor.

BEVERIDGE HEADS LIBERALS

London, Feb. 5 (Reuters) — Sir William Beveridge, who has compaigned for Social Security and full employment, was elected Vice President of Britain's Liberal Party yesterday. Sir Archibald Sinclair was elected, were Lady Megan Lloyd George, member of parliament,—the daughter of Britain's famous last war premier, Mrs. Corbett Ashby, former Liberal campaigners and Isaac Foot.

LAWYER CARRIES PAPERS FOR SON WHO IS ILL

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 5 (AP)—T. T. W. Becker, General Counsel of the Union Pacific railroad — appeared tired and pre-occupied these days, Many of his friends knew why. He has his 11-year-old son. Tom, became ill recently, the railroad executive took over the boy's duties—carrying a paper route.

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VERBALBOUQUETS KEEPING PACE WITH CANADIENS

Team Setting Blistering Pace as Squads Head for Finishing Line

By The Canadian Press

Montreal Canadiens are setting a blistering pace down the N.H.L. loop lanes these fading hockey days and about the only thing that is keeping pace at the moment is the barrage of verbal bouquets, some a lot more startling than the Montreal-ers's 11-point league lead.

Ever since Jack Adams penned Maurice (The Rocket) Richard as "greatest hockey player I've seen in 20 years," the compliments have been coming thick and fast and from responsible quarters.

Today's young newcomers have been compared with the hockey great of the past till the fans must be wondering if they really heard all that talk a while back about the "quality" of wartime play.

Toronto Leaf manager Conny Smythe told a Toronto sports writer at that Richard was not only a fine player but a "great leader." He didn't compare him with stars of the past. That was left to Dick Irvin of Canadiens who said that Bill Durnan was the best goaltender he'd looked at in 20 years in the National League.

That's taking in a lot of territory because in the past two decades such stars as Lorne Chabot, Frankie Brimsek and George Hainsworth, Charlie Conacher, Howie Morenz and a host of others have passed across the hockey stage and the experienced Mr. Irvin and Mr. Adams have seen most of them.

Latest on the list is Bob Goldsworthy is Ted Kennedy, Toronto's 19-year-old line sensation who zapped home three goals in Leaf's 5-4 victory over the Hawks and two more against Boston in Toronto's 2-1 win over the Bruins Tuesday night.

Said coach Happy Day of the Leafs: "I think Kennedy is the best teen-aged boy to reach major hockey since Howie Morenz." Kennedy, too, is no brickbat.

For the record Kennedy is sixth at the moment in the N.H.L. scoring race, with 21 points, against Maurice The Rocket's 25.

Seven are comparative veteran campaigners Elmer Lach of Canadiens, Bill Cowley of Boston, Blake of Canadiens and Bill Howe of Detroit.

Racing Associations Want To Co-operate

Winnipeg, Feb. 5 (CP) — Charles Hon, assistant manager of R. J. Speers, said in an interview last night any racing association would welcome any steps which would eliminate bookmaking.

He was commenting on a Calgary report that a meeting of Alberta thoroughbred horse breeders had formed an association which will apply to the provincial legislature at the next session for legislation to permit trade bets on horse racing in downtown Edmonton and Calgary for direct transmission to the pari-mutuels at the race track, when racing is in progress.

He said that as he knew it it was illegal to take wagers any place but on the course during the days of racing and that the question was covered in a federal statute known as the Criminal Code.

"I would be, and I think any racing association would be, heartily in accordance with any steps taken to do away with bookmaking," he said.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
(Associated Press Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 5. (AP)—If the National Football League wants to get rid of a few weak clubs, Chick Meehan would be glad to have them. . . Apparently shut out of Yankee stadium with his Trans-America League, Chick has been looking for new fields and listening to two suggestions that there still is room for another major grid league and that the 11-club National League is unwieldy. . . A solution would be for the Nationals to whittle itself down to eight clubs and give the overflow to another league. . . Or it could split into two eight-club sections and each could play home-and-home schedules with a real "World Series" at the end and make for more profitable exhibitions. . . .

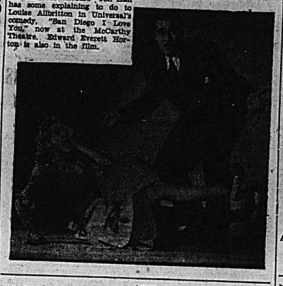
One Minute Sports Page.

Sid Mercer, dean of the New York baseball writing clan, is dangerously ill. . . . Willie Hammerstein read promoter Babe McCoy's threat to sue Lee Oman for breach of promise, or something"—If Lee pulls out of a California race with Pinky Fitzpatrick Jimmy wired offering Lou Nova as substitute. "For $10,000" explained Hammerstein "those lions in the park would look interesting. . . . Lew Hurston of the fight managers' guild" was asked what would happen if one member chose to disregard the wishes of the majority. He replied: "I think the other managers would get very mad at him".

ACCURATE CONCEPT

William Gilbert in 1600 set the foundation for the discovery of radio when he conceived of the earth as a great magnet with magnetic poles and a field of force about it.

AT THE McCARTHY—Jon Hall has some explaining to do to Louise Allbritton in University's comedy, "San Diego I Love You," now at the McCarthy Theatre. Edward Everett Horton is also in the film.



MACK IS ADMIRER OF COL. MACPHAIL BOSS OF YANKEES

Veteran Manager Says New Owner Will Put American League On Its Toes

Los Angeles, Feb. 5 (AP)—The 39-year-old boss of the Philadelphia Athletics, Connie Mack, is regarded as a conservative member of the old school of baseball, but he believes the advent into the American League of the Dominion of Larry MacPhail is a stroke of good luck.

MacPhail, says Connie, is going to keep the rest of the league on its toes.

"I'm a great admirer of Col. MacPhail," the veteran tactician said during a fanning bee with a group of baseball men. "He did a great job at Cincinnati and at Brooklyn. I'm glad to see him in with the Yankees. He can keep interest in baseball at all while hot pitch. He really put night baseball over. He has ideas, pep and color and so do his teams.

"He could be is completely in accord with the major leagues' decision to retain the commissioner powers.

"By all means, baseball needs a commissioner—one with plenty of power, too", he elaborated. "But I don't think we should be in too much of a hurry to pick him. There are any number of men, both in and out of baseball, well fitted for the position, but if we take our time we should find just the Right Man."

The fanning bee got around to the annual question of when Mack is going to retire.

"They cannot" he asked. "I'm looking forward to baseball after the war. We'll all have good players then and revived interest in the game. Then too, it has been a long time since we won a pennant in Philadelphia. Maybe it'll be our turn pretty soon, and I shouldn't want to miss that."

ALL MALE CASTS

Shakespeare, intimately connected with the theatre for most of his life, never saw an actress, because female parts were played by actors.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

In a move to redesign hockey playing rinks, Jim Dunn, owner of the Toronto N.H.L. Leafs has arranged to have high school teams play at Maple Leaf Gardens this winter on an ice surface which will be devoid of blue lines. Only a centre line will be used for the calling of offsides. The plan has been adopted as a test for consideration of the pro loop governors.

The Prairie Association Ltd., has been organized at Calgary by Alberta breeders for the purpose of applying to the next session of the legislature for an act permitting the taking of wagers in a central office for races on Calgary and Edmonton tracks. The idea would be to eliminate bookmaking.

Larry MacPhail, new president of the New York Yankees, and Chick Meehan, organizer of the Trans-America Football League which plans to operate after the war, are expected to hold a conference next week to discuss the possibility of Yankee Stadium for pro Grid features, it was stated in New York last night.

President Mervyn (Red) Dutton spent yesterday in Montreal, but did not confer with Labor Minister Humphrey Mitchell or Arthur Mac-Namara, director of labor, in effect in Service, regarding the request of the N.H.L. Board of Governors for the privilege of using 150 non-fit players in the major circuit next season. Both officials, however, said they would be inclined to co-operate.

George Herman Ruth, once known as "Babe, the King of Swat", celebrated his 51st birthday with a party in his New York home last night. The former slugger, now weighing 200 pounds, recalled in an interview his record of sixty home runs back in 1927 and classed the Yankees of that year as the greatest all-round ball club he ever played on. Babe is now partly incapacitated because of a knee operation eight months ago.

Formerly a star in the Toronto Commercial Hockey League, Leo Nevins last night scored ten goals for Beale Printing Centre No. 2 team when the soldiers defeated Dominion Now 14-3 in the first of the finals of the Brantford, Ont., local league. Murray Dowey, who had a trial with the Toronto N.H.L. Leafs at Owen Sound last fall, was in the net for the pamp team.

INDUSTRIAL CENTRE

In peacetime, Liege was a leading industrial centre of Belgium.



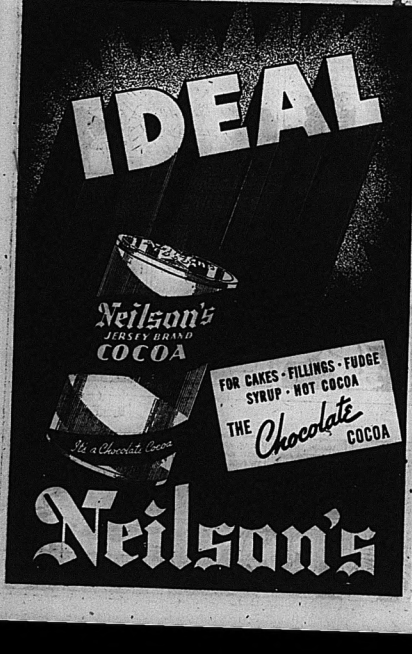
AT THE CAPITOL—Allen Lane, Kenne Duncan and Carl Sepulveda ins dramatic scene from "Stagecoach To Monterey," Republic's thrilling new western now showing at the Capitol with the added hit "Thoroughbreds", the sport of kings.

THEATRE FEATURE TIMES

B-E-L-L-E	McCARTHY	CAPITOL
DEAD END'	SAN DIEGO I LOVE YOU	"Stage Coach to Monterey"
Humphrey Bogart Sylvia Sidney Joel McCrea	1.30 - 3.25 - 5.20 - 10.25 MURDER IN THE BLUE ROOM	7.00 - 8.25
2.55 — 7.25 — 9.40	2.55 — 7.00 — 9.25	"Thoroughbreds" 9.00 - 10.20

TEEN AGE CLUB

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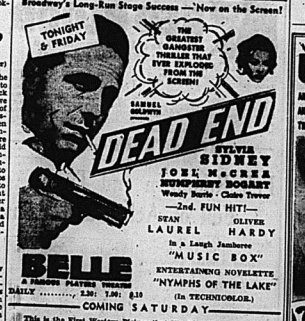
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"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 11

"Sorry," said Livia with finality, "but you're six months too late. I'm getting married to Miss Nolan's brother. She introduced us, Elisabeth."

"Bruce Nolan?" She nodded. "We've got to hold a meeting and have a caucus. This is 1941." "I hate the movies," MacDonald was surprised at her unusual outburst.

"Crazy," he said getting up, "I'll be in Colorado for a week."

TO BE CONTINUED

If you change your mind, you know where to find me. He wrote his address on the back of an envelope. "It's a waste of time," she told him.

"Sure, sure, but keep it."

"All right — but don't hold your breath until you hear from me."

"I won't," he pressed her and rejoined the movie group.

Elisabeth pressed Livia's hand. "Bruce will make you happy," she said.

"Of course he will. Why do you say that?" Livia's voice was high and sharp.

They were coming down now. The Nolans bucked and wheeled like a harpooned whale. Elisabeth looked so pale that Livia thought she would faint. She was glad when the plane touched earth. And she was so occupied in looking after Elisabeth that she did not notice the departure of the movie people and Frank MacDonald. And she rarely thought of them during the next few days at Judge Nolan's ranch.

It was Elisabeth's idea that she should be introduced to Judge Nolan as the future wife of his son. "I want him to know you first, and love you as I do. Then we'll come."

So all he knew about Livia was that she was a friend of Elisabeth's. The judge was shocked when he realized how ill Elisabeth had been.

"Why didn't you tell me?" he stormed. "But that's the way with all the members of my family. I'm the last one they confide in. Do you know that obstinate son of mine—Bruce?" he suddenly asked Livia.

"Yes, I know him." Livia replied "and I don't think he's obstinate." The judge looked at her. He opened his mouth to speak, but remained silent.

Later, when they were sitting on the wide veranda he thanked Livia for bringing Elisabeth home.

"You'll stay with us for the summer, won't you?" he said. Livia smiled into eyes that were a true replika of Bruce's and looked at the fine head with its shaggy white hair.

"I wish I could—but I have to get back."

"What for?"

"I'm getting married," Livia said and winked at Elisabeth.

"Oh — is he an actor?" he demanded abruptly.

"In a way," Livia admitted.

"I'm going to bed," Elisabeth said. Livia jumped to her feet.

"I'll go with you," she said. She remained with Elisabeth until she fell asleep.

The next day Livia rode with the judge over the estate. She had been prepared to dislike him. But despite herself, she was drawn to the old man. He was deeply grateful to Livia for taking care of Elisabeth, and he displayed his best manners. It would be nice to have a man like him for a father, Livia thought, and wondered what he'd say if his should meet Earl Dixon.

How strangely Dixon had disappeared. Was he dead? She shivered in the hot sunshine.

The next day Frank MacDonald telephoned Livia.

"You're reconsidered?" he said cautiously.

"No," Livia replied vehemently. "Fine. I'll bring over the contract and you can sign."

"You can bring it — but I won't sign it." Livia slammed the receiver down and burned indignantly at Elisabeth, who was reading a book. She started to speak to Elisabeth, but changed her mind. It was useless to discuss Bruce further. She wanted to sign that contract. Perhaps if she explained to Bruce, he would understand.

"I'm going back to Hollywood," she told Elisabeth.

"That contract—you're accepting it?"

"Yes — it was a relief to admit this last. I can't help myself," she said, looking away from Elisabeth's clear eyes, "Maybe I'll fall again. I'd never forgive myself—or Bruce—if I let this opportunity slip by. Bruce will understand and we can be married just the same."

"And if he doesn't?" Elisabeth asked softly.

"Then I'll sign the contract anyway, you do understand, don't you? I love Bruce. But—"

"Don't be so unhappy, about it. Go back to Hollywood and tell Bruce. Perhaps he'll see it your way."

"Perhaps he will," said Livia dubiously. They both knew he would not.

"I'd like Miss Clarkson to see it first," said Bruce to an agent who had driven a horse and buggy to Fernando Valley. Bruce had visited it when he belonged to Buck Baker. Buck was dead, and the land he had left Bruce had put the estate on the market.

There were twenty acres of good fertile land with oranges, lemons, walnuts, figs, and vine bushes, and the magnificent trees that had been named for a pair of famous screen lovers. The house was strongly-built with oak beams supporting a living-room that covered the entire ground floor.

"When will your fiancee be back in Hollywood?" the agent asked. "I have another prospective customer for—"

"She's in Colorado now," said Bruce. "But I know she'll like the place. I'll pay a deposit now. Hold the property for me."

Bruce had due back in San Diego, but he stopped off at his bungalow to pick up some clothes. And found Livia!

"Darling!"

He held her close in his arms, kissed her eyes and hair, then put her at arms' length to look at her.

"I've just bought a house for you," he smiled. "You're coming with me to San Diego, and we'll be married tomorrow in Mexico."

"Sit down a minute," Livia said. "I've something to explain."

"About Elisabeth?" he interrupted. "How is she?"

"No, not about Elisabeth."

"Father?"

"No, not your father. It's me."

Bruce waited, his face still glowing with the surprise of finding her here.

"I've just come from Monarch Pictures," Livia said slowly. She waited for him to grasp what she had said, but Bruce was still smiling, and she continued quickly. "I've just signed a contract with them. I'm not supposed to marry

(To be continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

THURSDAY, FEB. 8

—6.00 p.m.
CBL—Relax and Enjoy Music.
WBEN, WGR—News. 6.15—Sports.
WKBW-CBS—Major Eliot.
—6.15 p.m.
CBL—News. Farm Markets.
—6.30 p.m.
CFRB—Wm. McKnight, Sports.
—6.45 p.m.
CBL—BBC News and Comment.
WBEN—Lowell Thomas.
—6.55 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Bob Burns.
—7.30 p.m.
CBL—Concerto Quartet.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
—7.45 p.m.
WBEN, WGY-N—Vandercook News.
CFRB—Musical Review.
WKBW-CBS—Martin Block Show.
—8.30 p.m.
WKBW-WJR—Lou Persons Finder.
CJBC—Bert Niosi Italia Band.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WBEN-NBC—Bob Burns.
—8.00 p.m.
CFRB—The Market Basket.
CJBC-NBC—Kent Morgan Show.
WKBW-CBS—Suspense.
—8.30 p.m.
CJBC—Service Forum.
CFRB—Dr. Christian Cheesborough
WKBW—Death Valley.
CKEY-MBS—Sammy Kaye.
WBEN-NBC—Dinah Shore.
CBL—Victor Show.
WGR-B—Town Meeting.
—8.00 p.m.
WJR, WKBW-CBS—Major Bowes.
—8.35 p.m.
CFRB—War Front stories.
—8.30 p.m.
WGR-Blue—Tommy Tucker Orch.
CFRB—Tin Pan Tunners.
WBEN—Village Store.
WKBW-CBS—Cortes Archer.
CJBC—Canadian Cavalcade.
—10.00 p.m.
CBL, CFCO—News.
WBEN-NBC—Abbott and Costello.
WKBW-CBS—Gene Plant Line.
CJBC—Light up and Listen.
WGR-Blue—Fred Waring.
—10.30 p.m.
WBEN—Ruby Valles.
CJBC—The Cavaliers.
CFRB—Musical Nightcap.
WKBW-CBS—Ray Block.
WGR-Blue—March of Time.
—11.00 p.m.
CJBC—News and Commentary.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
CKEY—News. Mickey Lester.
CFRB—News.

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CBL — Toronto	740
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CFCF — Montreal	600
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The City Council will entertain and explain the plan of the Hydro Electric System.

Today will be ample opportunity for some ratepayer to be appointed to the Board of Control.

Not only those whose properties will be affected by the Regional Plan, but all ratepayers are respectfully urged to attend.

In addition to the Regional Planning Committee of the City Council, all interested ratepayers of the City will be present and will be pleased to receive suggestions from the public at the meeting.

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TOUCH ON THESPIANS

In the medieval theatre actors were expected to suffer for their parts and actually were beaten so violently on stage that they occasionally fainted.

Plan To Wind Up Current Aid to Russia Clothing Campaign

Prices Board Order Does Not Prohibit Cash Donations to Aid to Russia Fund

Ottawa, Feb. 5 — (CP) — The Prices Board announced yesterday that arrangements now rebuking up the current aid to Russia campaign for clothing have been worked out between officials of the fund and the Prices Board.

(Announcement was made this week of a plan requiring voluntary organizations to obtain government permits before collecting clothing.)

Donald Gordon, Prices Board chairman, in a telegram to officials of the Aid to Russia fund has said that all appeals including those through the radio and press are to be immediately discontinued. Deliveries or donations of clothing made as a result of the campaign to date may be accepted not later than Feb. 20. Permission to wind up the campaign, Mr. Gordon's wire does not authorize the purchase of clothing. "I want to make it clear that the Board order does not prohibit cash contributions to the aid to Russia fund," Mr. Gordon said in his wire. "The United Nations relief campaign just announced includes aid to Russia and cash contributions thus made will be used for the purchase of necessary clothing through the co-ordination and approval of the clothing division of the Prices Board.

"Our whole effort is designed to ensure an orderly flow of our own supply problems and I would regret in any way which the Board's order were misinterpreted in such a way that cash donations to such worthy purposes as aid to Russia were reduced."

TIRE, TUBE AND RIM TAKEN FROM CAR

Perhaps the zenith of all robberies occurred early today when a tire, tube and rim were stolen from a car parked on the east corner of Bridge and Front Streets. As is his usual custom, George Fitzgerald, No. 4 East Bridge St., parked his car at Hayward's Service Station for the evening. When he returned in the near tire, tube and rim were all gone. The car had been jacked up and the tire removed as perhaps hundreds of pedestrians walked nonchalantly past without realizing a robbery was progressing.

NAPANEE MAN GIVEN REFORMATORY TERM

Archie Naven, 20, of Napanee, Ont., was sentenced today to two years less a day on each of three charges of breaking and entering, and three months on a fourth charge, to run concurrent, when in the home of a child by Magistrate T. Y. Wills in city police court. The sentences will run concurrently.

Naven was arrested by Police Inspector Clare Hayes on the 31st of January and charged with breaking and entering Stirling's grocery store, Front Street, the home of Earle Godfrey on the Moneypenny Company and the office and store, front of Gabriel Callaghan.

Consider Demand For Secretary of State And Office for Wales

London, Feb. 5 — (CP) — The demand of Wales for a secretary of state and a Welsh office is still being considered by the government, Prime Minister Churchill has advised Miss Megan Lloyd George, Liberal member of Parliament and daughter of the former Prime Minister.

The Welsh parliamentary party which comprises the Welsh membership of the Commons regardless of party affiliation is seeking consent to publish the whole correspondence on the matter.

Group Capt. Davoud Back in Kingston

Kingston, Feb. 5 (CP)—Group Capt. Gordon Davoud, Canadian Typhoon fighter bomber commander in the R.A.F.'s tactical air force, arrived at his home here last night for a visit with his mother, Mrs. V. F. Davoud.

He said he would leave immediately for Ottawa and would go on to Vancouver to visit his wife. Purpose of his trip home was to do "a couple of jobs" for the air force which he could not discuss for security reasons. He would return to Kingston in about two weeks, he added, before returning overseas.

Group Capt. Davoud formerly was commanding officer of the City of Kingston Squadron of the R.C.A.F. overseas.

LIVESTOCK

Toronto, Feb. 5 (CP)—Most slaughter cattle offered sold steady up to mid-session on the liveweight markets here today. About 200 head of stockers were available. Calves, hogs, sheep and lambs were steady.

Heavyweight steers in Dominion marketing service were: Cattle 190, calves 5, hogs 300, sheep and lambs 50. Unsold from yesterday were 600 head of cattle.

Weighty steers were $11-$12.50. Medium to $10-$11.50, heifers $8-$11, butcher cows $7-$9, canners downward to $5.50 and fed yearlings $10-$12.75.

Calves were $15-$16 for choice with common downward to $13.

Lambs of common to medium grade were $10-$12.

Common to medium sheep sold at $5-$8 for a few.

Hogs were dressed, grade A $17.75, grade B1 $17.35 with sows $13.25 dressed.

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Imp. Oil 14 1-8	
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Inter. Paper 24	
Imp. Tobacco 12 7-8	
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Washington, Feb. 5 — (AP) — United States complete casualties since Dec. 7, 1941 have reached 764,584, the Army and Navy disclosed today. War Secretary Stimson placed the Army's losses at 678,786 while the Navy listed its total at 87,798. The Army figure is an over-all increase of 27,363 since last week's report.

The secretary said 886,000 Germans have been taken prisoner on the western front since the invasion last June.

STRONG BLOCKADE

New York, Feb. 5 — (CP) — A blockade "tighter than at any time since the war began" now cuts off Sweden from world trade, the American-Swedish news exchange reported yesterday. The sphere of said trade with Germany virtually stopped last fall.

CANUCKS TO RESCUE

Canadian engineers helped in the evacuation of survivors of the First British Airborne Division's attack on Arnhem.

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Plan To Wind Up Current Aid to Russia Clothing Campaign

Prices Board Order Does Not Prohibit Cash Donations to Aid to Russia Fund

Ottawa, Feb. 5 — (CP) — The Prices Board announced yesterday that arrangements now rebuking up the current aid to Russia campaign for clothing have been worked out between officials of the fund and the Prices Board.

(Announcement was made this week of a plan requiring voluntary organizations to obtain government permits before collecting clothing.)

Donald Gordon, Prices Board chairman, in a telegram to officials of the Aid to Russia fund has said that all appeals including those through the radio and press are to be immediately discontinued. Deliveries or donations of clothing made as a result of the campaign to date may be accepted not later than Feb. 20. Permission to wind up the campaign, Mr. Gordon's wire does not authorize the purchase of clothing. "I want to make it clear that the Board order does not prohibit cash contributions to the aid to Russia fund," Mr. Gordon said in his wire. "The United Nations relief campaign just announced includes aid to Russia and cash contributions thus made will be used for the purchase of necessary clothing through the co-ordination and approval of the clothing division of the Prices Board.

"Our whole effort is designed to ensure an orderly flow of our own supply problems and I would regret in any way which the Board's order were misinterpreted in such a way that cash donations to such worthy purposes as aid to Russia were reduced."

TIRE, TUBE AND RIM TAKEN FROM CAR

Perhaps the zenith of all robberies occurred early today when a tire, tube and rim were stolen from a car parked on the east corner of Bridge and Front Streets. As is his usual custom, George Fitzgerald, No. 4 East Bridge St., parked his car at Hayward's Service Station for the evening. When he returned in the near tire, tube and rim were all gone. The car had been jacked up and the tire removed as perhaps hundreds of pedestrians walked nonchalantly past without realizing a robbery was progressing.

NAPANEE MAN GIVEN REFORMATORY TERM

Archie Naven, 20, of Napanee, Ont., was sentenced today to two years less a day on each of three charges of breaking and entering, and three months on a fourth charge, to run concurrent, when in the home of a child by Magistrate T. Y. Wills in city police court. The sentences will run concurrently.

Naven was arrested by Police Inspector Clare Hayes on the 31st of January and charged with breaking and entering Stirling's grocery store, Front Street, the home of Earle Godfrey on the Moneypenny Company and the office and store, front of Gabriel Callaghan.

Consider Demand For Secretary of State And Office for Wales

London, Feb. 5 — (CP) — The demand of Wales for a secretary of state and a Welsh office is still being considered by the government, Prime Minister Churchill has advised Miss Megan Lloyd George, Liberal member of Parliament and daughter of the former Prime Minister.

The Welsh parliamentary party which comprises the Welsh membership of the Commons regardless of party affiliation is seeking consent to publish the whole correspondence on the matter.

Group Capt. Davoud Back in Kingston

Kingston, Feb. 5 (CP)—Group Capt. Gordon Davoud, Canadian Typhoon fighter bomber commander in the R.A.F.'s tactical air force, arrived at his home here last night for a visit with his mother, Mrs. V. F. Davoud.

He said he would leave immediately for Ottawa and would go on to Vancouver to visit his wife. Purpose of his trip home was to do "a couple of jobs" for the air force which he could not discuss for security reasons. He would return to Kingston in about two weeks, he added, before returning overseas.

Group Capt. Davoud formerly was commanding officer of the City of Kingston Squadron of the R.C.A.F. overseas.

LIVESTOCK

Toronto, Feb. 5 (CP)—Most slaughter cattle offered sold steady up to mid-session on the liveweight markets here today. About 200 head of stockers were available. Calves, hogs, sheep and lambs were steady.

Heavyweight steers in Dominion marketing service were: Cattle 190, calves 5, hogs 300, sheep and lambs 50. Unsold from yesterday were 600 head of cattle.

Weighty steers were $11-$12.50. Medium to $10-$11.50, heifers $8-$11, butcher cows $7-$9, canners downward to $5.50 and fed yearlings $10-$12.75.

Calves were $15-$16 for choice with common downward to $13.

Lambs of common to medium grade were $10-$12.

Common to medium sheep sold at $5-$8 for a few.

Hogs were dressed, grade A $17.75, grade B1 $17.35 with sows $13.25 dressed.

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Hardrock 62	
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Fanny Farmer 37 1-2	
Ford "A" 29 3-4	
Gypsum 9 3-8	
Imp. Oil 14 1-8	
Int. Nickel 35	
Inter. Paper 24	
Imp. Tobacco 12 7-8	
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Massey Harris 9 1-4	
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Total of 764,584 U.S. Casualties Since Dec. 7, 1941

Washington, Feb. 5 — (AP) — United States complete casualties since Dec. 7, 1941 have reached 764,584, the Army and Navy disclosed today. War Secretary Stimson placed the Army's losses at 678,786 while the Navy listed its total at 87,798. The Army figure is an over-all increase of 27,363 since last week's report.

The secretary said 886,000 Germans have been taken prisoner on the western front since the invasion last June.

STRONG BLOCKADE

New York, Feb. 5 — (CP) — A blockade "tighter than at any time since the war began" now cuts off Sweden from world trade, the American-Swedish news exchange reported yesterday. The sphere of said trade with Germany virtually stopped last fall.

CANUCKS TO RESCUE

Canadian engineers helped in the evacuation of survivors of the First British Airborne Division's attack on Arnhem.

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LOAN RATES REDUCED AGAIN

Rates for new personal monthly payments on loans of $300 and under, made by the Household Finance Corporation, are reduced as of today, it was announced by the company's local manager, Mr. E. Holt. The reduction was provided by the Small Loans Act, 1939, which was passed at the last session of the Ontario Legislature.

Amount of loan	Charges a monthly payment plan			
	Present	Reduced	Present	Reduced
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30	3.60	3.00	3.60	3.00
40	4.80	4.00	4.80	4.00
50	6.00	5.00	6.00	5.00
75	8.25	7.50	8.25	7.50
100	11.00	10.00	11.00	10.00
150	16.50	15.00	16.50	15.00
200	22.00	20.00	22.00	20.00
250	27.50	25.00	27.50	25.00
300	33.00	30.00	33.00	30.00
400	37.12	35.00	39.60	37.50
500	41.25	38.50	46.20	43.12
600	45.37	42.35	52.80	49.28
700	49.50	46.20	59.40	55.44
800	53.62	50.05	66.00	61.60
900	57.75	53.90	72.60	67.76
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Roslin

Roslin — Mrs. Harry Sills, who is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital, is progressing favorably after her recent operation.

Mrs. Wm. Weir is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. M. Mestin, in Consecon.

Mr. Wm. Johnson and his bride, the former Miss Gertrude Ledger of Brighton, arrived home on Friday last, their honeymoon spent in St. Catharines and other western points.

The February meeting of the Women's Auxiliary was held on Thursday afternoon, February 1st, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. P. C. Nesard. There were ten ladies present.

The President, Mrs. C. Bales, presided.

Mrs. Everett Coon read a portion of Scripture.

It was decided to accept Mrs. MacDonald's invitation to join with them for the World's Day of Prayer to be held at the Manse.

Several articles for the bale were handed in.

It was decided to ask each member for a donation of 50 cents this month, for the Thankoffering.

Mrs. Slingerland, leader for the month, took charge of the remainder of the program.

"Onward Christian Soldiers" was sung and prayer was offered by Miss Wilson.

The leader conducted a contest. Refreshments were served by the hostess and a social half hour was enjoyed.

Foxboro

Mrs. Gordon Simpson, of Missenory, is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital, where she is convalescing following her recent operation.

The home of Mr. Wesley Crawford was the scene of a very happy gathering on Thursday evening when friends and neighbors assembled to honor Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall (nee Irene Crawford) who were married recently. With Mr. Donald Poote acting as chairman, the gathering was called to order. The bride and groom were asked to come forward. Miss Betty Poole read an address signed on behalf of the community by Mr. Newton Wilson and Mr. Donald Poote. William and Irene were presented with a handsome chesterfield which included many beautiful and useful gifts for which they very graciously expressed their thanks. The evening was spent in dancing. Mr. Andrew Bedford, of Wilmington, spent the weekend with his wife at her home here.

Mr. Donald Chisholm of Esquimalt, B.C., is spending some time at his home here.

Mrs. Fred Dunning of Saskatoon spent several days last week with Mrs. R. Clare.

Pte. Jack Harper manages her coworkers of the Belleville Parcels Post Co., presented Miss Blanche Reid with an electric table lamp.

Considerable progress has been made on the erection of Mr. H. Chisholm's new grist mill. The framework has been completed and the steel siding is partly on.

Work on the new skating rink has been completed and skating has been enjoyed for the past week.

Mr. D. Hagerman and Mrs. C. McKeen spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Reid and family.

Rossmore

Rossmore — Mr. and Mrs. V. Jeffrey entertained at a dance party on Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Selleville, Mrs. Pat Dobson, Trenton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gerow, Mrs. E. Gerow, Mrs. Roote, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Brownlee, Gladys, Reginald, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Cook, Hessie and Billy, Mrs. G. Rieder, Norma and Rosemary. The occasion was Mr. Jeffrey's birthday.

Mrs. W. Redman, Trenton, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Ashley, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Empey entertained at a birthday party for their daughter, Miss Joan Empey, on Monday night. Guests: Mr. Reginald Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vandewater; consolation, Mrs. F. Belanger, Mr. J. Empey; lone hand prize, Mrs. J. A. Thompson. The winners at the seven up table were Mrs. Chas. Hagerman, Mrs. Roote, low score Mrs. M. Belanger, Mrs. C. May, travelling prize Mrs. Chas. Reddick. Proceeds were in aid of war work.

Joe Yorke of the R.C.N.V.R. has returned to the east coast after spending a leave here with his wife and son, Mr. and Mrs. Yorke.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Cook entertained on Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Hare, Mrs. Doris Thrasher, Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cornell, Mr. and Mrs. F. Belnap and Jay, Mrs. G. Rieder, Norma and Rosemary, the occasion being Miss Gladys Cook's birthday.

Schoharie

Schoharie — Mr. and Mrs. Will Wallace attended a dinner party on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Young of Orland.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Taylor and Lynda spent the tea hour on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman and children spent the tea hour on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chapman of Wauseon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Maltbie and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Longwell and Joan were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mildred Benson and Mrs. John Thompson.

Mrs. Wallace Taylor and John spent the weekend in Picton with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kitchlefeldt and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lewis and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Young of Picton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walters report the glad news on Monday of the arrival of a little granddaughter in Scotland, Thelr son, Flight-Lieut. H. E. Walters and Mrs. Walters cabled the announcement of the arrival of a son Isaac at Wishaw Hospital at Wishaw, Scotland, on January 30th, mother and daughter doing nicely.

A LONG HISTORY

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Foxboro

Foxboro — Mr. Cahiff Ashley of Kingston was a tea hour guest on Tuesday evening at Mr. J. G. Sills'.

Congratulations to Barbara Hall who celebrated her fourth birthday on Friday.

Mrs. Chaplain returned home after spending some time with her friend Mrs. George Hicks.

A large number attended the dinner served at Galloway on Wednesday last.

Mr. Will Woods and Mr. Sid. Montgomery attended the funeral of the late Dave Hubble of Rossmore on Sunday.

Mrs. Will Woods and Mr. Sid. Montgomery were tea hour guests on Sunday evening at Mrs. Ehler's of Consecon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Dempse of Plainfield were Monday callers at Mr. J. G. Sills when the latter celebrated his birthday.

Mrs. Earl Whitmore spent Thursday with Mrs. Harold Hall.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hubble on the birth of a daughter.

Mohawk Reserve

Mohawk Reserve — Mrs. Laverne Thompson underwent an operation in the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston, last Thursday.

Miss Hestie Brant left recently for a visit with relatives at Windsor.

Pte. Claude Sero, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Noble Hill, Kingston, spent the weekend here.

MAY MEET POPE

London, Feb. 8 — (CP) — The Berlin radio quoted Rome reports that President Roosevelt is making plans to meet Pope Pius.

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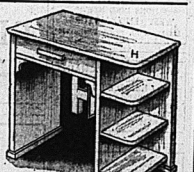
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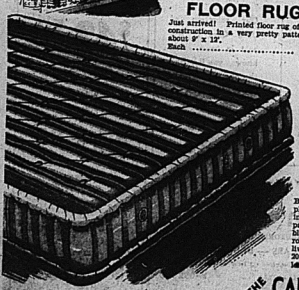


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RUSSIANS OPEN OFFENSIVE NEAR BRESLAU CANADIANS LAUNCH NEW ASSAULT AGAINST RUHR

Drive Penetrates At Least 4½ Miles Into Siegfried Line

Kleve, Northern Terminal Of Line, Menaced by Push

By JAMES M. LONG
(AP Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 9 (AP)—The powerful new 1st Canadian Army has penetrated 45 least 4 1-2 miles into Germany's vaunted West Wall Siegfried line today, turning the northern jaw of an Allied pincer drive against the Ruhr.

Burning Kleve, northern terminal of the Siegfried Line, was imminently menaced. The new attack front widened to seven miles. Formidable forest defences in the Reichswald, thunderously weakened by a terrific artillery and air bombardment, were being popped up swiftly. Five German and two Netherlands towns fell. More than 1,200 Germans, including two lieutenant-commanders, surrendered.

The British 2nd Army, 15 miles to the south advanced to within a mile of the vast Schoyndal-Emmerich defensive triangle, flood waters on the Roer River—a barrier to the Ruhr and the Cologne Plain.

The United States 3rd Army advanced to within a mile of Prum and reached the Prum River eight miles inside Germany.

Strategic Situation Broken.

The French 1st Army broke the last German bridgehead south of Strasbourg and swept to the Upper Rhine banks on a 90-mile front from north of Strasbourg to Swiss Switzerland.

Like an avalanche which moves slowly at first, Gen. Eisenhower's offensive in the western front armies was gathering power.

**German Resistance

City and District News

DR. SEMPLE TO SPEAK ON RADIO TONIGHT

Dr. Semple, former minister of Bridge Street United Church, and well known citizen of Belleville, will be heard on the air at 7.30 tonight over station CHEX. The topic of his talk will be, the history of Trenton, and the movement to relieve refugee children from war torn districts of Europe.

MEMBERS OF MOOSE LODGE VISIT TRENTON

Governor F. Patrick, secretary Mooseheart, Master Gauthier and Delaney of I.O.O.M. No. 1004 journeyed to Trenton last night as special guests of the Trenton Lodge at an initiation ceremony in honor of the first Trenton Lodge at an initiation ceremony in honor of the first function was District Deputy Supreme Governor A. Godfrey of Chatham.



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Keith Dunning, Plainfield, was given a month after pleading guilty to a charge of theft. Dunning admitted stealing a pair of shoes from a parked automobile in Belleville and selling the same, for his own profit. Several pleas of guilty were read by Crown Attorney R. G. Donnan when charges of intoxication and fines paid out of court.

Obituary

LATE LEWIS WILSON

Allen Mills—The funeral of the late Lewis Wilson, of Marysville, was held at his late residence on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 p.m., Rev. Walker of Presbyterian Church, Stirling, was in charge of the service. Many paid tribute to the life Mr. Wilson had lived in the community. He was quiet and a neighbor who was respected by many. Mr. C. H. Holden of Marysville, was the undertaker in charge of the funeral arrangements. Interment was made at Marysville Cemetery.

During the service, Mrs. Murray and Mrs. Redmond sang two hymns.

Flower bearers were, Mr. Harry Wilson, Mr. Gordon Wilson, Mr. Leslie Bailey, Mr. Lloyd Wilson, Mr. Elmer Wilson, Mr. Bill Wilson, Mr. Glenn and Bill Mills, all nephews of the deceased.

Those from out of town were Mr. Wm. Lloyd, Alfred Lloyd, J. Thain, Mrs. Thain, Mrs. Johnston, Sidney, Mrs. Wm. Lloyd, Alfred Lloyd, J. Thain, Mrs. Thain, Mrs. Johnston, Sidney, The sympathy of this community is extended the bereaved widow.

WILLIAM JOHN CRAWFORD

The funeral of William John Crawford, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert C. Crawford, 2 Elm St., took place on Monday afternoon, Feb. 6th., from the Martin Funeral Home, Johnson Street, to the cemetery at Stco where entombment took place.

GEORGE JOSE (Formerly of Ameliasburg)

The following obituary notice of George Jose, formerly of Hallowsy, which appeared in the Toronto Leader of Davidson, Sask., will be of interest to many persons in this district. During his residence in Hastings County he was well known and highly esteemed. Many old friends will regret to learn of his death, which occurred on Feb. 1st.

The late George Jose was born at Tullaroy, Hastings County, Ontario, on Aug. 15, 1868. He first took up the trade of shoemaking in that district still famous for its early production. But in 1905 he turned to farming in the township of Madoc, about 30 miles north of his birthplace. He lived there and retired on April 5, 1926 to Sarah Grogan, also of Madoc township.

In the spring of 1929 they left a farm, six miles north east of Davidson, where they had since lived ever since. Mr. Jose has always been a keen worker for all that concerned the life of the community. He served municipally as a trustee of Kent school district. He was active for many years in the co-operative grain growers' associations. For almost 30 years he had been an elder of Knox Presbyterian church having been previously a steward in the local Methodist congregation. He was a charter member and director of the Davidson Co-operative association.

Time of his death he had been, also years a councillor of the Rural Municipality of Arm River.

His death occurred on Wednesday, Jan 27, following a stroke the previous Saturday. The funeral was held from the Davidson United church, Saturday, Jan. 30, Rev. R. G. Thompson conducting the service assisted by Rev. Thomas Bray of Tuxford, who had been absent for 30 years ago.

A large congregation and beautiful floral tributes testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. Pallbearers were Messrs. A. Dodd, C. S. Sparare, E. L. Heinrich, D. H. Mitchell, Jos. Bowman, Sampson.

Besides his widow, Mr. Jose is survived by one son, Carman, also farming in Davidson district.

MRS. SARAH JONES

Trenton, Feb. 9 —(Special)— The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Jones took place this afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Goodmurphy, Concession, to St. Andrew's Anglican Church at Wellington where services were conducted.

Entombment took place in Wellington Cemetery.

The late Mrs. Jones, who was the widow of Richard S. Jones, died on Tuesday, Feb. 6th, in her 82nd year.

MISS JEAN F. TATE (Murray Township)

Trenton, Feb. 9 —(Special)—The funeral of Miss Jean Fairley Tate of Murray Township, Northumberland County, who died on Feb. 7th, in her 73rd. year, took place from the home of her father, Mr. D. B. Hilaire, 175 Macclellan Avenue, Trenton, on Thursday morning to the Church of St. Peter-in-Chains where Rev. Fr. queen Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father J. J. O'Neill.

Entombment took place at Mount Calvary Cemetery. Pall bearers were Messrs. Frank LaFerty, James Tate, Archibald McAuley, James Crawford, William O'Malley and John Riddell.

The late Miss Tate was born in Murray Township and was a daughter of the late John and Mrs. John Tate. All her life was spent in the district where she was born and she was highly esteemed in the community.

Surviving her are two brothers, John Tate, Murray Township, and Hugh B. Tate, Hilding, Saskatchewan, two sisters, Mrs. Bert Crawford, Marmora, and Mrs. R. Riddell, Lansing, Ontario.

MRS. MEANOR ELEZABETH BAILEY

Mrs. Meanor Elizabeth Bailey, widow of Abraham Bailey died at her home, 8 Centre Street, Thursday evening. She was in failing health for some time, but her death occurred suddenly.

Born at Foxboro the late Mrs. Bailey was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thrasher.

All her life was passed in the Foxboro and Belleville district. In religion she was a member of the Church of England and a parishioner of Christ Church, and was highly esteemed.

Surviving her are one son, Ralph



CHILLY COMMANDER

Just as busy as if he were in a cosy office instead of sitting on a stool in the story, Mai.-Gen. J. M. Calvin keeps the 'phone hot as he does his job of commanding the U. S. 82nd Airborne Division in Northern Ireland.—Keystone, Belgium.

Bailey, at home; on brother, John Thrasher, Winfield, Alberta. Her husband died twenty-five years ago. Funeral at the Campbell Funeral Home, 68 North Front Street; the time of announcements is made in this issue.

Agricultural Com. Wants Survey Of Moira River

Hastings County Agricultural committee has added its voice to appeals for the drafting of organizations for a survey of the Moira River with the view of instituting a reforestation and soil conservation plan.

At the first meeting of the committee executive held in Stirling, Warden Hamilton remarked that he forwarded to the provincial government a petition for the survey. Executive officers appointed at the meeting included Col. Roscoe Vanderwater as chairman, with vice chairmanship being held by Wilfred Spencer of Ranton township. Executive named included Ed. Pryor, Stirling, Clarence Graham of Tweed and Fred Campbell of Foxboro.

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H. McGowan Given Year Term For Armed Robbery

Howard McGowan, discharged sailor from the merchant marine and more recently employed as a farm hand in Prince Edward County, was sentenced to one year in the Ontario Reformatory by Magistrate T. Y. Wills today after pleading guilty to armed robbery, while on a breaking and entering charge McGowan was given a further two months term of nine months.

The accused, who gave his age as 19, held up James Sopha, 21, Foxboro driver, last night at the point of a revolver and after forcing the driver to turn over his money took the taxi cab and left Sopha alone on the Bay Bridge Road. Later McGowan was arrested in Kingston following a running fight with police. Inspector J. C. Hayes and Provincial Constable F. Scudding tendered the court.

The breaking and entering count, entered by Inspector Hayes today, pertained to the entering of a clothing factory in Prince Edward County some time ago.

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Says Goebbels Won't Try To Escape

BY THOMAS HAWKINS

Bern, Feb. 8. (AP) One Nazi leader among them all has kept his head through the crisis of the Russian campaign and remains the major force and inspiration to help keep Germany's fighting strength from faltering.

He is Paul Joseph Goebbels, limping genius of propaganda, highly educated, a shrewd judge of facts and a thinker, while at the same time a most adept painter of facts as they are not. Goebbels has kept his head although his realistically expects to lose if physically in the not too distant future.

Others who know and have watched Goebbels for many years confirm that the little doctor, who has reared a family and knows propaganda, for fighting as long as he can. He says he will not try to escape. People who have talked to him feel he will say further that he is the only Nazi whose acts and words can still arouse the fighting spirit among the Germans.

For others it is another story if one is to accept the tales of travellers from Berlin.

Hitler, so it is told, does not even now accept the possibility of defeat. In recent declarations to his intimates, one of the United States Mission for Economic Affairs, advising air transport operators in Britain that "a limited number of Douglas (C-47) Dakotas were available at $100,000 each, and Goebbels is also said to believe that Berlin now is only a symbol of onetime German power.

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No Choice for Himmler

The soft-voiced but hard-hearted Himmler is something else. He, too, is reported to have been at Hitler's headquarters recently for talks with Hitler, but there is no doubt about the great new preparations for making the Berlin-Nazi Axis an effective fortress. He is the brains and executive head behind these preparations.

Per Himmler there is no choice. He is known to have been at Rundstedt's side before the Russians got there in an effort to organize an effective earth-according. He has been in touch with Quisling in Norway and Antonescu in Rumania, and with Eastern front constantly.

Viewing any time who have seen him; is the unhappiest of the lot. He had his new plans drawn down at Caren Hall with about 30 guests, but even those left him alone. Penalve he lacked the charm that made the host he used to love to play. There was change in mental health Goering was said to have drunk little. About April or May he attended a board meeting of his steel trust in Berlin. Diplomatic circles say he is deeply depressed and spoke openly of defeat.

Rumors say that he is seeking every way to assure himself of safety when the collapse comes.

Wing Cmdr. Stephenson Reported Missing

Wing Commander Joseph Stephenson, former Trenton Flying School officer commanding at the Trenton Air Station, has been reported missing in enemy action, according to his wife, now residing in Windsor, Ontario.

The news is almost coincident with that of the wing commander's landing-in Belleville on Tuesday afternoon on the Trenton staff and who was the "bedtime" Commander Stephenson.

Stephenson was known in this city as was Mrs. Stephenson. He was a member of the permanent force of the R.C.A.F. and it is believed unofficially his high rank to revert to that of a squadron leader in order to go into combat overseas.

The entire crew of the bomber was flying in Squadron leader's machine which gives rise to some hope that they are prisoners of war.

IN MEMORIAM

COLDEN—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Ann Colden, who passed away, February 9th, 1941.

At early morn, when all was still,
She closed her eyes, it was God's will.

Now she's free from worry and pain,
We would not wake her, to suffer again.

'Tis sad, but true, we wonder why
The best are always first to die.

Her memory remembered by Doris and Arthur.

COLDEN—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Ethel May Colden, who passed away February 9, 1941.

Her memory is very pleasant, face as a pleasure to recall,
As to a kindly voice we loved for each
And died beloved by all.
Dear one, we hope to meet her,
Some day we know not where,
To clasp her hand in the better land.

Never to part again.
—Ever remembered by Husband and Family.

Britons Resent 'Indecent Haste' Of U.S. Salesmen

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INVITED INLAND

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DEATHS

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CARD OF THANKS

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Obituary

LATE LEWIS WILSON

Allan Miller, the funeral of the late Lewis Wilson of Hawdel, was held at his late residence on Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. Rev. Mr. Gilles as a neighbor, Mr. Wilson was a member of the Holden of Springbrook United Church.

During the service, Mrs. Fairey and Mrs. Gordon Fairey sang a duet.

Interment was made at Rose-bay cemetery.

Flower bearers were, Mr. Harry Clapp, Mr. Garnet Clapp, Mr. Gordon Lane, Mr. Keith Brown, Mr. Clarence Clapp and Mr. Neil Heath. Honorary bearers were, Mr. Wm. Linn, Alfred Linn, J. Thain, Wallace, T. Wilson, R. Wilson.

The sympathy of this community is extended the bereaved widow.

WILLIAM JOHN CRAWFORD

The funeral of William John Crawford, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert C. Crawford, 7 Elm Street, took place this afternoon at 2 p.m. Rev. Mr. Martin of the Tabernacle, Moira, officiated. Interment was made in the cemetery at Stoco where entombment took place.

GEORGE JOSS
(Formerly of Hallowy)

The following obituary notice of George Joss, formerly of Hallowy, Ontario, appeared in the Saskatoon Leader of Davidson, Sask., will be of interest to many persons in this district. During his residence in Hastings County he was well known and highly esteemed and old friends will regret to learn of his death which occurred on Jan. 22nd.

The late George Joss was born at Railway in Hastings county, Ontario, on Aug. 12, 1865. He first took up the trade of shoemaking in that district still famous for its daily production. But in 1903 he turned to farming, in the township of Madoc, about 20 miles north of his birthplace. He had farmed there until April 5, 1926 to Sarah Ann Wilson, of Elzevir, Ontario.

In the spring of 1926 they removed to a farm, six miles north east of Davidson, where they have lived ever since. Mr. Joss has always shown a keen interest in all that concerned the life of the community in which he resided, for as a trustee of Kent school district. He was active for many years in successive grain growers' associations. For almost 20 years he had been an elder of Knox Presbyterian church having been previously a steward in the local Methodist congregation. He was a charter member and director of the Davidson Co-operative association. At the time of his death he had been ten years a councillor of the Davidson Municipality of Arm River.

His death occurred on Wednesday, Jan 07, following a stroke the previous Saturday. The funeral was held from the Davidson United church, Sunday, Jan. 25. Rev. R. G. Thompson conducted the service assisted by Rev. Thomas Bray of Touchwood. He had been pastor for 30 years ago.

A large congregation and beautiful floral tributes testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. Pallbearers were Messrs. W. A. Dodd, C. H. Bygrave, E. L. Meirich, D. S. Sinclair, Jack Wilson, N. Sampson.

Besides his widow, Mr. Joss is survived by one son, Carman, also residing in the district.

MRS. SARAH JONES
(Consecon)

Trenton, Feb. 9 —(Special)— The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Jones took place this afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Goodmurphy, Consecon, to St. Andrew's Anglican Church at Wellington where service was conducted.

Entombment took place at Wellington Cemetery.

The late Mrs. Jones, who was the widow of Richard S. Jones, died on Tuesday, Feb. 6th., in her 92nd year.

MISS JEAN F. TATE
(Murray Township)

Trenton, Feb. 9 —(Special)—The funeral of Miss Jean Fraser Tate of Murray Township, Northumberland County, who died on Feb. 3rd., in her 72nd. year, took place from the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tate, 175 MacLellan Avenue, Trenton, on Saturday afternoon to the Church of St. Peter-in-Chains Cemetery. Cobourg. Service was celebrated by the Rev. Father J. J. O'Neil.

Entombment took place at Mount Calvary Cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Frank Lafferty, James Tate, Ambrose McAuley, James Crawford, William Malloy and John Riddell.

The late Miss Tate was born in Murray Township and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Dale. All her life was passed in the district in which she was born and she was highly esteemed in the community.

Surviving her are two brothers, John Tate, Murray Township, and Hugh R. Tate, Hindeng, Alberta; two sisters, Mrs. Bert Crawford, Masons and Mrs. R. Riddell, Lansing, Ontario.

MRS. ELEANOR ELIZABETH BAILEY

Mrs. Eleanor Elizabeth Bailey, widow of Abraham Bailey died at her home, 8 Centre Street, Thursday evening. She was in failing health for some time, but her death occurred suddenly.

Born at Foxboro the late Mrs. Bailey was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thrasher. All her life was passed in the Foxboro and Belleville district. In religion she was a member of the Church of England and a parishioner of Christ Church, and was highly esteemed.

Surviving her are one son, Ralph

POLICE COURT

Everett Stewart, Belleville, appeared in police court today on a charge of stealing a spray gun. The young man withdrawing his former pleading guilty to another charge, that of receiving stolen goods. He was given a year's suspended sentence.

Keith Dunning, Plainfield, was given a month after pleading guilty to a charge of theft. Dunning admitted stealing a pair of shoes from the a parked automobile in Belleville and selling the same for his own profit. Several pleas of guilty were read by Crown Attorney R. C. Donnelly when charges of intoxication had resulted in suspending and fines paid out or court.

CHILLY COMMANDER



Just as busy as if he were in a cosy office instead of sitting on a stone in the snow, Maj.-Gen. C. M. Oalvin keeps the 'phone hot as the boss his job of commanding the U. S. 82nd Airborne Division in combat-less Fredericksburg, Belgium.

Bailey, at home; son brother, John Thrasher, Winfield, Alberta and husband died twenty-five years ago.

Resting at the Grant Funeral Home, 68 North Front Street; the funeral announcement is made in this issue.

Agricultural Com. Wants Survey Of Moira River

Hastings County Agricultural Committee decided its voice to appeals from other district committees for a survey of the Moira River with the view of instituting a reforestation and soil conservation scheme.

At the first meeting of the committee executive, held in Stirling, members formed a resolution to be forwarded to the provincial government asking for the survey. Executive officers appointed at the meeting included Col. Mower, vendewater as chairman, with vice chairman named being Wilfred Spencer of Rawdon township. Secretary named included Ed. Fryar, Stirling; Gordon Campbell, Tweed and Fred Campbell of Foxboro.

Demonstrating at their inaugural meeting that hostilities relating to the betterment of agriculture were of the foremost importance on their agenda, committee members decided to inquire for information regarding compulsory soil weed eradication for Rang's disease, and of the program as has been set up in Prec county.

Also included in the discussion at the first executive meeting of the committee was the advisability of forming Hastings as a district area for T.B. testing of cattle. Suggestions stating that Hastings be made a restricted area have been completed since 1936, but the question of there being sufficient number of veterinaries to carry out the program and of finance for reimbursement of farmers who may have their herds turned down is still in abeyance.

H. McGowan Given Year Term For Armed Robbery

Howard McGowan, discharged sailor from the merchant marine and more recently employed as a farm hand in Prince Edward County, was sentenced to one year in the Ontario Reformatory by Magistrate T. W. Wills today after pleading guilty to armed robbery, breaking and entering and theft charge McGowan was given a further indefinite term of nine months.

The accused man, who gave his age as 19, held up James Sopha, local taxi driver, on Bridge Street at the point of a revolver and after forcing the driver to cover his money took the taxi cab and left Sopha alone on the Bay Bridge Road. Later McGowan was arrested in Kingston following a running gun fight with police. Inspector J. C. Hayes and Provincial Constable F. E. Scudder took the case.

The breaking and entering count, entered by Inspector Hayes today, pertained to the entering of a cabin belonging to Prince Edward County some time ago.

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Says Goebbels Won't Try To Escape

By THOMAS HAWKINS

Bern, Feb. 8. (AP) — One Nazi leader among them all has kept his head through the trials of the Russian offensive and the bombing of major force and inspiration that helps Germany's fighting strength from crumbling.

He is Paul Joseph Goebbels, limping genius of propaganda highly educated, a shrewd judge of facts as such, while at the same time a most adept painter of facts as they are not. Goebbels has kept his head although he realistically expects to lose it physically in the not too distant future.

Those who know and have watched Goebbels for many years confirm that the little doctor has been forced to fight and knows some life in a way toward some day fallow Nazi leaders rarely indulge. Goebbels is the end in sight and is determined to stick it out.

"Geek Mills Use"

He is, he told friends, doing everything in his power to see Berlin defended and to keep up the propaganda for fighting as long as he can. He does not want to escape. People who have seen him here lately say further that he is the only Nazi whose words and deeds still arouse the fighting spirit among the people.

For others it is another story if one is to take the reports of travelers from Berlin.

Himler, it is told, does not even now accept the possibility of defeat. In recent declarations to his intimates he has confirmed but not unlikely—he was said to have maintained that God still is with the Germans; that God is making the best a bit hard for us but that eventually all will be well. He was said to believe that Berlin will only be a symbol of onetime German greatness.

Hitler was reported clinging to his Gerchtesgaden tower where he has been since the Allied armies and troopers surround him in redoubt nazism. Behind the Nazi defense point that to the fanatical Hitler the only alternative to another era of "Sieg Heil".

No Choice for Himmler

The soft-voiced but hard-hearted Himmler is according to the Netherlands has proposed purchase of Anglo-American Zones of Germany, Britain and Finland, and that Australia already had ordered 24,000,000 worth of United States planes.

INTERNED INLAND

Toronto, Feb. 8 — (CP) — Captain Johannes Hendrik Scheffer, many are being moved into the interior so that the Germans call "a safer place," George Allen, director of the prisoner of war section of the Department of War Services Department, said here yesterday.

KNOWS IN LUTHER'S TIME

The Hungarian city of Debrecen was known as Debrecinek Hungary during the Lutheran Reformation.

IN MEMORIAM

COLDEN—In loving memory of our dear mother, Ethel Mae Colden, who passed away February 9th, 1946

Elizabeth Thrasher, widow of Abraham Bailey.

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DEATHS

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Wing Cmdr. Stephenson Reported Missing

Wing Commander Joseph Stephenson, Canadian Pathfinder Force officer commanding at the Trenton aerodrome, has been reported missing in enemy action, it was learned from his wife, now residing in Windsor, it was revealed.

The news is almost coincident with that of the death of Wing Commander Carling-Kelly, also a well-known officer on the Trenton staff and who was a "buddy" of Wing Commander Stephenson.

"Joe" was well-known in this city as was Mrs. Stephenson. He was a member of the permanent force of the R.C.A.F. and it is believed relinquished his high rank to revert to that of a squadron leader in order to go into combat overseas.

The entire crew of the bomber he was flying is reported missing which gives rise to some hope that they are prisoners of war.

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Co-operatives Termed 'Octopus' At Hearing

By MARSHALL BATEMAN
(Canadian Press Staff Writer.)

Winnipeg, Feb. 9 (CP)—The Co-operative Movement in Western Canada has been characterized as both an octopus ready to swallow independent businesses and as a benefactor in evidence before the Royal Commission on the taxation of co-operatives.

The commission, with Mr. Justice Errol M. McDonald of Montreal as chairman, began a eastward sojourn today, loaded with information received at Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Regina and Winnipeg.

Twenty-seven briefs—18 from co-operative interests and 13 from independents or boards of trade—were reviewed here. Following presentation from eastern Canadian organizations the commission will recommend whether co-operatives should continue exempt of income and excess profits taxes.

At the closing sitting here yesterday, John Marshall of the Manitoba section, C.C.F., described the co-operative movement as one of economic and social value capable of rectifying many political protests. World Develop "State Socialism"

This contrasted with the view expressed by H. Moore of Winnipeg, Secretary of Food Distributors of Manitoba, that growth of tax free co-operatives would develop a monopolistic "state socialism."

Private interests—livestock and retail merchants, implement, fuel and automotive dealers, insurance agents, independent dairies and others—all cried they received "unfair" and "discriminatory" treatment by the Dominion government's taxation policy.

The Income tax payers association said that the Dominion treasury had been deprived of about $50,000,000 of revenue a year by not taxing co-operatives. The association, and the boards of trade all pleaded for equality in taxation" while A. E. Dilts, representing independent dairies, said the present taxation favored the latter with the objective of preventing inflation.

Most of these interests charged that profits from tax given co-operatives acted as a subsidy from the government which was paid by other businesses, corporations and individuals.

The co-operatives — poultry, cheese, butter, milk, honey, grain and livestock producers, wholesale distributors and their marketing agencies—claimed they were products of "classification" and farmers experienced from other trade channels.

Advantage Cited

The co-operatives gave farmers advantages in prices, stabilized markets for agriculture produce, were a factor in uniting rural groups and carrying on community projects, the briefs said. Corporations "exist for profits" for shareholders, who sometimes were few in number, they maintained.

Co-operative members shared in income through patronage dividends in accordance with the volume of business they transacted through the association. This patronage dividend was variously termed a refund on excess charges and a savings but never a "profit." The patronage dividend became part of a member's income, however, and subject to income tax as such.

Many co-operatives in Manitoba recommended the Dominion government be urged to enact a Dominion Co-operative Act as a way of settling doubts and controversies in the legal status of a co-operative society.

STIRLING

Horticultural Society Elects Officers for 1945

Stirling—The annual meeting of the Stirling Horticultural Society was held January 31, with the President, Fred Houghin, in the chair. The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. J. B. Belshaw which showed a balance at the end of the year. It was unanimously voted to send a donation of $5 for the Seeds for Britain Fund; and Mr. J. B. Belshaw and Mr. Ivan Caldwell were authorized to find the true planting needs of the village and report same to the Society and Village Council.

Officers for 1945 are as follows: President—Fred Houghin.

1st Vice President—Mrs. E. Ward

2nd Vice President—J. E. O'Donnell.

3rd Vice President—Mrs. A. Hammond

Sec.-Treas.—J. B. Belshaw.

Directors: (for a two year term)—Mrs. J. C. McGee; Mrs. A. E. Strickland, Miss Gena Spry; Mrs. L. Bateman and Mrs. G. Clute.

Auditors—Mrs. G. L. Johnston and Mrs. Markell.

Committees: Library, G. C. Clute; Cemetery—Mr. H. Rollins.

Miss E. Donnan; Mr. J. B. Belshaw, Park—Ivan Caldwell and J. B. Belshaw.

Sick—Mrs. C. Macklin and Mrs. R. A. Patterson.

Publicity—Mrs. E. Ward, Ivan Caldwell and J. B. Belshaw.

Delegates to Provincial Convention—Fred Houghin and J. B. Belshaw.

In the president's remarks, he drew to the fact that this organization had been active since 1897. At present it has a membership of 50 paid-up fifty which comprises active committees which carry on the work of beautifying the village particularly the Coronation Park, complying with blackout windows. The total of 146 hours of voluntary labor, premiums were given out in the year as well as for other bulbs, seeds and rose bushes. The proceeds of the flower show had been turned over to the Red Cross Branch of Stirling, amounting to $131.

The president urged a greater interest by the members in participating in the Flower Show as well as all the residents of the village and district. "A determination to show by their interest a love for good gardening". In closing he thanked all who had helped him during the year's work and special[ly] Mrs. Miss E. Donnan, judge for the Flower Show and Fall Fair showing the Society's prizes.

The Regent and Executive of the I.O.D.E. Belle Chapter of the I.O.D.E. are glad to announce that the amount of $167.10 has been collected by their committee in the 13 six-year-old blooses, 8 pairs women's tailored slacks and 13 pairs rompers for four-year-old boys and blooses for six-year-old.

Knitted articles received by the committee of mitts, caps, sweaters and pantees, 17 pairs men's socks, 1 knitted sweater for four-year-old and six knitted suits for four-year-olds.

On January 30th a tea was held for all the new Airforce wives from Trenton and Montreal. Mrs. Perry poured the tea and several other members served.

Mrs. Murphy's Departure Regretted

The regret of the meeting was voiced that Mrs. Murphy, secretary of the Nursery School had left town. Mrs. Murphy had been the magnificent job with the school and all credit for its success was due to her untiring efforts. Mrs. Murphy's place as teacher.

Sidesitting of a bus and car caused considerable delay as both about 2 p.m. on Thursday, but fortunately neither driver nor any passengers were injured.

The bus owned by J. E. Armstrong of Trenton and driven by John T. Scalletta was proceeding to Trenton from Frankford, the driver told police who investigated the accident that as he was proceeding up a hill and around a curve on highway No. 33 he met a mile north of Trenton he observed a car approaching from the opposite direction, and pulled over to the right as near as the snowbank would permit. The car which was being driven north by Benjamin Spiegel, of Station St, Belleville, is alleged to have sideswiped the bus.

Both vehicles were considerably damaged and, though the bus was loaded with passengers, none was injured.

Provincial Constable Wilson of the Provincial Police investigated the accident.

Valentine Tea and Sale

A delightful Valentine tea and sale was held in the church parlors of King St. United Church on Wednesday afternoon under the auspices of the Women's Association.

The rooms were gaily decorated in keeping with St. Valentine's, red hearts and streamers floating gaily throughout. The decorating was in charge of Mrs. L. D. Foster, Mrs. Cecil Roberts, Mrs. S. Hanna and Mrs. M. Burrows.

Guests were received by Mrs. (Rev.) J. D. Martin, and Mrs. F. Sherbert, president of the association. Taking the tickets were the treasurer, Mrs. L. Hood and the financial secretary, Mrs. O. M. Newton.

The home cooking was in charge of Mrs. C. Foster, Mrs. J. Rathbun, Mrs. Roy Wilson, Mrs. F. J. Parker, Mrs. Bird and Miss P. Nelson.

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EARL LLOYD GEORGE SUFFERS ATTACK OF INFLUENZA

Caernarvon, Wales, Feb. 8 — (CP) —Earl Lloyd George of Dwyfor, who observed his 82nd birthday last month, is suffering from a mild attack of influenza, but was reported today to be "getting on nicely."

The Firs[t] Great War prime minister was favored to receive messages in the King's New Year's Honors List.

TRENTON

MRS. BARTLETT CONVENER OF R.C. WORK RESIGNS

Mrs. McCulloch Elected by Acclamation to Succeed Her

Trenton — The R.C.A.F. Women's Auxiliary held their regular monthly business meeting in the work rooms, King St., Tuesday, February 6th, the president, Mrs. Bellirving presiding.

Resignation of Mrs. Bartlett, convener of Red Cross work was accepted by the ladies with deep regret. Mrs. Bartlett, who is leaving town to make her home in Toronto, had given greatly of her time and effort to the Red Cross work of the auxiliary during her stay in Trenton. Mr. McCulloch was elected new convener, by acclamation.

The following is the annual Red Cross report, omitted in the January issue:

16 pairs men's underwear shorts, 19 canvas dunnage bags for soldiers, 27 pyjama jackets, 4 pairs size 13 six-year-old blooses, 8 pairs women's tailored slacks and 13 pairs rompers for four-year-old boys and blooses for six-year-old.

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Picton and District

Average Score Of 92.9 Made In P.E. Production

Picton, Feb. 9—Prince Edward County dairy district, of which E. W. Henderson is instructor, last season manufactured cheese with an average score of 92.9, figures revealed yesterday revealed, of the 60,311 forty-pound cheese made. 94.5 per cent were first grade while 76.3 per cent was premium cheese.

In all Ontario, Mr. Henderson's district ranked fourth. It was in fifth place the previous year.

Factory with the largest output of cheese was that at Cloverdale, R. S. Channell maker. Output was 4,356 cheese, of which 94 per cent was first grade.

Several factories had 98 per cent first grade cheese, these being Black River Bridge, Elmbrook, Acme and Riverside.

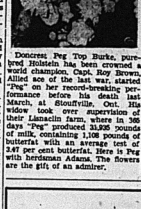
The makers include a father and two sons, H. S. Channell of Cloverdale, the father, George of Bloomfield and Gordon of Waupoos.

Members of Prince Edward Yacht Club enjoyed a social evening at the club house, Wednesday night. There was a program of brief talks. Vice commodore H. J. Daubner and Secretary Harold Knapman were named to attend a meeting of the Lake Yachting Association in Hamilton late this month, and to discuss the possibility of holding their regatta in the Bay of Quinte. Members of the R.C.A.F. were hosts to their wives and friends at a banquet in their hall, Wednesday night. Euchre formed the amusement during the later hours. Mrs Gerald Kinney received word yesterday that her son George has been commissioned as a lieutenant, following a course at Sandhurst Military College in England. He went overseas in 1940 with Hasting and Prince Edward regiment and served in Sicily and Italy.

MEDIEVAL INNOVATION

Chafing dishes were used prior to the invention of refrigerators and were introduced in England about 1200.

CHAMPION COW



Doncrest Peg Top Burke, pure-bred Holstein has been crowned a world champion. Owned by Brown's Allied ace of the last war, started "Peg" her record-breaking performance before his death last March, at Stouffville, Ont. His widow took over supervision of their Lincolin farm, where in 365 days "Peg" produced 33,605 pounds of milk, containing 1,108 pounds of butterfat with an average test of 3.47 per cent butterfat. Here is Peg with herdsman Adams. The flowers are the gift of an admirer.

11,190 Articles Completed By P.E. Red Cross

Picton, Feb. 9 — A total of 11,190 Articles was completed by Prince Edward County women and forwarded to headquarters, it was revealed at the annual meeting of Prince Edward Red Cross Society last night. These articles included 2,366 knitted for the services, 1,835 for civilians and 5,167 for hospitals. Also 2,127 quilts, afghans and blankets and 295 comfort bags. Distributed to local air stations and hospitals was 875 articles. Jam sent to headquarters totalled 1,080 pounds with 130 pounds of honey also sent. The society distributed 164 bottles of cod liver oil.

Treasurer H. E. Bronskill reported receipts of $34,000, $444 from membership fees, $3,277 donations from individuals, $3,351 from community units of the society, $60 fey special funds, $350 for P.O.W. parcels, from county grant was $11,200.

Expenditures included $2,180 for materials, $19,730 sent headquarters.

Administration costs were but $59, including printing, repairs to sewing machines, stationery, expenses to Ontario Red Cross convention.

There were 446 members, 1,300 volunteer workers and 60 War Emergency Committees, the latter being groups in each part of the county working for the Red Cross.

Mrs. C. H. McGibbon was elected president to succeed the late Judge E. H. McLean. Vice presidents are Rev. W. G. M. Swayne, Mrs. Ira Burd, Mrs. E. L. Bronskill, Miss N. McDonald, E. L. Bronskill is treasurer; Mrs. C. H. McGibbon, work convener; Mrs. E. L. Bronskill, wool convener; Dr. G. S. Black, auditor. Finance committee members are E. L. Bronskill, Mayor N. McKibbon, Rev. Swayne, the secretary.

G. Rutter resigned as secretary after five years' service, due to pressure of business and a committee was named to secure a successor.

The War Today—

Big Three May Soon Call On German People To Desert Hitlerdom

By DE WITT MACKENZIE
(AP War Analyst)

The growing intensity of the Allied assault which is boring into Germany from both west and east has strengthened the belief among observers that the Big Three, now in momentous conference in the Black Sea area, are likely soon to call on the German people to desert Hitlerdom.

Much must depend, as I see it, on the speed with which the Allied armies are able to pile up the threat against Berlin. The broadening of the attack on the western front by the launching of the Canadian-British offensive is a most hopeful development.

Should it be the design of Messrs. Churchill, Roosevelt and Stalin to issue such a summons, it's logical to assume that it would come at the psychological moment when the Germans have been squeezed just hard enough — a master-calling and delicate timing. That moment might be the fall of Berlin, or when the capital is invested and its capture is clearly imminent. One of the greatest blows that could be inflicted on the morale of the German middle Rhenish barrier to cross.

people would lie the loss of their first city.

Moral Effect

The moral effect of such a summons would be greatly strengthened if the fall came while the Big Three were in session. Certainly no summation could be more effective than the one coming from the dramatic Black Sea parley of the world's greatest leaders, who have been widely advertised as meeting to settle the fate of Germany.

Desertion of Hitler by part of his people probably wouldn't end the war. But it would put an awful crimp in the Nazi effort to carry on. Of course a good many folk in the United Nations almost hope that the Germans will keep on fighting until the Allied armies have had a chance to trample the length and breadth of Germany with hob-nailed boots.

The threat to Berlin is increasing hourly; for success continues to ride with the Red Armies in their terrific attack on the eastern defences of the metropolis. As things now stand the Russians will get to the capital much ahead of the western Allies, who still have the forces on the west of the German

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1944 Fire Record

A very sharp upward trend in the fire loss for both life and property in 1944 is reported in the quarterly bulletin with preliminary figures just issued by the Ontario Fire Marshal's Department for last year. The greatest loss of life in any single fire in this province in many years was the Moose Jaw fire in Hamilton on May 24th last in which ten lives were lost. The total of deaths due to fire last year was 98 while the injured numbered 261. The bulletin states, "the loss of life by fire in 1944 was about fifty per cent higher than for the previous year."

The record of the last three months of last year showed killed numbering seven men, one woman and three children, and the injured who numbered forty-nine, 43 men, 13 women and 3 children.

If the loss in lives was higher during the year, the cost of fire was higher too in material and financial loss, the property destruction from over 2,000 more fires than the previous average was higher by more than two and a half million dollars than the year 1943.

Here are the material losses—in 1944 there were 18,421 fires causing $13,282,437 loss and $11,143,384 insurance loss, while in 1943 there were 16,309 fires causing a loss of $10,643,928 and an insurance loss of $8,906,813, bringing an increase in the actual loss of $2,638,509 and insurance loss of $2,236,571. These figures are subject to revision in the annual report.

Of eleven large fires in the last quarter of 1944 the causes of eight were not determined and were listed as "unknown," of the others being listed as caused by defective heating apparatus, another by furnace and the third by smoking.

Of 5,051 of the fires listed by origin in the last quarter, the cause is given as follows: chimneys, flues, etc., 168 fires; stoves and furnaces, etc., hot ashes, coals and wood in open fires, 195; sparks on roofs, wooden shingles, fabricated roofs, 2; exposure fires, 16; careless smoking, 174; matches, 327; lights (other than electric), 146; electricity, 530; lightning, unroofed buildings, 280; lightning, roofed before 1922, 1; spontaneous combustion, in barns, 3; combustion, all others, 50; petroleum and its products, 163; incendiarism, 8; miscellaneous, 283 and unknown, 772.

Why such the increase in both categories of victims and monetary loss? The report goes on, "Similarly the loss paid by insurance companies was more than $2,235,000 in 1944 than in 1943. An analysis of these preliminary figures fails to show any outstanding cause for this very large increase other than general lack of repairs and maintenance due to war shortages of materials and man-power. While fire investigations showed that incendiary fires with the insurance money as the motive have started again, after having almost totally disappeared through recent war years, these have not been times in which the amount of loss was large. Generally high grade and short range the planes are chiefly of value for interception, but their possible value as attackers of ground troops may be heightened by the fact that they cannot be heard until after they have passed.

men received the King's Police and Fire Service medal for outstanding bravery in a fire at Corinna. Firemen do a noble service. Anyone who has watched a brigade at work realizes the danger these men face in their task which requires courage, a stout heart and the ability to cope with a dangerous situation for every fire can be dangerous.

Timber Wolves Go To War

(Ottawa Journal)

Some of those who go down to the sea in ships owe their comfort to the Ontario timber wolves. Even in cold circumstance, that wolves should be giving his active and very personal support to Canada's war effort, but it is the fact.

This comes about through what is called the Seamen's Fur Vest Party War Project of Ontario, an authorized war charity which collects old fur coats and new furs which are then turned into warm garments with which sailors can brave the Atlantic gales.

In last year, which was its third year of operation, the Project encountered a decline in contributions of old fur coats—for reasons one can understand—but the slack was taken up by the Ontario government which donated the season's catch of timber wolves, 1,089 pelts. Thanks to this source of supply, and to the co-operation of furriers and fur workers, production in the year struck a new high of 4,400 fur vests.

In its three years the Project has distributed 11,581 fur vests, 9,686 of them through the R.C.N.V.R. Auxiliary, 642 through the British Minesweepers' Auxiliary, 286 through the R.C.A.F.O.R., smaller numbers through other organizations. They are helping keep our seamen healthy and happy in trying conditions of war operations, a task that must be a source of great satisfaction to all who have aided this splendid work.

The Co-Optimists

(London Daily Telegraph)

Hitler, Mussolini and Hirohito exchanged messages of greeting on the third anniversary of the tripartite pact which they concluded four days after Pearl Harbour. It would be interesting to know what bonds for mutual salutation they were able to discover in the present and prospective outcome of their three years' military partnership. The only clue is provided in a pronouncement by Shigemitsu, the Japanese Foreign Minister, that the "Axis-sponsored new order is being approached" and that the war in the Far East has entered "upon the decisive phase." If we may be justified in inferring that the 1,300-mile German retreat from Stalingrad to Balston and the 3,000-mile Japanese retreat from the Marshall Islands to Leyte are evidence of the progress of the Axis towards the United Nations it can certainly hope that this method of "approach" will undergo no slackening in the rate of advance.

Germany's Coal Burning Planes

(Newsweek Magazine)

Short of fuel and fat for aviation, the Germans have devised a way to burn coal in their jet-propelled planes by using forced steam draft for efficient combustion, according to reliable Swiss sources. For more effective streamlining and manoeuvering at speeds of more than 620 miles an hour, the pilots lie on their stomachs. Because of high climb and short range the planes are chiefly of value for interception, but their possible value as attackers of ground troops may be heightened by the fact that they cannot be heard until after they have passed.

JUST FOLKS

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By EDGAR A. GUEST

SPENDTHRIFT

"Oh, I have fritteted it away
For pretty things to wear,"
I heard a foolish spendthrift say,
"Or someone's task to share,
Or that an hour or two of mirth,
Or but the truth be told,
I fancied half more real worth
Than being rich when old.

"Always my pocket had a hole
The money filtered through.
I couldn't hoard to save my soul
As others seem to do.
And though to keep the stuff I'd vow,
To serve some rainy day,
Against the need or joy of now,
Old age seemed far away.

"Their heads at me the sages shake.
'Poor fool!' exclaim the wise,
'Men ought to keep the coins they make,
In saving, safety lies.'
But fool I was, as they declare,
And so my money went
To purchase pretty things to wear
And song and merriment."

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



BY FRED SIPPLE.

"A penny for your thoughts, Clancy."

LOOKING BACKWARDS

(LEANINGS FROM OUR FILES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

30 YEARS AGO

Feb. 9th, 1912

Mr. T. E. Ketcheson, Assessor for the City of Belleville, was appointed a member of the executive committee of the newly formed Ontario Municipal Association of Assessors in Toronto this week.

Mr. R. Burrows and Mr. Sanford M. Burrows have returned from Waterloo where they attended the annual meeting of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada. Mr. Burrows, Sr., was presented with a handsome gold watch by the officials of the company as a slight token of appreciation of his fifty years' valued service with the company.

Mr. Leo Biggs' recital on the piano at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at the close of the evening service on Sunday was greatly enjoyed by a large number of music lovers.

Mr. Fred Osborne of Calgary, Alberta, an old Belleville boy, has been elected President of the Calgary Board of Trade, which has a membership of seven hundred and fifty. Mr. Osborne has been a member of the Calgary city council for the past five years.

20 YEARS AGO

Feb. 9th, 1932

The official opening of the armouries at Deseronto will be held on Feb. 13th. The ceremony will be conducted by Major General Ketchen and the officers of the 49th Regiment of Hastings Rifles.

Ald. Fred Walbridge will introduce a motion at the next meeting of the city council that provision be made to give taxpayers an opportunity to pay a portion of their taxes in advance thereby receiving a discount.

Lieut.-Col. Lorne Marsh has received information from Ottawa to the effect that the mobilization of the 90th Battalion of the Victoria Contingent will be in Belleville.

At a meeting of the city council Ald. A. C. McFee urged the council to grant the sum of $200 to the regimental fund of the Rat Battalion. His request was granted.

Mr. Charles Wilson of Ottawa is receiving congratulations in town.

In a hockey match last evening the "Midgets" defeated the "Free Eagles", the score being 3 to 1.

10 YEARS AGO

Feb. 9th, 1922

The following composed the team: "Midgets"—Smith, Sullivan, Holloway, Hunter, Arnott, and Sanderson. Free Eagles—Free Readies", Nurse, Finkle, Jones, Tuttle, Mc Moon, Bowen and Green.

40 YEARS AGO

Feb. 9th, 1906.

Mr. W. J. Moore, Madoc, was in town to day.

Coal is $6.75 a ton, clinkers included.

At the annual meeting of the County Orange Lodge of South Hastings which was held at Tweed, the following officers were elected: Sandy Grant, Tweed, County Master; W. Hall, Flinton, Deputy County Master; Rev. Bro. Lewis, County Chaplain; Robert Duffin, Belleville, Secretary; Jas. Farrell, Wallbridge, County Treasurer; Wm. Hall, Tweed, County D. of C.; Fred Blakely, Chapman, County Lecturer; Deputy Lecturers, Fred Wright, Chapman, and Nathaniel Sullivan, Plainfield. The officers were installed by Bro. W. H. Craig, Past County Master.

Messrs. Sydney Detlor and Harry McKay will sing the personal duet, "Lotzard Watch, Ahoy!", at the concert and dance in the Oddfellows' Hall on the evening of Feb. 19th.

50 YEARS AGO

Feb. 9th, 1892

Mr. W. Sutherland, Jr., of Ottawa, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. J. P. Thompson is in Megantic on business.

Dr. Dafoe Embury was in Campbellford yesterday in consultation.

Dr. and Mrs. Farley entertained at a progressive pedro party last evening at their residence on Bridge Street.

Mr. Fred Cobb of this city is visiting her father, Mr. William Wright, in Tweed.

Mrs. Alexander entertained about sixty friends at a pedro party at her residence on Pinnacle Street last evening.

Mr. T. P. Brown of the Ritchie Store, is in New York City on a buying trip.

Mr. Joseph James of Bridgewater is in town.

1,100 CLASSED AS DESERTERS

Montreal, Feb. 9 — (CP) The Montreal Star said yesterday that authorities of Canada's armed forces here now are dealing with "about 200 men from different units who overstayed their embarkation leave at Christmas." The newspaper added that there still remains the problem of rounding up the balance of 1,100 who now are classed as deserters.

TUNNELS WAY TO BARN

Warsaw, N.Y., Feb. 9 — (AP) — When John Bauer goes to the barn to milk his 13 dairy cows, he travels a 40-foot tunnel through a 30-foot snowdrift. The six-foot-high roof of the passageway is supported by timbers. "I've lived on this farm 34 years and it's the first time I have had to tunnel my way to the barn," Bauer said.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



FLAMING

(Continued From Page One)

British and Canadian troops of the 1st Canadian Army fought with tanks, infantry, Boot handlers and planes and gained more than two miles today on a front from just into the edge of the fortified Siegfried Switch Line after a flaming all-night battle. They were driving northeast eight or 10 miles of the point where the Ruhr River flows northward to the North Sea. A "thaw" and rain added their hindrance to the first 24 hours of attack.

Field Marshal Sir Bernard Montgomery, commander of the permanent Siegfried Line defences, 11 miles to the northwest of Duisburg, gateway to the Ruhr industrial area, says Germany's main arsenal but of increased importance now that the Russians have overrun the industries of Silesia, and the United States 3rd army has installed itself south of the Saarland's production.

Chaplain Lead in Forest.

(Reuters) News Agency in London quoted a front dispatch as saying that Allied parachute troops have landed in the Hurtgen (Huertgen) Forest.)

Some 85 miles south, in the Ardennes, United States 1st army troops were fighting through fringes of the vast Schwammenauel dam, one of the Ruhr's flood controls, and a potential flooding threat to the Belgian plain. The United States 9th armies in jump-off positions waiting for a link between the Canadian army and the American 1st army troops.

In the centre of resistance was cleared in Schmidt by the 78th division.

In the centre of the western front, the United States 3rd army pushed through an eight-mile hole in the Siegfried Line to within a mile of the important road centre of Prum, Oshkeim on the Prueem river, two miles from the Belgian and eight inside Germany, also was cleared.

Break Resistance in Alsace.

The French 1st army and its four American divisions were reported to have broken the last organized resistance in lower Alsace region of the Saar at the Rhine south of Strasbourg, capturing Drusenheim and said 4,000 prisoners were taken on the Alsace front yesterday, bringing the number caged in a six-day period to 15,000, the French said.

The 1st Canadian army offensive was a great success, front reports said the first time the Germans had voluntarily bolstered by British troops, had been thrown back with a counter-attack role and hurled eastward from Nijmegen.

Focused on Five-Miles.

Gen. Crerar's forces smashed across the flat sodden German frontier yesterday in the Reichswald area northwest of Duesseldorf and the Ruhr, the American breakthrough toward the Rhine in the north of the Ruhr.

At least in first stage, the new onslaught was focused along a five-mile front from the Reichswald Kleve road skirting the northern edge of the forest to Mook, behind the Waal to the Nijmegen-Venlo road and the southwestern end of the fortified zone.

Frauenberg on the Nijmegen-Kleve road is the key point in the enemy and five miles from Kleve, Nijmegen, Canadian troops reported penetration. The Kleve is the last natural barrier to the Rhine.

Overrun Many Towns.

Along with Kranenberg Gen. Crerar's attack troops overran Hasselt, Groesbeek, Brieben, Bruk, Denheuvel and Germanswalde, all in the Netherlands and some on the German side of the border.

Resistance was spotty on the north-western sector supporting the attack but stiff around Bruk, on the Kleve-Nijmegen road farther south. Enemy troop trains moved up to the Canadian sector were under attack by Allied airmen. The offensive was powered by a creeping artillery barrage, guns firing wheel to wheel.

The 1st Canadian Army sector had been quiet since November 30 when the Germans hit at Arnhem, and during the months between Canadian troops dug intricate mazes of trenches and took large and laid extensive minefields.

Casualties Light.

Casualties were described officially as light. Front reports indicated that the Germans were caught by surprise, and that the defenders of the onslaught which was preceded by a 1,000-gun barrage and bombing and strafing attacks by 1,000 to 1,500 planes, many of them heavy bombers.

The aerial sealing off of the front made it impossible for the Germans could get reinforcements up quickly to the new attack area, and at this point of the Canadian army attack the Allies were within 300 miles of the Russian armies which are driving in from the east.

Scattered clouds fell this morning. But the weather was no worse than yesterday when the attack was given an air umbrella which kept the German air force virtually grounded. Positions within 1,000 yards of the Canadian assault were also blasted; chaos and ruin was spread on the whole German rail system behind the front.

German Equipment Smashed.

At least 2,000 German railcars were damaged or destroyed — a terrific total when one remembers the wholesale destruction of recent weeks of rail cutting and train busting in this whole northern front.

The effect already was so great that German troops shifting from one sector of the front to another in the enemy's jiggle to meet each new threat were known to be having to use transit facilities deep in Germany, travelling many times

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

VITAMIN G DEFICIENCY

Vitamin G, otherwise called vitamin B2 now considered identical as riboflavin abundantly supplied in milk. Other foods that are good sources of riboflavin are liver, kidney, beef heart. They are also rich American cheese, green leafy vegetables such as beet tops, turnip tops, cabbage, lettuce, spinach, broccoli, asparagus, wheat brewer's yeast is the richest known source of riboflavin. Prior to 1938 riboflavin and niacin (nicotenic acid) were considered not clearly identified as different entities of the vitamin B complex, and the disease pellagra was described to vitamin G deficiency. Today it is well recognized that vitamin G deficiency is the main cause of pellagra, although there are associated riboflavin and other B-complex deficiency manifestations in most cases of pellagra.

Characteristic manifestations of vitamin G deficiency are sore-red and tender fissures in each angle of the mouth, scaly lips, chapped and cracked skin, fatty, kidney, reddened raw looking lips. This condition of the lips is called cheilosis.

Accompanying the cheilosis there is likely to be a greasy, irritation or inflammation of the skin on the sides of the nose and the cheeks sometimes extending behind the ears.

The tongue has a magenta color which must be distinguished from the bright red tongue of pellagra. In some instances where the G deficiency has been long continued there may be eye manifestations as well. Conjunctivitis, inflammation of the lining of lids and covering of eyeball), particularly of the upper and lower half of eyeball, attended with itching, burning, undue sensitivity to light and a feeling as if sand or cinders have got into the eyes.

The animal feeding tests it is possible to produce cataract, opacity or opacity of crystalline lens in rats, dogs and cats by feeding the animal on a diet adequate in all other respects but lacking riboflavin (vitamin G) riboflavin. Then when riboflavin is restored to the animal's feed the cataract may clear up. We have had individuals (white rats) and so far as I know they are the only animals whether riboflavin deficiency is a factor of cataract in man or whether increased intake of riboflavin has any remedial value against cataract in man.

Skimmed milk or separated milk (left to separator after removal of cream or fat); evaporated milk, and dried skim milk powder and buttermilk are practically as rich in riboflavin as whole milk. Eggs and also fish are quite rich.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Odorless Rosemary.

If nothing else, you certainly shake the cobwebs off from a lot of old-fashioned ideas that should have gone out with the dirt way back up the good work, you know, even if you do not, the tendency in favor of your fine medicine. (A. G.)

Answer—Well, I thank you kindly for the things. You so order clear the cobwebs away from a spot here and there than they reccommunicate and you have to go right back and begin all over.

Danger of Reducing

Please advise me how to reduce. I am five feet six inches and only weigh 100 pounds. I am diabetic and take insulin. (Mrs. M. F. R.)

Answer—No, ma'am, it would be dangerous for you to attempt any reduction, except under your physician's care. Increase your protein cents and stamped envelope for booklet "Training for Diabetes." Also for those of age who are simply overweight and should reduce, send 10 cents and stamped self addressed envelope and ask for booklet "Reducing Diet." Address—pamphlet "How to Lose Weight" Address Dr. Brady, Belleville, Ontario (overweight accompanying immediately) Dr. Brady, Belleville, Ontario (overweight accompanying immediately) Dr. Brady, Belleville, Ontario (overweight accompanying immediately)

IROQUOIS RATINGS FIRST TO GO ASHORE ON FRENCH ISLAND



Lieut. James Saks, R.C.N.V.R., of Edmonton, Alta., landing party officer of H.M.C.S. Iroquois with the members of his party who were the first Allies to go ashore on the river of the coast of Vendee in the Bay of Biscay. Sailings in the picture, from left to right are: Sgm. George Sheppard, of Calgary, Telegraphist Jacques Chevalier of Montreal, and PO Telegraphist R. J. Mulligan of Edmonton, Alta. The party went ashore to pick up information regarding enemy movements and to pay their respects at the grave of Admiral de la Peyrouse, one of several such landings by the Iroquois.

Packing of Olives Requires Skill

Recently we took a trip over to Brooklyn to visit the plant of Mayer-Cutler-Amris, Inc., importers and packers of one of Sicily's favorite foods, olives, writes Jane Holt in the New York Times. This concern, established in 1907, is the largest olive-packing company in the world, according to J. Kolmeyer, sales manager of the organization, who took us through the plant.

All of the fruit comes from the olive producing area around Seville, Spain. The plain, large green olives arrive in lagoheads containing a ton and containing from 150 to 180 gallons each, while the smaller stuffed Manzanillas are packed in barrels holding about fifty gallons each. The brine in which they travel, we were told, has a percentage of salt double that of the ocean. While these are the two general types imported, there are many classifications of each. The queen olives, for example, come in fourteen sizes, each varying by a fraction. Super colossal, the largest, measures about an inch-and-a-half in length, while some colossal, giant and mammoth, the next sizes that appear on the label. The size of the Manzanilla varies, too, but not so perceptibly to the untrained eye. The concern also puts up a tiny, pitted cocktail variety, as well as olives stuffed with pimentos. Some go by the Spanish trade name of Grandes, while others are packaged for different companies.

Packing Scientific Job.

One hundred girls do the specialized job of filling and packing the olives in the jars. Lest you should have the idea it's a simple matter of dumping them in, it takes from six months to a year to train each one. The workers sit at long steel tables, and, using long metal trays with holes in the bottom, pick up the olives individually, examining them for perfection of shape, color, and putting them in the bottle in symmetrical vertical rows. The stuffed olives are the most difficult to pack because the fruit has to be placed perfectly on end in the jars. In and out go the tongs, and, miraculously it seems to the observer, every olive stays in the spot in which it is put. Each girl averages sixty dozen jars a day, or about two every three minutes.

As the jars are filled, they're put into trays and wheeled to a large sink, where they're rinsed in lukewarm water and drained to rid them of brine. Next, they pass on an assembly line to be filled with fresh brine, capped, rinsed again to clean the outside of the bottle, and finally labeled.

Meantime, the stuffed olives discarded by the packing girls because of cracks in the skin or other irregularities of appearance serve a purpose all their own. They are chopped fine, blended with spices, and made into a delicious product called Grandee olive butter. This makes an exellent spread for sandwiches or appetizers, much as is, or blended with cream cheese. Its flavor, quite naturally, is one of olive and pimento, and it is sufficiently oily so that no butter need be used along with it.



The Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, the Honorable Mr. A. Matthews, buys the first stamp in Ontario, opening the Food and Allied Industries War Savings Stamp Drive. Standing Mr. Matthews his stamp is Mr. N. Allied Industries War Savings Stamp Drive. Standing Mr. Matthews his stamp is Mr. N. Brandon, Sales Director of Ontario, while Mr. M. Maxwell, Chairman of the Province, looks on.

Capt. McMurray Named to Camp CommandantStaff

Camp Borden, Feb. 9 — Captain V. A. McMurray, of Gilmour and Belleville, Ontario, who has served as officer in charge of Camp Borden Headquarters Details for almost a year, has been appointed Camp Commandant on the staff of Maj.-Gen. F. F. Worthington, C.B., M.C., M.M., Camp Borden Commander. Lieut. J. P. McGuire has been named Captain McMurray's assistant.

A member of Gilmour Public School Board for 10 years, Capt. McMurray served aleon Tudor township council. He enlisted in July, 1940, as a private in the 2nd Hastings and Prince Edward Battalion, and has served as reinforcement officer, and with the Queen's York Rangers, A-10 Canadian Infantry Training Centre, and A-11 Canadian Machine Gun Training Centre.

A brother, Sgt. Edward McMurray, a pilot in the R.C.A.F., was killed in England in September, 1941. Another brother, Keith, is a corporal in No. 3 C.A.O. Training Regiment here.

Lieut. McGuire Born at Havelock.

Lieut. McGuire was born at Havelock and attended high school at Jarvis Collegiate, Toronto. At the time of his enlistment on August 27th, 1942, he was assistant claims officer with the Ontario Workmen's Compensation Board, Toronto, and a member of Strathgowan Badminton Club and Royal York Track Club. He was promoted to sergeant in the spring of 1943, and commissioned in June of the same year.

ADMIRAL VISITS KING

London, Feb. 9 — (Reuters)—Admiral Harold Stark, United States Navy, was received in audience by the King at Buckingham Palace yesterday. The King invested Admiral Stark with the Honorary Grand Cross of the British Empire.

COLGATE-PALMOLIVE APPOINTMENT



Robert E. Jones

Mr. C. R. Vint, president of Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Company, Limited, announces the appointment of R. E. Jones as advertising manager.

Mr. Jones' advertising, sales promotion and merchandising experience encompasses several years' service as advertising manager with Glengarry Foods Limited.

Mr. Jones assumed his new duties at Colgate-Palmolive on February 1st.

Behavior In Front Of The Camera

During the years I've been fiddling around as a newspaperman I've seen scores of people photographed and I've often wondered about the strange powers of a camera. W. W. writes in The Winnipeg Tribune.

For there's something about the one-eyed stare of a camera lens that exercises a hypnotic effect on the subject it is aimed at.

However before I get around to discussing that particular phenomenon, I'd like to mention that even the mere suggestion of being photographed is enough to send the average lady or gent into a bit of a dither.

Money By Away.

Nine out of 10 of them seem to think it necessary to slay away as if you had suggested yanking one of their teeth.

"You don't really need a photo, do you?" they'll say.

If I've heard that remark once, I've heard it a hundred times.

Some day I'm going to frame that answer and reply: "No, of course I don't want your picture. But the city editor does—and I think he's the boss."

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Little Fellow Worst

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And it's the really top-notch celebrities who treat a newspaperman as if he were doing them a favor by coming over and seeing them.

Now let's get back to the hypnotic effect of the camera.

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As soon as he takes his first peek through the finder the subject stops talking and stiffens up. "Go ahead and talk," the cameraman will say. "Don't let me bother you!"

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He could hardly become more tense if the camera were being covered by a revolver.

The funny thing is when people have been photographed, they always act the same—like mad.

I remember one time I was interviewing a noted musician.

Things were going O.K. until Bruce Watson, one of our staff photographers, began doing his stuff.

Then it was the same old story. The musician began staring into the camera as if he had never seen one before.

"Pay no attention to Watson," said to the musician. "He's never seen a camera before and he's just trying to find out how it works."

Spell is Broken.

My silly statement broke the hypnotic spell of the lens.

Watson burst out laughing, so did the musician, and—BING! we got a swell picture, quite unposed and perfectly natural.

And it's hardly necessary to remind you how sharply the camera shows the difference between a false laugh, or smile, and a natural one.

Take the average wedding picture as an example—and now I'm talking about the studio job where the bride and groom are carefully posed for the picture of a lifetime.

The cameraman—or photographic artist, as he prefers to be called—says: "Smile, please."

And what happens?

The bride and groom both bare their teeth slightly in a grimace which is about as much like a real smile as root beer looks like the real stuff.

Getting Newbove.

All of which leads us rapidly nowhere, as far as finding a solution for camera-consciousness is concerned.

If you want to see the genuine smiles caught by the camera, and faithfully preserved in print, just take a look at any of those pictures of returned men being greeted by their wives, sweethearts or families.

Those pictures aren't posed. The photographer doesn't have to tell them to smile.

They just look into each other's eyes and forget about everything except each other.

Which finally leads to the only cure for camera hypnosis.

If you want to have a natural looking picture, just forget all about the camera.

POLITZ REFINERY

(Continued From Page One)

Improved Flying Weather

British and American tactical air forces based on the continent used improved flying weather to harass enemy troops from one end of the front to the other. The United States 9th Air Force's fighters and fighter-bombers flew more than 1,500 sorties while the British 2nd T.A.F. topped 1,000 sorties for the first time in daylight.

Gun positions, railways and enemy troops dug in around the Reichswald Forest, where the 1st Canadian Army was advancing were the principal targets.

Over the battlefront yesterday R.C.A.F. Spitfires destroyed five Stukas southeast of Venlo. The dive-bombers, flushed up by the new offensive, were hit before they had a chance to bomb the Allied troops.

Flt. Lt. D. C. Gordon, D. F. C., of Vancouver, shot down two Stukas himself and shared in a third.

The R.C.A.F. Rad Indian Squadron destroyed two locomotives and damaged two southwest of Hamm.

Pilots taking part included PO. W. B. Dalton of Kingston, Ont., and PO. E. H. Fairfield of Cardinal, Ont.

AMERICANS GAIN

(Continued From Page One)

Japanese artillery fire began to taper off yesterday after two days of continuous shelling of American-held north Manila.

Destruction was announced of more than 200 Japanese tanks—more than two-thirds of the striking force of the Japanese 2nd Armored Division — in operations on the central Luzon plain.

The important highway towns of Munoz, Rizal and Lupao have been captured by Americans of the 6th and 26th divisions. Lupao's capture virtually completed the campaign to secure the left flank on Luzon.

Enemy losses have been "very heavy" in both personnel and material in this sector, headquarters said. They reported 1,242 troops killed at Munoz alone, along with 43 tanks, 63 armored vehicles and 27 guns captured or destroyed.

A total annexpl.

Total enemy casualties for Luzon have been listed at more than 48,000.

$700,000 FIRE LOSS

Baltimore, Feb. 9 — (AP) — A $700,000 fire in the centre of the Highlandtown business district yesterday destroyed the three-storey Irving department store, damaged other establishments and one of the worst traffic jams in east Baltimore history.

4th Sidney

4th Sidney — Mr. and Mrs. A. Besley and Annis were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ray, Thurlow.

Miss Ruth Besley spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Omer Chisholm.

Pte. Audrey Robson was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Hayton and Mrs. L. Robson on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wait spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Kennedy, of Thurlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Benedict and family spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. Vincent.

Mrs. Geo. Reid is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital having undergone an operation on Saturday.

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West Huntingdon

Charles Keene New County Master Of Centre Hastings

West Huntingdon — The annual meeting of Central Hastings Loyal Orange Lodge was held on Tuesday in the Orange Hall, Madoc, Mr. Philip Carr, County Master, presided over the meeting in a most efficient manner. The credential committee reported an attendance of 74. There are 30 primary lodges in the county and all were reported to be in a good condition, the special feature of the meeting was a most inspiring and thought provoking address by the Rev. Mr. Kenneth Hewart, minister of West Huntingdon United Church.

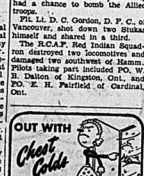
Past County Master Mr. Harry Coulter of Tweed, conducted the election and installation of officers for 1945 and those honored with the several offices are as follows: County Master, Mr. Charles Keene, Madoc 3, Deputy Co-Master, Mr. W. Johnston of Harold, Chaplain, Mr. Kenneth Stewart, West Huntingdon, Rec.-Secy., Mr. Arthur Wilson Stirling, Treasurer, Mr. H. C. Martin, Stirling, Marshal, Mr. Mac Sarles, West Huntingdon, Director, Mr. Burton Coulter, Tweed, 1st Committee, Mr. F. Neal, Marmora.

An invitation to hold a county 12th July celebration at Marmora was accepted.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. R. D. Black (16 Charles St., Belleville) entertained on her 80th birthday anniversary on her two sisters, Mrs. Fraser of Picton and Mrs. Bradshaw, Chapman Valley in Belleville.

Mrs. M. J. Bonnell of Orangeville is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ross Bird, Mrs. B. W. McQuaid, 36 Charles St., Belleville.

The monthly meeting of the Christ Church Parish Guild, was held at the home of Mrs. Stanley Spafford, 25 Bell St., Belleville, on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Sparling was in charge of the devotional period. Mrs. Spafford was assisted by Mrs. B. Wilson and Mrs. Sparling. A most interesting paper was given by Mrs. Sparling after which dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

ODDS 1 of the W.A. of Trinity Church Belleville held a surprise birthday party on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Phillips, Pine St. in the form of a "Kid" party. Mrs. Maria Locke's Twenty-six guests enjoyed an evening of games, a sing-song and refreshments.

Mrs. Mark Cornish, St Octavia Street, who is leaving the city to reside in Toronto, was feted at a surprise party at her home on Thursday night by friends and neighbors. On the occasion she was presented with a chest of silver, a token of the high esteem in which she is regarded by her friends. Mr. Jacob Curtis delighted everyone with several admirable solos to the ukulele. Mrs. Archie Wilson played a number of piano solos. A medley of nonsensical singing was heartily enjoyed. Refreshments were served and brought the party to a close.

WEDDINGS

DUNDON—DAVISON

St. James Chapel, St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston, was the scene of a pretty wedding event at nine o'clock, Monday, January 5th, when Rev. Father Kelly united in marriage, Marion Muriel, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Davison, and Corporal Thomas Malcolm Dundon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dundon, all of Belleville. Miss Lucien Mowery played the wedding music before the bride entered, given in marriage by her father, who was charming in a floor length gown of powder blue, fashioned with a sweetheart neckline. Her full length veil was held in place with a white-or-orange blossomed and she carried an arm bouquet of red roses.

The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Barbara Davison, who as an attendant wore floor length frock of pale green taffeta and a halo hat of green velvet held in place with yellow rosebuds. She carried an arm bouquet of yellow roses. Mr. Robert Dundon of Sydney Mills, brother of the groom was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for the immediate family and a buffet wedding breakfast was served from a table centred with a three-tiered wedding cake, flanked by pink tapers. Mrs. Davison, the bride's mother received the guests wearing a heavy black two-piece suit of fine crepe and a corsage of red roses and Mrs. Dundon, the groom's mother, was also received, wore an effective two-piece dress with an attractive corsage of roses and a contrast of yellow roses.

Later the bride and groom left on a motor trip, the bride's going dress being a black and white check suit with matching accessories and a corsage of red roses. Upon their return they will reside at 25 Bell St., Belleville.

The groom's gift to the bride was a diamond ring and to the bridesmaid, a gold brooch and chain. The best man received a gold identification bracelet and the usher, an engraved gold wrist watch compact.

Mrs. Davison and Mrs. Dundon, mothers of the bride and groom, were former residents of Belleville.

Sodality is Praised On Excellent Work

The February meeting of the Children of Mary of St. Michael's parish was held on Monday evening in the form of a banquet party in honor of the hostesses, Misses Mary Doyle, of the Assembly Queensite, sisters and the February meeting of the Sodality was held on Sunday afternoon

The Experts Say

(By The Canadian Press)

OTTAWA, Feb. 8 (CP)—GOOD LOOKING food that looks better, tastes better, says Laura Secord, director of the Agriculture Department's Canadian nutrition service, as she suggests these attractive garnishes for every-day dishes:

For meat pie use a pastry dough topping cut with a doughnut cutter. Or, if of pastry, cut each hole after baking makes an attractive garnish. Hot or cooked meat cold meat garnish.

Chopped cabbage let easy is made and look pay on a relish, pick or salad. Cover a sharp pointed knife make cuts in head, then push knife it inch apart down the length of the carrot. Then cut crosswise in paper-thin slices and shall in ice water until they curl.

Apple wedges make a colorful garnish. Wash and core a rosy apple, cut in wedges, and to each one insert in parsley "flags." Use on a rabbit tray or as a relish for cold meat garnish.

Hamburger or Liver .. Wrap each hamburger in a slice of bacon and top with a pimento stuffed.

HOSE CARE—Daily dusting is a must if you wish to make your precious rayon stockings last longer, and 36 hours is the minimum drying time for them to keep their elasticity. Rings on fingers and hangnails are sharp points and the source of runs. When it comes to drying, the stocking should be rolled in a towel to remove excess moisture and then hung by toe and top to take the strain off the rubber. Any stocking is ready for use which beats rye to wool and it doesn't. It does look sloppy-wrinkled in stocks paper and what have's being worn.

PUMPKIN CUSTARD: Nearly everyone likes pumpkin custard pie, and that means nearly everyone ... like this one for variety in pumpkin custard which comes from the Agriculture Department's testing kitchen.

Combine one cup canned pumpkin, 1½ cups scalded milk, 1 teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon cinnamon, ½ teaspoon nutmeg and ½ teaspoon ginger. Beat one egg slightly, add the milk and pumpkin mixture and two molasses. Pour into greased custard cups, set in a pan of hot water and oven-poach in moderately hot oven, 375 degrees Fahrenheit, for about one hour, or until cold. This recipe makes six servings.

MEAL PLANNING: "For health, happiness and Canada's future, buy wisely ... cook carefully ... eat sensibly" is the motto of the Public Utilities Division's new chart, "Meal Planning for Health."

As an aid to buying foods with the highest nutritional value, this little wall chart is a treasure house of food information compiled in its five basic groups simplifies the task of choosing the foods which will benefit you most to a health. IR each group is listed a large variety of foods, which are readily changeable, so that the individual preferences and family budget may be considered. The chart, obtainable free from the Provincial Department of Health, is a guide for buying good nutrition.

Fashion Flashes

THE TRIUMPH of the topper continues, but there is already version for Spring often with detachable fronts. Navy and black are still leaders, but grey, pale beige and platina hues.

SMALL AND NEAT is the best formula for the new spring hat. An ideal hat is a Viscot pillbox in mocha brown felt the appliqued with a row of padded cushions of brown, also in. Pale beige veil stiffened to fibre.

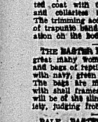
A GOOD START for a Spring wardrobe is a heavy suit of navy or wool. A fine design has a bolero top of navy and white flake-like tweed over white with pleated jabot topped by a looped bow.

A NICE ACCENT marks many of the fresh coats created for Spring wear. Green woolen with a muskrat finish is designed for a tailored coat with one-button closing and collarless neckline modified. The trimming consists in the form of trapunto beads in branch formation on the bodice.

THE BASTER PARADE will see a great many women wearing dress and bags of tapelin skin in colors with navy, green and red featured. The bags are mostly large, some with shoulder straps, while the shoes will be of the sling-back pump variety, judging from sheers orders.

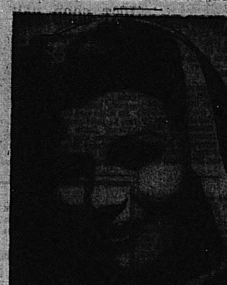
PALE PASTELS APPEAR in many little afternoon frocks of soft fabrics as crepe, velvet and taffeta fashioned on soft peasant type lines, with oval necklins and short sleeves, of course, of basic beige with underarm inserts and with skirt and upper part of each in folds. The basic folds of the bodice are caught at the waistline, and skirt fullness is centred in front.

Wife Preserver



A new apple bran which has very little sugar and is easy to prepare for pickled and tasty dishes.

Foot Comfort and Your Face



Rita Hayworth's dancing career has taught her the value of foot comfort

By HELEN FOLLETT

DO YOU realize, pretty one, that foot beauty is a lot to do with your face? If you're toddling about in sloppy-weather in thin soled shoes, if you're a run-over-boots and no buskies, if you think you can't happen! Getting chilled means that germs may attack your face and red nose will have hardly accessing fun.

Girls of school age and college age have about enough to wear when they have their feet large. They may look like the Gibson girl but they protect the little fronts of their feet. Let's begin with the girls are the older ones, so an oldfashioned cream is still the best all pack that hesitates into shoes that are too short or too narrow.

For street wear, the shoe should be breathing. It can be cloth shoe leather, or it can be of any material, pliable to the foot and give proper support. The choice of the shoe should be made hastily. Pressure may place will cause blisters and callouses to form.

As for tiniest heels for street wear, we will agree, but our toes on that subject. They were designed only for dress occasions.

An occasional pedicure will help to keep the footers comfortable. Get a careful filing of the nails, then a warm foot bath. Oil or cream is applied to each nail, the cuticle lifted gently with the orked fallood stick. Corns and callouses are frictioned with a toilet pumice stone.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

A STORY AS OLD AS THE HILLS

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I went "steady" with a boy for two years, and then we had a serious quarrel, and he enlisted in the service. Soon afterward I met a sailor, and following a whirlwind courtship we were married. For me it was a "quick marriage," but he was against the wishes of my family. Our little baby girl is a year old now, but it seems as if everything has gone wrong.

My husband is in the Southwest Pacific. And in the past few weeks my ex-boy friend has been home on furlough, and we have gone out together and realize that we're still in love. Only husband doesn't know about this and if he knew, I'm sure it would send him terribly unhappy. How can I tell him about it?

— S. Q.

"Well, my dear, we either make the best of our mistakes or become quitters. You have a little girl who is entitled to both Mother's and father's love and protection and should have a normal happy home life. Children are not responsible for "quick" marriages, and it's too bad they are always the real victims.

If you let your husband and married the ex-boy friend, you'd probably find life has had as many problems. You might be jumping from the frying pan into the fire.

Sees Objects to His Mother's Second Marriage

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I am 43 years of age and have been a widow for the past four years. I have remarried my son, who had always been in college before he went into the service. I feel I've done my duty to him, as I had to work hard to get him through school.

I have had a very intelligent, fresh man by age who wants me to marry him. He has been devoted to me for more than a year and has waited patiently until I fall

THE MIXING BOWL

By ANNE ALLAN

Hydro Home Economist



White Mountaineer! Live and healthy and delicious are the words in the spotlight. They are bargains in health, in flavor, in economy. Usually these phrases are cheapened when used in connection with food, but it is much the case with fruits, and vegetables. There is a fair ribbon of liver, several times iron, and a wealth of health builders, liver mainly promises poor daily need of iron—the mineral which the body has to have in its nutrition to get adequately in the diet. Also, they contain large amounts of other minerals and protein, and a wealth of vitamin A and B1, as well as Riboflavin and niacin.

But what good is all this food value unless we eat it? You may say, "I'm really not fond of liver." It must be taken in the steps of preparation.

Take a Tip

1.—Remove skin and tough fibres by stabbing and loosening with a sharp knife.

2.—Sautéd mushrooms are superb. Marinating (letting stand in tart seasoned liquid) in tomato juice, vinegar, tomato juice, or sour cream improves the flavor and distinctive flavors.

3.—Grinding makes pork livers more acceptable to some tastes. Grinding also helps the liver's texture very well and readily absorbs its rich flavor.

5.—Two high heat toughens meat fibres. Cook slowly in moist heat. Braising, Stewing or moist heat recommended methods.

Pork Liver With Rice.

1 pound pork liver, 1-4 pound sliced bacon, 1 cup rice, 1 cup chopped parsley, 2 or 3 sliced carrots, 3 sliced onions, salt and pepper.

Fry the liver with the bacon until brown then add the rice which has been soaked in water for one and half hour. Cover with hot water or stock and the parsley carrots and onions, salt and pepper. Cook slowly until tender, about forty minutes.

Tripe With Onions

Preparing Tripe—Tripe is usually sold in the city markets already cleaned. If not it obtainable, wash well through several boiling waters, then put in cold water and let soak over night.

Stewed With Onions

2 pounds tripe, 2 onions salt and pepper. 1 cup hot milk, butter.

Tree to marry. But my son upon learning of his plans became quite fuss and doesn't seem to think that I might like to find a companion for my old age. I'm very unhappy and come to you for advice.

—(Mrs.) O. F.

It seems as if your son has been in the habit of making a fuss when he doesn't get what he wants. Well —haven't you had your own ahead and done what you thought was best? Do that now. Nothing is more selfish than such an attitude on the part of grown children to a mother's or father's second marriage.

Simmer the tripe and onions in enough water for three or four hours, drain. Chop and season with salt and pepper. Add to the milk in hot onions and season with salt and pepper. Pour this over the tripe serve very hot.

Stewed Kidneys

1 pair kidneys, 2 pint kidneys, 1 bay leaves, 1-2 lemon, salt, 1 teaspoon thyme, 1 onion, flour, 1 tablespoon butter or other fat.

Wash the kidneys and cut out the hard white substances and fat from the centre. Soak in salt water and soak for three or four hours in water after changing the water three times. Remove kidneys and put the kidneys into a shallow pan, add enough water to cover them and heat slowly. When juice at the boiling point remove the fat from the water and again just cover them with cold water and add bay leaves, thyme, onion and stand changing the water when hot. Change the water in which it was three times that simmer (twenty minutes for small kidneys, one hour for large sheep kidney). Set away to cool. If the kidney is to be used for a breakfast dish, this preliminary cooking must be done the day before. Drain the kidneys, cut into small pieces. Place the chopped kidneys in a stew pan, add the bay-leaves, two cups of water and cook until tender, add minute for twenty minutes. When ready to serve thicken with flour mixed with the liquid. Season with salt and pepper and when thickened is the consistency of cream, serve on a dish.

THE SUGARSTON BOX

1 Pkg. Angel Cake
Hot Milk Angel Cake

1-4 cup cake flour, 1 cup sugar, 1-4 tsp. salt, 2 tsp. baking powder, 1 tsp. vanilla, 1 tsp. almond flavoring, 1 cup whipped cream.

Sift flour, salt and baking powder into a large mixing bowl. Add hot milk into dry ingredients, beat for one hour and fold in lightly beaten egg whites. Pour mixture into an ungreased angel cake pan, baking in moderate oven at 350 degrees for hour and a half. Invert pan on springs back and take shrinks from centre tube. Never pan as when cake is cold turn out thoroughly before being removed from the pan.

Mrs. J. B. suggests: An accentuated hat with a compacted brim.

Rice-Stuffed Pork Steak

2 small flank steaks, 1 cup cooked rice, 1-2 pound sausage meat, 1 small onion, chopped 1-2 clove garlic, minced; 2 tsps. minced parsley, 1 tbsp. minced celery, salt and pepper, 2 cups water, 2 carrots, sliced, 2 onions, sliced.

Pound steaks and cut gashes in fat. Mix rice with stuffing made by combining remaining ingredients except water, carrots and onions. Top with second steak. Secure with skewers. Brown in hot fat; add water. Cover tightly and cook one hour, until meat is almost tender. Add carrots and sliced onions. Simmer 30 minutes. Serve at once.

HARD WORKING LUNGS

Each adult inhales a gallon of air per minute, and consumes 20 cubits of oxygen daily.

That New Spring Hat



By ALICE ALDEN

IT'S NOT too early to think or reason for that Spring hat, but it is quite true that the earlier you get one, you even a bit of fruit. But remember hats must be well handled, otherwise the resultant design will be cluttered or top heavy. Peg Pinter, who has a very neat head with neat ideas, whipped up this Spring beauty. Rose in the shades of pink, it is trimmed with pink and blue grapes to roses while which gains a feeling of height through the fashion bow ribbon bows placed high in back.

The Marry Go Round

REMEMBRANCE OF ST. VALENTINE.

St. Valentine's Day is Wednesday of next week. And all the charm and sentiment of this romantic day have been left behind since the bogus. Along with the genuin art of letter-writing.

We envy you maided your Valentine letter or gift or card to the man overseas and if you have what you did not try to be clever or facetious or even modish and painless about it. You sent him something full of old-fashioned sentiment and sweet reassurance. For that is what they say the servicemen want this year. Some homey touch. Something that will let him know that you miss him!

It was the fun-making the cynical last-decade that St. Valentine's Day lost its long-lived sentimental charm and significance and declined almost to oblivion. About the only valentines that were sent then were the occasional vari-colored prints of a hand-drawn bracelet and the rich playboy to his latest flame.

But the pendulum is swinging a wide arc and the old-fashioned valentine is here again. Surely one day a year is not too often to remind a sweetheart or even a wife or a husband that she or he is loved. — Mother's Day and Father's Day, yet plenty of sentiment and "Why not keep Sweetheart's Day alive! And why is there no Husband's Day or Wife's Day?

Perhaps the career-girl is the one who finds it most difficult to compose an appropriate valentine, confessing that she is a victim of love after all. Nevertheless, I am all ready for her to clip and mail.

Career-Girl's Valentine

Darling, would you have the prove
That I honestly adore you?
Then oh let me tell you, Love,
All the things that I'd do FOR you!

I've no time to cook or mend
Or to scrub a kitchen shelf—
But I'd listen hour on end,
While you talked about yourself.

I'd not bake you home-made pies,
Nor not, Love, for your digestion,
But your weakest alibis
I would gravely without question!

As a housewife, I'm no riot,
My face would never wow a mob,
But I know when to keep QUIET!
Tell me—do I get the job?

AMELIASBURG

Ameliasburg — Mr. and Mrs. W. Hopkins were tea hour guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pritz and family.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Greig Titus on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Peyden spent Sunday in Belleville with Mr. and Mrs. R. Alexander.

Mrs. Dorbert Leichford and children of Clanniton spent a few days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sobie.

Rev. and Mrs. C. G. Adamson are spending a few days in Toronto.

St. Alban's Guild held a quilting on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Arthur Corfield.

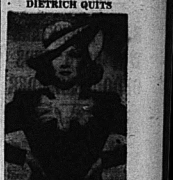
Cpl. Allan Sobie arrived home from Italy on Wednesday morning to spend his leave with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Sobie.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pile motored to Picton on Monday.

DENY BISHOP'S PLEA

Dartford, England. (CP)—A request by the Bishop of Rochester that children under 16 be excluded from movies on Sunday has been turned down by the borough council.

DIETRICH QUITS

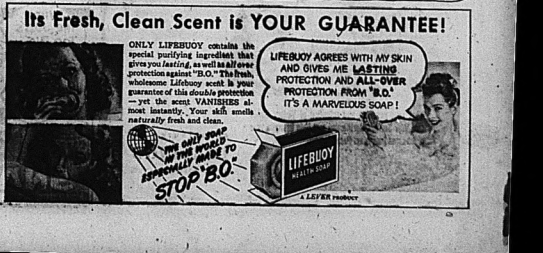


Marlene Dietrich, the "girl with the game, now with Canadian forces at Stolberg, Germany, will offer movie-goers the opportunity of viewing her gorgeous legs no more, for she has announced her intention to desert Hollywood and the screen. "Sultry-eyed," said the actress, "was a very difficult place to live in anyway after I had succeed how much it meant to give my time to the entertainment of American troops serving overseas."

WAS MY FACE RED
—WHEN SON PUT THE QUESTION TO ME



Its Fresh, Clean Scent is YOUR GUARANTEE!



They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



B.C.I. PUCKSTERS WIN BOTH ENDS OFDOUBLEHEADER

Seniors Defeat Albert College 9-6 While Juniors Take St. Mikes 4-1

Harold Moir's Belleville Collegiate pucksters took both ends of a Bay of Quinte Interscholastic doubleheader at the Hums, Annex yesterday afternoon when the "Collegiate" senior Albert College 9 to 6, while the B.C.I. juniors triumphed 4 to 1 over the St. Michael's Academy kids. The junior win elevated the B.C.I. kids into first place.

In the junior game Jack Green and Earl Bush rapped in goals to give the B.C.I. an early lead before Larry Meagher came back with a second period goal for the lone St. Mikes counter. To clinch matters Pat Shiels raced in with a hard driving shot to beat Callaghan. However, to make doubly sure Bruce Diamond stick-handled his way into position and rang the bell for the College's final counter.

In the senior game Roddy Lyall started matters off on the right foot with two early goals as the B.C.I. beat Albert 9 to 6. Lyall was torrid in scoring yesterday to whip home six of the Collegians' nine goals. Otherwise Vollick, Bailey and Wood added the count to seven for B.C.I. into a commanding position with St. Mikes' seniors. The scoring threats for Coach Stevens' Albert College aggregation were Mills count three with Harry Boyd and "Speedy" Bell picking up one each. The games were well handled by Referee "Speedy" St. Louis.

The line-ups:

B.C.I. Seniors—goal, Hollins; defence, Holway and Milligan; centre, Lyall; wings, Vollick and Locke; subs, Stafford, Thurston, Bailey, Robb, Thrasher and Wood.

Albert College—goal, McIntosh; defence, Cook and Ferguson; centre, Boyd; wings, Lindsay and Mills; subs, Christie, McCullough, Edey, Lane, Solomon and McIntyre.

The Junior Interscholastic lineups: St. Mikes — goal; Callaghan; defence, Peets and E. Moher; centre, Ed Barrett; wings, L. Meagher and Joe Barrett; subs, Bone, Crawford and Rose.

Belleville—goal, McIntosh; defence, Cook and Ferguson; centre, Boyd; wings, Lindsay and Mills; subs, Christie, McCullough, Edey, Lane, Solomon and McIntyre.

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LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Canadian Press)

Standings: Montreal, won 20, lost 6, drew 2, points 41.

Points: Maurice Richard, Montreal, 41 goals, 19 assists, 60 points.

Goals: Richard, 41.

Assists: Elmer Lach, Montreal, 32.

Penalties: Pat Egan, Boston, 60 minutes.

Shutouts: Frank McCool, Toronto 4.

LAST NIGHT'S STARS

(By The Canadian Press)

Fernand Gauthier, Montreal, whose hat-trick led the way for Canadiens' 9-4 victory over New York Rangers.

Kenny McAuley, New York, who played through the eye of a skate lace leg and turned in a fine game in The Rangers' nets.

OVER THE GARDEN WALL

Stoke-on-Trent, England, (CP)—Chatting over the garden wall, 77-year-old Mrs. M. E. Downs told 76-year-old William McIntyre: "I think we had better make it up to spare the neighbors' sake". McIntyre accepted. It was the third double-edge truce.

EUROPEAN MONOPOLY

Before 1939, most of the world's optical glass was produced in England, Belgium, Czechoslovakia and Germany.

A BUSY WATERWAY

An estimated 100,000,000 tons of freight were carried over the Rhine in peacetime years.

Mack Thinks Yankees of 1936 To 1939 Best

Los Angeles, Feb. 9 — (AP)—Connie Mack thinks the greatest baseball team of all time was the New York Yankees of 1936 through '39.

And next in line, says the Philadelphia Athletics' veteran manager, come the Cubs of 1906-10, his own Philadelphia Athletics of 1910-15, and the Baltimore Orioles of 1895.

Mr. Mack added Connie in his speech last night at a meeting of the National Association of pro baseball players, "the Orioles would have been the best if they had had the pitching of any of the other three."

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 9 — (AP) — The weight of expert opinion seems to be again the Howard Hobson basketball version of basketball . . . but the fans seemed to like it and, for that reason, so did this non-expert observer . . . There's a bigger kick in seeing a long shot swish through the basket than in any amounts of fancy floor work under the basket—especially when so many big boys are trying to get under the basket that you can't see who's who . . . And you should have heard the customers shouting "three" when a kid was poised to shoot from just inside the 21-foot are . . . As for the service flat, it's no more confusing than the difference between a basshit and a two-bagger.

Home Sweet Home —

Jersey Joltin, the reformed publicator, tells this one about how manager Tommy Thomas of Ballimore Orioles visited the stadium 2 days after the baseball season ended to pick up his mail . . . The Orioles had won the International League pennant the playoffs and the little world series and had broken all Baltimore attendance records the Orioles' share of the gate to the bowl the Navy had taken over for a football game and all Tommy's expenditures amounted to couldn't get into his own office.

Service Dept.—

Lieut. W. Robert Dixon, Syracuse, N.Y., tennis player back from England, claims that although s.P. 67 helped his net game and vice versa, aerial combat, he says, sharpened his sense of timing and balance while tennis relieved the nervous tension of flying.

CANADIENS ENJOY 13-POINT LEAD OVER THE FIELD

Wallop Rangers 9-4 and Rocket Richard Scores Two Tallies

By The Canadian Press

As long as Montreal Canadiens continue to be featured by the Rocket line and a lot of good hockey players, there's not a finish in the N.H.L. who could honestly be happy about anything they do. And at the moment the Habitants have a big enough lead to prove just how good they are, there are no cries of surprise, at this late date.

Apparently Canadiens' season success was to be expected as expected just as much as the fact that they're over the luckiest Rangers at the Forum last night.

The second-last-place New Yorkers could only confirm what has appeared as a fact in the past, that to topple the smooth Montreal-ers in their home sanctuary, with any hope of success is no mean hockey task.

Lester Patrick's unfortunate hockey boys found themselves seven down and into the third period before they could reply.

Fern Gauthier emerged as the shooting star of the night with a pair of markers against his former teammates.

Scoring leader Rocket Richard got two more tallies for Canadiens and veteran Toe Blake got one to move within a dozen of third place Boston's Bill Cowley in the scoring championship standings.

Ray Getliffe ran into two and Buddy O'Connor with one completed Canadiens' total for the night.

When Rangers did get rolling in the final period they snapped in 4 goals in less than 15 minutes. Alex Shunter, Walter Atanas, Fred Hunt and Alex Kaleniuk were the scorers.

The New Yorkers trotted out centreman Neil Colville for his first Montreal appearance since his first charge from the armed forces.

Highlight of the night was the performance of little Ken Mackay in the Ranger cage with a game Joe Lionel Bourrette of Quebec Aces Juniors subbing for Ranger bench as a sub-goalie, but was not needed.

What's Doing in Sport

By The Canadian Press

Presidents of the two major leagues yesterday named representatives to a committee which is to select a successor to the late Kenesaw M. Landis as baseball commissioner at $50,000 per year. Will Harridge, president of the American League appointed Alva Bradley of Cleveland and Donald L. Barnes of St. Louis while Red Trick of the National loop assigned Phil Wrigley of Chicago and Sam Breadon of St. Louis.

Brendon of the Cardinals has already suggested Frankie Frisch as a good but the other members of the committee initiated preference for a man outside of baseball. Possible candidates are James A. Farley, former Postmaster General, and J. Edgar Hoover of Federal Bureau of Investigation.

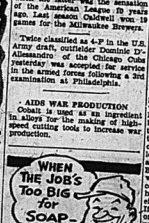
The European invasion — in reverse — is in prospect in the sporting world. Marcel Cardan of Paris, raised the European welter weight championship announced yesterday he hopes to leave France for New York within six months to appear in several fights at Madison Square Garden.

After many years pitcher Earl Caldwell, 36, is returning to big-time baseball, having signed with Chicago White Sox for the coming season. The Waxaco, Tex., veteran outpitched Schoolboy Rowe yesterday when the latter was the sensation of the American League in 1934. Years ago, Last season Caldwell won 19 games for the Milwaukee Brewers.

Twice classified as 4-F in the U.S. Army draft, outfielder Dominic DiMaggio of the Chicago Cubs yesterday was accepted for service in the armed forces following a 3rd examination at Philadelphia.

AIDS WAR PRODUCTION

Cobalt is used as an ingredient in alloys for the making of high-speed cutting tools to increase war production.



Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Toronto, Feb. 9 — (CP) — The Children sport program in Canada is "well underway," and there are indications that it is going to be quite a success. The way in which the Montreal and Ottawa clubs turned on the class in that recent game in Montreal, it shouldn't be long before they take their place with the best in junior hockey competition yet perhaps the N.H.L. will see them in a year or two.

When they do, the process of internationalizing of the sport in Canada, which has been started, since representatives of practically every province have had a chance in the big time so far, is all complete. Then the future of hockey, and plans for its growth and expansion after the war.

Whither Britton?

Bill (Shagras, Falls Evening Review) Chapman is going to wonder just what use Cpoches Dutton would have for Montreal Canadiens if his discharge has been delayed up-and he is made eligible to play hockey with Montreal Canadiens. Canadiens have been doing all right by themselves, and Dutton, out of condition as he is, will take some time to get back into form. Then too, he seems to remember some of the fast didn't take kindly to the big boy's methods in the N.H.L. after taking the line he was leading on the Blues and not giving his best.

Maritime Rookie:

That rumored commitment of Montreal Canadiens to have become a reality, Conn Smythe, it's reported, the promoter Eddie Mack has signed up several players for Shelling for skilling in one of his forthcoming Ice Follies productions. Reported signed are Gordie McNeil and lightweight Tommy Gallagher.

Preview:

Hockey fans across Canada will get a chance to learn just what class Sgt. Major N.H.L. stars now in the services are showing, when Foster Hewitt broadcasts from Halifax Saturday night. Hewitt will report from his view of the N.H.L. title scrap, but the big thrill will be watching how the boys compare with the pro parade which Hewitt have said the service hockey is every bit as good as the N.H.L.

CASUAL COMMENT
by K.J.C.

Easy.

The vicar was taking one of the boys in his class to task.

"Tom," he said, gravely, "I hear that you have been raising false hopes in several homes in the district says that you're engaged to one girl in Ida Place, to another in Little Mudford, and to a third in Ditchley. How can you do such a thing?"

With an uneasy grin Tom replied: "Well, sir, I've got a bike."

Group Statistics.

Tonight sees the opening of the semi-final playdowns in the "Little Six" Junior YMHA group with Trenton Hawks playing off the 1st at the end of the season's scoring parade will be in order. With each team playing ten games we find Norm Belleville the leading scoring ace with 76 goals for and 49 against, despite the fact Trenton has played in the group standing one full game ahead of him. Close enough, Trenton also scored 63 goals in their ten group games, but had 33 scored against them. The final Jack Pike Memorial Trophy, Jack Pike, leading goalie in the group, has a 1.37 goals against average. As for Hastings the "Amalgamates" have scored 53 goals against them, while the Stiffies have whipped home 56 goals as McInroy and Bell cut 25 from behind him. There are sufficient figures to prove the closeness of the teams as they move into the semi-final series tonight.

Outside Comment.

With the Hastings at Belleville junior O.H.A. game on tonight, Peterborough Fred Craig came to bat with the most interesting comment about Joe Pite, of the Hastings.

Says Fred: "A story from one of the Hastings papers appeared recently about young Pite who is being seen starring for the Hastings-Normwood Combine in the Little Six group says that the Combines' star can do everything but shave. What means exactly what it seems Pite may be one of the few players in the history of hockey in this district who could perform on the seat. We have had a number of back-checkers who have learned to back-hand very adroitly on the blade, but few defensives in a position where they could use the other side of the stick. But that is not the same thing as shooting either. The only player this column can recall who could use the other was the late Hugh Burritt who in the days just after the First Great War distinguished himself by playing centre with the Strathcona in the once-prosperous City League and leading that loop in scoring with a total of goals for the season. Burritt was just 16 years old and weighed about 110 pounds but he had stick-handling and skate and his trick of being able to shoot on either side made a constant threat. If the pass came to him on what ordinarily would have been his wrong side, he merely changed his grip on the stick and let drive. It didn't really matter just where the connection of the rubber around the net he was always in position to score that unusual faculty enabled him to lead all the intermediate and junior O.H.A. players who performed in the City League. Off hand, we cannot remember anybody else we have ever seen play who could perform the trick.

Remember White.

Nellie Sonja Henie won the world's figure-skating championship for the ninth successive time at Vienna ten years ago today. The comely Norwegian gal amateur soon after, following a world tour, became a citizen of the United States and became a movie star. Now she's on the way home.

Spectators of ice shows this department witnessed the showing of Chief Chihuly Chief Chihuly at Port Hope recently following which the Chief Chihuly signed the Minor City skaters to appear at the Hospital Benefit Carnival, Feb. 16th. Instead the committee the Quinte Hockey Club are presenting their annual ice carnival on Feb. 16th, featuring Vi Vi Smith, Canadian junior champion, and Bobby Ormsby. Apparently it appears as though Belleville is to have the privilege of two outstanding skating carnivals this month and both are feature attractions.

Did You Know.

Ching Johnson is one of the most unforgettable names in hockey, but few persons know well that Johnson's first name is Tom.

Ching aced his boyhood in Winnipeg, Canada. In the Johnson family there was a small ice rink. The boys played hockey there, and the kitchen of the Johnson homestead as their mother cooked. She was called to the cooking hazards that John Ching Johnson built a small shack in the yard to serve as the dressing room.

The place was equipped with a stove. One day the boys decided to do a little cooking. They were successful, and the boys proceeded to refer to the shack as "Chinks". Later, they changed that to "Chink" and finally to "Ching", and so he became Ching Johnson back in his school days.

BIG SEVEN

(By The Canadian Press)

Maurice Richard collected two goals last night as Montreal Canadiens walloped New York Rangers 9-4, boosted goals' total to 41, and climbed alone to the top of the loop's scoring parade, leading by 6 in the National Hockey League. Richard had been tied with first place Toe Blake and Elmer Lach.

Since tie with Boston's Bill Cowley who collected a pair last night, Maurice Richard of New York, squeezed into third place when he added one goal.

The leaders:

	G.	A.	Pts.
Richard, Montreal	41	19	60
Lach, Montreal	17	43	60
Blake, Montreal	20	40	60
Cowley, Boston	20	32	52
Getliffe, Detroit	24	28	52
Kennedy, Toronto	23	18	41
Bruneteau, Detroit	23	16	39
Demarco, New York	17	21	38

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JAMES A. FARLEY JUST GOOD FAN

New York, Feb. 9 — (AP) — He was mentioned often as a possible postmaster of New York . . . and he's also been mentioned as the possible next commissioner of baseball . . . but James A. Farley basically is just a fan. He proved it when he came not depending on any official capacity connected with it.

He might even be elected the No. 1 fan, as there probably is no other national figure approaching the prominence who has been as loyal a baseball-ite at games down through the years.

"I go every Saturday and Sunday, and during the week when I can get away," he said today. "Have been for years."

This interest, he explained, dates back to the days when he was a tall, lanky first baseman with the Haverstraw and Grassy Point, N.Y., semi-pro teams, "and a feisty good hitter, too, about 200."

Farley relies fatally for remembering names is almost legendary, now he is executive with a soft drink concern.

CHARITY BEHAD

Selsencia, England, (CP)—A bakery van made the rounds of this Hampshire village and soldering Christmas cards to the poor. Origin of the charity is unknown.

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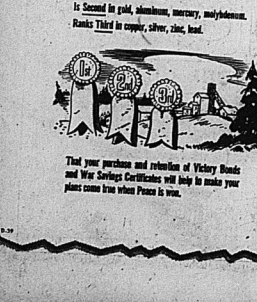
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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 602

By SAM GORDON

The Kibitzer

Bridge partners would no doubt tell the truth if they knew what it would do changes the emotional system cannot seem to make up its mind. So, it seems to be up to us. Use your raincheck on this hand:

♠ Q
♥ 5 8
♦ K J 10 9 8 6 4
♣ Q 8

Your opening bid with that hand is one diamond. Suppose your partner responds with a bid of one heart. Among other things, he affirms having at least three tricks.

Your hand contains eight tricks: an ace, a king, two queens, four short cards. With partner's three, you pay now to see 11 tricks in your part; enough for a game in something.

What is the signal for saying you see enough tricks for a game? A one-jump bid. You peep no cousins to rebid your diamonds. Stiff. So, your second bid is a one-jump to three diamonds.

Your partner knows he has shown you no more than three tricks so far. He also knows your jump says you see 11 tricks. Thus, he is aware of the fact that you have eight tricks.

Suppose partner has no more than the three tricks he has shown up to now. So what? He already knows your pair has tricks enough for a game. That should keep him from stopping short of game.

No matter how you look at it, a partner has no business to pass such a one-jump raise in the same suit. The jump says you see enough for a game. The bid in the same suit says the suit is stronger.

To pass it would not be practical or mystical. Short, hence no sound reason why either partner should not want to take it to game.

True, the cumbersome system now says it does not necessarily force partner to bid again. But that advice is unreliable. It is merely another one of their wrong changes.

Sound changes may be moves, spots, and still not be improvements.

SOFTENING ICE HALTS BONSPIEL

Winnipeg, Feb. 9 — (CP)—Mild weather in Winnipeg last night disrupted play in the 57th Annual Manitoba Bonspiel by softening ice at most of the 14 rinks on which the 'spiel is being held.

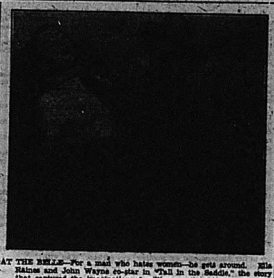
But the favored Ken Watson and Gordon Hudson continued to sweep their way along the victory trail and brought their string of consecutive wins to six. Watson, aiming for his fourth grand aggregate title, downed Sangster of Winnipeg C.P.R. 6-4 in an Ross Trophy match while Hudson eliminated R. T. Pritchard's Killarney, Man., rink in the same event.

USED BY COLUMBUS

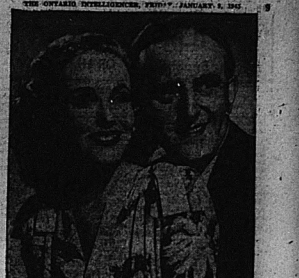
Christopher Columbus made the first practical use of the magnetic compass.



AT THE CAPITOL—Katherine Mary Sullivan (Anne Baxter) and Al (Edward Ryan), youngest of the five famous brothers, have no doubt that the new addition, Jimmy, will follow in the fighting tradition of this family in "The Sullivans," which opens next at the Capitol Theatre.



AT THE BELLE—For a man who hates women—he gets around. Ella Raines and John Wayne co-star in "Tall in the Saddle," the story that captured the imagination of millions as the Saturday Evening Post serial, coming this weekend. Audrey Long, George "Gabby" Hayes, Ward Bond are featured.



AT THE McCARTHY—Lovely Georgia Carroll and "Ol' Professor" Kay Kyser (Mr. and Mrs. in real life) have every reason to smile happily as they appear in "Carolina Blues," next at the McCarthy Theatre. Second feature is "Sergeant Mike."

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Trippers 3 pts. — Dixon 486; J. Grills 278; Peoples 146; Walmsley 370; Dawson 301; G. Grills 371; M. Frain 306, Handicap 370, Total 2653.

Carriers 1 pt. — Bailey 262; Stripling 366; Ashton 246; Saunders 467; Hitchon 376; Lapberton 473. Total 2644.

Crushers 3 pts. — Delaney 503; Cornell 339; Rodgers 444; Hamilton 502; Batchelor 502; Dalrymple 323. Total 2813.

Reducers 2 pts. — Peoples 341; Brooks 426; Dixon 599; Maracle 492; Dawson 486; Yorex 586. Total 2930.

Elevators 1 pt. — Jewell 392; Owen 516; Hartleib 372; Matter 406; Bowyer 393. Total 2079.

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Lawnbowling 3 pts. — Rose 426; McLaughlin 540; Hurley 532; Hanson 433; Boyd 544; handicap 248. Total 2722.

C.N.R. 1 pt. — Kiser 553; Moore 486; Bryant 482; Hendricks 356; Jackson 533; handicap 147. Total 2656.

Gerbins 3 pts. — Smith 603; F. Graham 580; Jenkinson 500; White 667; handicap 340. Total 2810.

Klusmen 1 pt. Berry 556; Dennis 580; Harrell 592; Holway 607; handicap 141. Total 2266.

Bells Cleaners 0 pts. — Lee 557; Whelan 589; Cruft 641; Colebourne 616; Anderson 570; handicap 171. Total 2864.

Belleville Golf 4 pts. — Kirkwood 690; Bryant 486; Drumm 506; Bertram 726; Ingrish 661; handicap 90. Total 3124.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

Interprovincial League

Valleyfield Braves 10, Shawinigan Falls Cataracts 4.

Mac. Inter-Services Senior

Army Grenades 10, R.C.A.F. Flashes 2.

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Montreal	26	5	3	41
Detroit	22	10	4	48
Toronto	19	18	3	40
Boston	13	20	3	29
New York	12	20	3	26
Chicago	7	23	5	19

Montreal 5, New York 4

Tonight—No games.

American Hockey League—Unchanged.

Tonight—No games.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Highland Park, N.J., — Jerry Florello, 184, Brooklyn, and Sidney Miller, 183, Detroit, drew (8); Ralph Bivins, 178, Jamesburg, N.J., knocked out George Carr, 198, Camp Kilmer, N.J., (4).

Philadelphia—Joey Falco, 144 1-2, Philadelphia, outpointed Billy Nixon, 146 1-2, Philadelphia, (8); Johnny (Red) Fest, 146, Lebanon, Pa., outpointed Charley Hilton, 147, Philadelphia, (6).

Camden, N.J.—Pedo Flynn, 132, Camden, outpointed Lalu Constantino, 134, New York (10); George Hill, 142, Philadelphia, outpointed Maurice Levine, 148, Montreal (8).

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Valleyfield Braves Increase Lead

Valleyfield, Que., Feb. 5—(CP)—Valleyfield Braves increased their lead in the Interprovincial Hockey League last night, smashing to a 10-4 triumph over the last-place Shawinigan Falls Cataracts.

The Cataracts started out strongly and twice commanded a one-goal lead, but never recovered from a five-goal Valleyfield spurge in the second period.

Ritchie Joannette and Bert Vincent led the Braves' attack. Joannette notching three goals and two assists, while Vinet had two and two; Other goals came from Gerry Plamondon, Tod Campeau, Mickeyash, Bougie and Poliseuk. Shawinigan's goals came from Jack Taupin, Vince Bellemarre, McIntyre and Lupien.

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Alley Cats, 4 points: P. Timmon 577; D. Hammell 562; J. Sills 556; S. Meagher 566; J. Doe 300—2521.

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Whitehall Notebook

By JOHN DAUPHINEE

(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 9 (CP) — A model of the proposed new House of Commons to replace the old blitzed one is likely to be installed in the central lobby at Westminster so visitors can see what the new place will look like.

Recently the model, a remarkable piece of craftsmanship, was exhibited in Manchester and Liverpool and there has been a demand that it be made available to casual visitors.

There have been suggestions for minor changes to the plans suggested by Lord Winterton's rebuilding committee but the scheme is expected to be adopted almost as it stands.

While Lord Winterton with forty years as member of Horsham has a right as a member of Commons longer than anyone else since David Lloyd George became an Earl, he is not elected and at present the fate of their succession, if they are then 91, until their death.

Sir Herbert Williams, Conservative member for Croydon South, says that after the war M.P.'s will be faced with heavy pressure to bring about a reduction in taxes and he thinks it will be justified.

Writing in The News-Letter, organ of the National Labor Party, Sir Herbert, who now is 80, recalls that when he started to smoke he paid fourpence an ounce for pipe tobacco and now he pays 2s. 6d—more than seven times as much. Whisky he drank then was 6d a bottle and now is 25s. 6d. legally, where it's available. Income-tax was being raised from 4d to 6d in the pound, and "now the beards wagged at the gigantic increase in taxation.

Vice-Admiral Sir Geoffrey Blake, secretary of the Gentleman Gaoler of the Black Rod, plans to carry on his new duties without giving up his post as secretary to Parliament with Admiral Stark, U.S. naval commander in Europe.

Making model airplanes is the hobby of Sir Robert Bird, Conservative member of Wolverhampton West. In the drawing-room of his home on a pole and attached to it by thread are small model planes propelled by elastic. "Nothing pleases him more than to sit head with his wife and watch the planes perform.

Little Benny's Note Book

Pop was smoking to himself in his private chair and ma was doing the bridge problem and I was looking all around the room every place, saying, Gosh dang it all, I wish I could remember where I put that thing.

And I wish you could put things where you remember, pop said. Life is short enough for everybody, but at least it's a little longer for people with orderly habits. Just think of all the hours you've wasted out of your life just merely looking for your cap, for instance, he said, and I said, Well dumming, pop, maybe they weren't quite where I must look at all the exercise I got just walking around, and all that looking might even of been good training for my eyes, I said.

I see what you mean, pop said.

No doubt the only really happy people are the wide eyed scies who spend their lives trying to remember where they live and whether they part their hair in the middle or down the back, he said.

Being sarcoastic, and ma said, the way that boy twists everything he hits very private ends, he ought to be a lawyer specializing in tech-nicalities. There's just one prove-bial way to be tidy for and take, and that is to have a place for everything, she said.

Well gosh, ma, I do have a place for everything, only I generally forget where it is, that's the only trouble, I said. Hey, ma, C, you do you want is hear something funny? I said, and pop said, by all means. There's no form of amusement that can take the place of a good laugh, he said.

Well while I was listening to all your good advice I went and forgot what it was I was looking for, isn't that a funny one? I said, and pop said, It's a rid one, if you ask me, and ma said, Oh, do your lessons.

Which I did feeling against it.

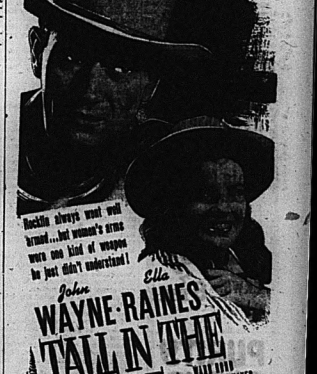
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2.55 — 7.25 — 9.40	2.55 — 7.00 — 9.25	2.30 — 5.30
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CHAPTER IV

"We could be married—formally," she pleaded. "No one would have to know. Bruce, I'll give up the stage, I promise."

"Sure, this chance — okay," he said suddenly. "Tell me about it." He scribbled about Frank Merrill, Donald, the talent scout, and Alice Delaware. "Get him Bruce over because he was clever. Then we can say we just married to—to—moneyed Bruce replied grimly. "I guess not, Lyla. I told you once before I don't like second. Have your movie career, I hope it makes you very happy."

He was gone before she could think of anything else to say.

CHAPTER V

There were five other girls under contract at the Monarch Studio. Anita Clark had been a telephone operator before a talent scout found her in Atlanta. She was dark-haired and pretty in Oriental fashion. Doreen Grant had sung in a small night-club in Detroit. Wilma Hemmer, once played "Portia" in a little theatre in Indiana. Blonde, statuesque Bertha Kramer was an ex-model. Peggy Arrowhead was a debutante with an indefatigable mother.

The Drama Coach, Edda Robinson, a thin woman of forty-five had taught some of the biggest names in the business the difficult art of being themselves in from of a camera.

When Livia had been a few days under contract, she was called to the publicity department of the studio and, interviewed by Jack Tennant. Jack was a tall, dark, pale, small, bright eyes which he closed when he spoke. She admired Jack's perceptive ability at Livia and motioned for to sit down.

"Charette?"

Livia shook her head. "I don't smoke."

"Drink?"

"Very little?"

"What are your vices then?"

"Haven't any."

"Are you engaged—or anything like that?"

"In a way I am—and in a way I'm not."

"Make up your mind, sweetie pie."

"Well, I suppose not," she said finally.

"Good. I have just the thing for you," he said. Livia was alarmed.

"What do you mean?" she asked.

"Don't worry your pretty head about anything," he said. After a few more questions the interview was over.

Livia watched the local papers after that, but very little appeared about her, except in the "Gazette" where Neal and Sarah published as the "Charm Girl," doing slow if Bruce would call her again or merely answer the telephone, she could be happy.

It was a thrilling adventure going to the studio every morning. The gateman knew her and smiled. The cop and smiled. It was fun to be long.

Sometimes Edda Robinson took Livia and the others in a set, and explained why this or that was done and that one wouldn't last. The afternoons were for dancing and chorus. Livia posed in every known garment in swimming suit from a fur coat that didn't belong to her. She met trainz and flyers from arms around the necks of visiting celebrities and attend conventions.

Soon she was promoted to more dramatic work which she privately considered silly. Livia and the others were supposed to be sitting at a table at Victor Hugo's. Livia had been all afternoon posing for fashion stills in the studio gallery. Her face was tired and depressed. She had been under contract now for five months. There was only another month left of her present contract. And would they renew it? Of sufficient importance to take up the option?

There had been disturbing rumors of late, in the executive offices of the studio. And the first people to go always were the telephone operators and the stock girls. Already Anita had been let out, and her empty chair in Edda Robinson's drama class was a daily reminder of the ephemeral quality of a film career.

"You've been working too hard and playing too little," Bertha said when Livia hesitated, "A little fun will give you a better perspective on life."

So Livia went with Bertha. Their escorts were two young actors who recently had come to Hollywood from the New York stage. One of them had divorced a famous film star and was enjoying his new freedom by taking out a different girl every night. The other, with whom he shared a house on a Beverly hill-top, was Livia's escort that night.

"Let's dance," he said to Livia. He was a good dancer, and Livia was enjoying herself—until Bertha jumped into Bruce. Bruce was dancing with a beautiful brunette who was the current sensation of Hollywood. She was formal and polite. He introduced her to the star and Livia introduced him to her partner. There was a slight pause, then Bruce spoke.

"How is the career?"

"Wonderful," Livia said defiantly.

"I'm glad," he replied. The music had stopped, and with a polite exclamation of his head, he steered the stunned little girl back to the long table presided over by the Hollywood celebrity.

Livia was miserable and left early. She hired a taxi to take her apartment in the apartment.

"You should have stayed. We had fun," Bertha said when she came in yawning at two o'clock. "Say what's the matter?"

"Nothing," said Livia.

She stayed awake wondering how she could get out of it.

At breakfast the next day Bertha exclaimed excitedly:

"Well, I'm damned," and put down the newspaper she was reading. "Here—look," she pushed the open at a movie page, across to Livia, and read aloud:

"Charles Fordyce has a new beauty, Livia Clarkson, discovered and this time it's serious. Intimates predict marriage soon." "Not! I don't know him," Livia said helplessly.

The afternoon papers carried the same item, and another column had it the next day. Fordyce was one of the best directors in the business. He had been married four times. His reputation with women was bad.

All first Livia was amused. But as the item was repeated, she thought she saw a leer on the face everyone she met. And she was worried about Bruce's reaction.

"I'm getting sick of this," she told Bertha and went to see Jack Tennant in his office.

"I got you some swell breaks, didn't I?" he grinned at her. Livia controlled her rising anger. She reminded him of the clause in her contract prohibiting such things. "But this is only a publicity stunt," he said.

"Please stop it," she begged him. "It's embarrassing—I don't know him."

"I can fix that, too," he said. "Nothing to it."

She left him and called Bruce. "Congratulations," he said coldly before she could speak.

"But I'm not—" she said.

"He can do a lot for your career," he persisted.

"But it's all publicity—"

"He'll make you a star. He's done that to all his other wives," said Bruce.

"You're the most irritating man I've ever known," stormed Livia. "I hope you'll be very happy, Mrs. Fordyce."

She slammed the receiver down. Charles Fordyce was unhappy.

Alice Delaware, the star of his next picture, was behaving as usual. Her small, fragile fingers were clawing him every time they were it was impossible to make her understand that she was playing the picture.

"It serves me right," he thought moodily. He had broken his own rule. Never leave the boss' wife alone, and he had left Alice with nothing lady.

He flicked through the stack of photographs on his big mahogany desk and selected several to hand to him, now challenging, now pleading. He tossed them at her in the remaining stills.

"Look at her eyes," he thought. He looked at the photographs across to his secretary. "Get me that box of matches," he said to it," he snapped. "It's got to be in this picture."

If this had happened at any other time he might have played ball. She was attractive, and she was young and would be a nice change from Alice Delaware. But this was no time to upset things. Alice had refused divorce to go to her husband and get another director for the picture. Ordinarily he would have told her to go to hell and take her husband, who was his boss, with her.

"But, damn it, I get a good picture for once," he said aloud irritatedly.

But he had to use tact; it was no use appealing to Hal Schneider, for he was scared of Alice than any one else in the studio.

"Miss Delaware on the phone," his secretary interrupted his thoughts.

"Say, I'm out," he said, then changed his mind. "Tell her I'll be over now," he added. "Also, baby," he said cheerfully, "don't disturb me until Alice exhausted her temper. I'm busy."

He thought you were too smart to fall for a phoney publicity stunt, Chris in the department. The guy who dreamed up the story is first rate.

But Alice was a business girl. She would use her advantage to get her own way in the picture. And Fordyce knew this.

He put the receiver down carefully. His secretary came in.

"There's a young lady to see you, Miss Clarkson."

"Oh, send her in," roared the director.

The eyes that confronted him were as wide as his own.

"You must stop this immediately," Livia said, waving the newspaper in her hand. Fordyce laughed.

"You're either a good actress, or extremely naive," he said.

"I'm not acting," she said.

"Oh, you want a retraction," he said, and she was prettier than her photographs.

"What's the use?" said Livia wearily. "I'm not the first girl in Hollywood. They can do and say anything."

"I trust the story didn't seriously inconvenience you," said Fordyce. She looked at him in fury.

"It's ruined my life," she exaggerated.

"Me, too," grinned Fordyce.

Livia laughed and bit into the room. He was worried. Publicity was the somewhat old-fashioned medium of a woman had seemed good at the time. He was the only studio employee unaware of previous attachment existing with Alice Delaware. But he had taken fright when the summons came to Fordyce's office. He relaxed. So they did know each other—and before one he had told something of his life story. But the director's first words disillusioned her.

Livia began to feel sorry for the tall, handsome agent. And when Fordyce said, "You're fired," she interrupted.

"Please not on my account."

"It isn't on your account," said Fordyce grimly. She came close to him.

"Please don't fire him." Tennant was married and had two children. "Please," she begged Fordyce. He smiled at her tenderly.

"All right," he said and turned to Tennant. "Thank the lady."

"Thank you," said Tennant humbly. Livia was embarrassed and picked up her handbag from the desk.

"What's your hurry?" demanded Fordyce, "Sit down." He motioned her to the chair from which she had risen. He offered her a cigarette. She refused.

"I was stupid just now," He resumed. She nodded to kiss her soft mouth. With a start she likes this you probably had to go slow.

"What made you fall for me so soon?" he asked her.

He was thinking "In a month my option comes up. Will they renew it?" Fordyce seemed kind. She was prepared to discount the stories she had heard about him. If he put a word in her, and for Bertha, they might be spared the humiliation of being fired.

"I hear they are cutting down on expenses," she said. His face darkened. His budget had been trimmed from $600,000 to $600,000. And this year all the jokes had to be watched and well-played, and why he must not let Alice destroy the balance.

"Why?" he asked her.

"I don't want to be fired," she said simply. The speaking box on his desk showed a green light.

"Yes?"

"Mr. Schneider wants to see you right away."

"Okay, I'll be right there," he said.

"Had Alice told her husband? Livia did not know.

"How about dinner tonight?" she suggested. "We can go to Clive's or somewhere. Call me later."

She had thought he would suggest that he come to see her. It haven't any clothings," he said and left her alone to the door. They both laughed.

Livia dressed carefully, after having Bertha of her date with Fordyce, but she finally said:

"I'm not going out."

This was unusual and Bertha was curious. "Who with?"

"A director."

"Don't tell me—Charles Fordyce? Right?"

"Right—I met him this morning."

"The quieter they are, the faster they are."

"Bertha!"

"I'm kidding. But I hope you do yourself some good, honey."

"I might do you all some good."

"Forget it," said Bertha sharply. "That sort of man gives nothing for nothing. He's dynamite. You don't play with dynamite."

"I like him," said Livia defiantly.

"Go ahead, like him. But don't go and fall for him. Say, what's happened to that boy friend of yours—Bruce something?"

Livia did not answer. She did not want to think about Bruce just now.

Fordyce was half an hour late.

"I was kept at the studio," he told her. He omitted a meeting an hour he had had with Schneider. "I really didn't believe in the damn picture so much, I'd walk out," he said. Livia looked concerned. Alice's role was to overshadow the real, but not as much as she had wanted.

"Let's go to the beach," he said to Livia. "There's a good restaurant near Malibu."

He was the proprietor of the place. It was unfrequented by picture people. Mostly bookmakers and race touts and a few in the back room, which was strictly private.

The chauffeur's back was square and solid. He seemed a good driver to Livia when Fordyce, with an automatic gesture, raised her hand, turned it up, and kissed the palm. She whispered, indicating the chauffeur.

(To be continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

FRIDAY, FEB. 9

6.00 p.m.
CBM—Music and Enjoy Music.
WBEN, WGR—News. 6.15 Sports.
—6.15 p.m.
CBL—News. Farm Market.
WKBW-CBS—Lyn Murray's Show.
—6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes McKnight, Sportview.
—7.00 p.m.
CBL—BBC News From London.
WBEN—Lowell Thomas.
—7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—8.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WGR-CBS—Ed. Wynn Show.
—7.15 p.m.
CFRB—Musical Review.
WBEN, WGR-N—Vandercook news.
—7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Name It.
WBEN—Al International House.
WKBW-C—Fibber McGee.
—8 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Aldrich Family.
CBL—"Romantic Pictures".
WBEN-NBC—Highways in Melody.
WGR-Blue—Stars of the Future.
—8.30 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—The Thin Man.
WBEN-NBC—Duffy's Tavern.
—8.45 p.m.
CBL-NBC—Waltz Time.
WGR-Blue—Army-Navy Trials.
WKBW-C—It Pays to be Ignorant.
—9.30 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—That Brewster Boy.
WGR-Blue—Jan Savitt Orchestra.
WBEN-NBC—Fred Allen's Funny.
—10.00 p.m.
CKEY-NBC—Amos 'n' Andy.
CBL—National News.
CJBC—Boxing.
WJR, WKBW—Moore and Durante.
CFRB—Paul Pidman Orchestra.
WGR-Blue—Orchestra Over.
—10.15 p.m.
CFRB—The People Next Door.
—10.30 p.m.
WJR, WKBW-C—Stage Canteen.
—11.00 p.m.
CKEY—News; Mickey Lester.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
—11.15 p.m.
CJBC—Guido Williams Orchestra.
—11.30 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Mildred Bailey Show.
CJBC—We Came This Way.
CBL—Vancouver Palyhouse.

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Nineteen Norwegians Reported Executed

Stockholm, Feb. 9 (AP)—Nineteen Norwegians were reported executed today on charges of "terrorism" in reprisal for the assassination of Maj.-Gen. Carl Martinsen, commander of Quisling S.A. (Nazi) troops in Norway, who was shot and killed in Oslo yesterday.

First reports said eight were executed after puppet Premier Vidkun Quisling refused applications for mercy.

Later the official Quisling Telegraph Agency reported another 11 were shot after a court martial convicted them of "assassination attempts and sabotage."

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Municipalities Urged to Restrict Road Expenditures

Toronto, Feb. 9. (CP)— Hon. George Doucett, Ontario Minister of Lands and Forests, today urged municipalities to restrict road expenditures to "vital projects until sufficient labor and material are available" in the post-war period for "prosperity."

Mr. Doucett was addressing the final session of the two-day 44th annual convention of the Ontario Agricultural Council at Queen's Park.

Municipalities were asking $14,500,000 for highway construction and maintenance in 1945, compared with $11,000,000 last year, and this increase could not be met by his department's appropriations, the minister said.

The government was making plans and surveys for an extensive post-war roads program, Mr. Doucett said, which would include every municipality in the province.

Resolutions Passed

The following resolutions were passed: That the council affiliate with the Canadian Federation of Agriculture; that payment of an annual fee; that the government consider the Daylight Saving Time; that federal and provincial governments support at least 50 per cent toward a post-war program of renovating or rebuilding school-buildings; that the Ontario sales tax levy against farmers be discontinued; that a new provincial government enact legislation making its compulsory for all cheques addressed to Toronto be consigned to the Union Stock Yards market, and sold on the open market; and that enabling legislation be passed permitting the sale of eggs under the Natural Farm Products Control Act.

Command Slated

The council commended "the stand taken by Magistrate Angus Mac Innis, Judge James J. J. Coughlin of the Windsor Police Commission, concerning the introduction of the spanking machine as a deterrent of crime".

C. H. Hooper of Cormley, was elected president succeeding H. G. Taylor of Richmond Hill. Directors of Wallaceburg and John M. Story of South Lancaster was reappointed first and second vice-presidents, and directors are John T. Sheppard, Simcoe; James Lee, Manotick; Matthew Bowman, Brampton; Earl Cockerdale, Carleton Place; Charles Rush, Stoco, and Charles D. Coyle, Strathcroft.

Rumor Hitler Took Refuge In Bomb Shelter

London, Feb. 9 — (CP) — A report that Hitler was killed during the bombing of his capital by United States heavy bombers last Saturday was circulated in London today after a neutral course near the German border.

This account, although not regarded as authoritative, said Hitler took refuge in a deep bomb shelter under the Reichsanchellory, which the Army Air Forces reported was his several times.

The Fuehrer was reported to have left the shelter just before the all clear and to have been driven out of Berlin.



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R.A.F. Uses New Type Anti-Personnel Bomb in West

London, Feb. 8. (CP)—British airmen are using a new type of anti-personnel bomb with considerable success in support of the 1st Canadian Army drive on the northern flank of the Italian front, it was disclosed today.

The device consists of a number of small fragmentation bombs in a single casing, which are scattered in all directions when the casing explodes.

The bomb was said to be useful in breaking up troop concentrations and in harassing refugee columns.

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TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, Feb. 9 — (CP) — Industrials were higher this afternoon on Toronto exchange, Oils were groups were lower. Volume was only at 150,000 shares.

Steep Rock sold back to 3.80 for a loss of 5c on the week. Wilsil Amulet and Labrador lost 5.

In gold declines of 50 to 90 cents were boarded by Lamaque, Goldcrest Willans, Giant Yellowknife and Lebel.

Some industrials, including the steels and liquors held firm or strong. Steel of Canada Pfd gained a point.

WALL STREET

New York, Feb. 9 (AP)—Stocks, with scattered exceptions, continued to stumble on today's market. Declines of fractions to 3 points or so predominated near the fourth hour.

The prevailing good war news still provided the principal argument for caution.

Schenley touched a 1944-45 top. Prominent losers included U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, Santa Fe, Allied Chem. Dye, N.Y. Central, Southern Pacific, U.S. Rubber, Kennecott, Boeing and Texas Co. Distillers Corporation gained 3-8 while Lake Shore lost as much. Dome Mines eased 1-4.

Bonds eased, and commodities were mixed.

GOOD

Toronto, Feb. 9 — (CP)— Prices were unchanged at bacon-hog markets reported early today.

Dressed, Grade A, Brantford $17.35 plus transportation; delivered, Hamilton $17.45, Barrie $17.35. Attested to farmers, $17.50, to truckers $17.65.

Canadian Army's Western Attack Hailed in London

London, Feb. 9 (CP Cable) — London evening papers, featuring the new western front attack by the 1st Canadian army, today hailed the offensive, as an indication victory over Germany can be expected soon.

"It is nine months since Allied troops landed on the storm swept outworks of fortress Europe and carried the battle to the frontiers of the Nazi Reich," said the Evening Standard.

"It was the same 1st army to whom now the honor of opening the new campaign falls that bore the brunt of our and unspectacular fighting in those first anxious weeks of the great invasion. That we now British and Canadian troops side by side, a symbol of the commonwealth's essential unity and future strength.

"None can doubt that the moment of triumph is at hand."

The Star said the "Hitlerism attack is now in full swing. Upon question to finish the job...in the east and west the battle of Germany will be fought and decided. The crisis swiftly mounts to its climax. The whole free world is expectant."

The news said "no matter where Hitler looks, east, west, south or into the sky, he sees the blow falling, falling. The Allies at last are closing in for the kill."

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Cabinet Likely To Reach Decision On Another Session

By R. K. CARMICHIE
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 8 (CP)— The cabinet will meet this afternoon and it is possible a decision may will reach a decision on whether there will be a session of parliament to be held before a general election. Earlier, it had been reported that the cabinet would meet this morning.

This will be the first heart-to-heart talk on politics among cabinet members since the Liberal convention in August, 1940. Prime Minister Mackenzie is the only member of the cabinet to be absent from the country to hold a short session next month, directive powers from before He life expires April 17 and delay an election until even as late as September or October.

May Let Things Go

It is possible that the cabinet will decide to let things ride for the time being, but some decision will have to be made before Feb. 26th, when members are scheduled to come to the capital for a new session. In the meantime, war developments might affect the government's decision.

Chief argument in favor of delaying the election until late summer or fall would be to permit completion of the Eighth Victory Loan before an election campaign got well under way. The spring loan is usually held during late April and early May.

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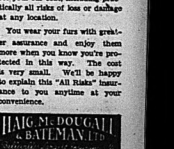
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Coastguardsman Norman Millett Thomas of Portland, Me., who studied in the National Academy of Design, New York City, before the war and was awarded the President's medal and a Pulitzer travel scholarship, participated in the Lunan invasion aboard a coast guard-manned invasion transport, offers these dramatic drawings as a record of the hard-fought battle for the largest and most important of the Philippine islands. The drawing at left is called "Beachhead Scoire," a soldier, his sangunine carried out, lies dead on the beach as ships and men behind him continue the landing. At right is Thomas' "Race Heel" in which he pictures a hand-to-hand struggle in the rice fields edging the Lingayen gulf.

Now Farmers Grow Fish

(By Holman Harver, condensed from "The Progressive")

Last year 7,000 farmers, encouraged by government experts, raised a crop of fish. This year, many more will build and stock fish ponds, for the advantages of this new side in farming are fast gaining recognition in many states. The farmer gets 200 to 300 pounds from each acre of pond. The fish are fat and sweet, sometimes selling the scale at six or eight pounds, and it costs no more than ten cents a pound to raise them—cheaper than chicken or meat. They add wholesome variety to the diet of farm families.

The astonishing production records attained in fish-farming are based on three discoveries:

1. In any given controllable body of water, a natural, balanced food chain" can be set up which automatically provides its fish population with enough food to live, reproduce and grow to maximum size.

2. Any increase in the number of fish, without a corresponding increase in the food supply, simply results in reducing the average size of each fish in the pond.

3. By fertilizing the water, the food supply can be stepped up to support larger numbers of fish, just as pasture land can be fertilized to increase the poundage of beef or milk per acre.

It is impossible to "fish out" a pond that has been correctly stocked and regularly fertilized. No more than half of the fish can ever be caught with hook and line; the remaining half, left with twice their former food supply, simply stop biting for a few months until their number builds up and their food becomes scarce again.

I have just made a 1,000-mile tour through South Carolina, Georgia and Alabama, visiting scores of farms with fish ponds. Most farmers were outspokenly enthusiastic.

O. W. Gordon works his own 1,400-acre general farm in Schley County, Ga. After his day's work, Colonel Gordon strolls down to his fish pond for relaxation.

"I get a kick out of that little pond," he said. "Maybe I'll only fish for half an hour, but I can always bring back something tasty for supper. She's chock-full of fish; the other night I weighed one that was at better'n six pounds."

Judge Raymonde Stapleton, of Elberton, Ga., has pioneered with a model pond in a region all but bereft of natural fishing waters. His three families living on his farm supply their tables with fresh fish, and Judge Stapleton himself has caught 300 bass and several hundred sunfish in the past year.

Selling fish is another of these farm fish ponds is recreation. The family has fun fishing and swimming, and many a farmer sells fingerlings to individuals or clubs for a nice cash return. Sixty families in Auburn, Ala., pay $10 a year each to maintain a 12-acre pond. Last year they caught 3,000 pounds of fish.

Two pertinacious scientists at the Alabama State Agricultural Experiment Station are chiefly responsible for pioneering the guesswork from fish farming: H. S. Swingle, fish culturist, and E. V. Smith, biologist. In joint research since 1936, they have learned that any ordinary chemical fertilizer placed in the pond will automatically increase the production of microscopic plants and animalcula known collectively as plankton. Insects feed upon the plankton, forage fish feed upon the insects and their larvae, and, finally, carnivorous fish feed upon the swarming young of the forage fish.

Within a few days after the first application of fertilizer, the water takes on a delicate sea-green color, a cadence from the myriads of plankton. Later on, it should become impossible to see more than ten inches below the surface. If the farmer can see his hand a foot or more down, it is time to add more fertilizer. No other test is needed. The plankton, by the way, prevents the fish from seeing the fisherman or his bait.

Weed growth largely dies away as plankton-filled water shuts off the penetration of sunlight. Pond lilies and weeds which send large leafy surfaces to the top must be destroyed by lopping off their tops, for they afford concealment to small fish which throw the pond's food chain out of balance. Incidentally, when there are no weeds, they devour the mosquito larvae, thus helping to eliminate the pests.

The bluegill sunfish (or bream) is the perfect pond forage fish for the southern states. It multiplies fast, and is good to eat. A fertilized pond will support a large number of adult sunfish weighing around half a pound, an ideal size for frying. From one pond I caught 15 in 30 minutes—about as fast as I could bait the hook.

A new pond, after fertilizing, is stocked with exactly 1,500 sunfish fingerlings per acre. During the first year each pair of sunfish will produce about 4,000 young. Unless these new fish were held down in numbers, there would be, within a year, 8,000,000 little sunfish per acre. Here the carnivorous fish enters to complete a stable food chain. The choice for the southern regions is the largemouth black bass, a hearty, fighting fish. Not every 1,500 sunfish, 100 bass fingerlings are stocked. Fewer bass may fail to keep the sunfish population within bounds; more may annihilate it entirely.

One year after stocking, a pond is usually supporting the maximum weight of fish for the available food, which means in a well-fertilized pond as much as 500 to 600 pounds of fish per acre. Of this total weight, between 100 and 200 pounds per acre will be bass—three to four times as many bass as the best natural lake you ever fished.

Many factors help increase the fish crop in natural waters. R. H. Taylor, of the Department of Game and Fisheries in Quebec, heard of the Alabama scientists' work and began experiments in 1943 which proved that speckled trout in Canadian lakes would double in weight in a year when fertilizer was scattered by airplane.

Our farmers get fingerlings free or at a nominal charge from state-operated hatcheries, from the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, if the pond is large enough, and from the U. S. Soil Conservation Service. The SCS gives the farmer advice on the selection of a site and the best methods of constructing his pond. If the farmer does his own work with his own tractor or mule, he can build a one-acre pond for from $100 to $200.

As more farmers learn, that they can produce a cash crop merely by flooding their marginal land, it is expected that thousands of new ponds will be built.

Blowing Away The Top Soil In Australia

(From the Australian News-Letter)

New South Wales, Victoria and South Australia, the three chief coastal States of Australia, are suffering from a drought which, says the Federal Minister of Agriculture (Mr. Scully) is a "national disaster" ranking with those of 1902 and 1914."

Food production is suffering now, and will continue to suffer through 1945 to an extent which cannot be foreseen, he says.

In Victoria will be almost a complete failure; in New South Wales it will be down by a third.

Australia is faced with a vital erosion problem on a huge scale. The dust which makes day into night, is soil, tons upon tons of it, good top soil being swirled away eastwards, to form a red coating on the surface of the Tasman Sea. New Zealand reported dust clouds from Australia.

Sydney experts say the extension of settlement in Western New South Wales has been halted, and that it will take ten years to restore pastures. The holding capacity of some sheep runs will be ruined, and much mean that properties of 40,000 and 60,000 acres must be merged into million acre runs, so that pastures may be spelled by the transfer of sheep from one section to another.

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Life in the dust bowl has been made unbearable by day after day of dust and sand storms. This is the sort of thing that happens:

The whole sky turned dark red. Visibility fell. . . headlights were useless. Indoors, the cellings could not be seen for the dust, which forced its way through closed doors and windows. The temperature climbed to 106 degrees. People grew afraid. . . One man telephoned the local paper for news. He feared the end of the world was coming.

"We turned on the electric light. The dust made it a ghastly blue. Soon we could hardly see it at all, and we had to grope to find the door handle.

"The sun was a ball of blue seen through the clouds. The raging gale blocked irrigation channels and railway lines with sand. Fences were covered. Then there was a shower. The rain was red."

Stock losses have been heavy, and the cause is over-cropping, overstocking, unskilled plowing, slaughter of trees and destruction of natural herbage.

Fierce bush fires in New South Wales added to the terrible losses.

The wind, which covered Sydney with a pall of dust and smoke and which blew the red clouds across the Tasman Sea to darken Auckland in the afternoon, was New South Wales' hottest wind, the northwest scorcher. It travelled across thousands of miles of the interior of Australia, getting hotter as it went, rocketing temperatures over the century mark, fanning a hundred bush fires, and filling the air with choking red dust.

In a continent of great Summer heat the City of Sydney has a reputation for moderation. The New South Wales Meteorologist, Mr. Mares, told the Sydney Morning Herald that Sydney can claim the distinction of having experienced only once a heat wave lasting two consecutive days with temperatures scorin stove 100 degrees. Both Perth and Melbourne have much more than this, and Adelaide's reputation for continuous heat is notorious.

As for towns like Bourke, which once ran temperatures over 100 degrees for 37 days in succession, or that hot-box Marble Bar (W.A.) which revelled in 106 degrees or more for 162 consecutive days in the Summer of 1923-24, Mr. Mares cherishes for them a very high statistical opinion.

Mountain View

Mountain View — Mr. and Mrs. Blake were Wednesday evening callers at the home of Mr. J. G. Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cunningham and Miss Faye Adams spent the dinner hour on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cunningham of Victoria.

Mr. Leland Sprague was a supper guest on Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Willet Barber.

Lt. and Mrs. David Rowe and Donna were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones.

Most of the men in this community attended the annual meeting of the Mountain View Cheese Factory on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Murdell Birkitt, Mr. and Mrs. Willet Barber and Mr. Grant Minaker spent the tea hour on Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones.

Mrs. Allen Hobbs, of Belleville, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hobbs and Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. Lyle Wilson of Hunt's Island was a guest on Sunday at the same home.

Mr. Orval Lasher spent the weekend in Toronto and while there attended the hockey game at the Maple Leaf Gardens.

Misses Laura Way and Margaret Hubbard, also Messrs. Gerald Way and Edwin Lott spent the weekend at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Way, of Bowerman.

Miss Joyce Keeble of Brighton, spent the weekend at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Keeble and Mary.

Miss Blanche Jordan was a Sunday afternoon caller on Misses Lillian Sprague and Gertie Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Chard and boys of Waring's Corners, spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jay A. Sprague and family.

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Mrs. George Lough received a telegram on Friday from her son, W/O3 Howard Lough saying he had arrived safely back in England.

Salem

Salem — Mrs. James Bills spent Wednesday with Mrs. Jas. Mills, Walter Snider, Melrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Shibman called on Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lewis Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson were supper guests on Sunday evening of Mrs. R. Denville, Melrose.

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Queensboro

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The Red Cross members held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. R. A. Sager on Thursday afternoon. The time was spent in quilting.

Mr. George Ballard, of Scarboro, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rollins.

Mrs. R. A. Sager spent the week-end with relatives in Toronto.

Rev. W. J. Robinson, Tweed, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Moore on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Jeffrey and baby, Sylvan, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thompson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clarkson and family of Harold, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike O'Rourke.

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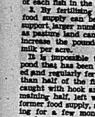
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The Ontario Intelligencer

Temperatures

	Max.	Min.
Today	41	31
Year Ago	15	4
Weather—Cloudy.		

BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1945

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RUSSIANS REPORTED OUTFLANKING BRESLAU

Enemy Describes Big New Drive As 'Gigantic'

Attacks Threaten To Split Nazis Defending Silesia

London, Feb. 10 — (AP) — Russian troops today stepped up a drive to broaden their Berlin assault line along the northern Oder River, sweeping within 36 miles of Berlin, while enemy broadcasts announced an overwhelming Soviet outflanking drive had rolled 36 miles west of Breslau in Silesia.

The Russians also were reported by the Germans to have crossed the middle Oder 25 miles due east of Berlin and slashed the north-south communications between Berlin, Frankfurt and Fuerstenberg, key cities in the Berlin defence fortified.

Enemy accounts described the big new drive, by Marshal Ivan C. Konev in Silesia as "gigantic" and said it had reached the edge of Lissa, transportation and industrial centre of 76,000 on the direct Berlin-Breslau railway line. Lissa by Germans last night.

Moscow dispatches, although not directly confirming the German reports, said today that Konev had stepped up his attacks along the Oder and was threatening to split the Germans defending Silesia and the southeastern route to Berlin.

Breslau's German garrison appeared in imminent danger of encirclement. The Russians' simultaneous drive threatening to break open the door to German Saxony in the drive on Leipzig.

Surround Elbing.

Other Russian troops in East Prussia consolidated the hard-won hold of Elbing with new drives to the Baltic and there sealed the fate of the remnants of perhaps 250,000 Germans originally trapped around Konigsberg. The Moscow midnight supplement said Soviet units continued to advance along the shores of Frisches Haff, large lagoon between Danzig and the Baltic.

Berlin said the heaviest fighting was in Pomerania where the Germans, aware of the capture of Stettin would set up a self-defence assault are along the Oder to south of Prenzlau, were resisting desperately. The Soviet supplemental communique said 3,000 Germans were killed yesterday in the area.

The drive on Stettin, vital seaport for Berlin, threatened to trap a force of Germans in Pomerania perhaps as large as that isolated in Courland.

The tempo of fighting along the middle Oder was undiminished as the Germans said the Russians built a bridgehead in the area below Gorgast of Lebus, five miles north of Frankfurt. South of Frankfurt other Soviet units were said to be in fierce but unsuccessful counter-attacks between Fuerstenberg and Guben where they were fighting in the outskirts of Dissen, eastern suburb of Frankfurt.

A German broadcast reported the new penetration by Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's 1st. White Russian army to the Oder River opposite Schwedt, 36 miles northwest of besieged Stettin and 46 miles northeast of Berlin.

SATURDAY FOR SCHOOL

Wernsville, Pa., Feb. 10—(AP)—Pupils of the Wernsville Township schools were overjoyed when a blizzard closed the schools. Today, their joy turned to sorrow. School officials announced Saturday classes would be held to make up lost time.

FRUIT JAR CACHE HELPS OUT

Corydon, Ind., Feb. 10—(AP)—A few days ago Richard Lee Gray needed a fruit jar lid. He dug up a fruit jar buried on his back yard and took out the money. Yesterday arrested Gray showed police he returned to his back yard and dug up $3,000 more.

ELEPHANT BROKE UP GAME

Dallas, Texas, Feb. 10.—(AP)—It was a hot bridge game. Capt. James Sheppard Critzman of Dallas beamed. It looked as if he held the makings of a grand slam. He bid. Then an elephant barged in and broke up the game. It happened in the China-Burma-India theatre of war. Captain Critzman told the story when he returned home on leave.

Sir H. E. Burstall, Former Canadian Commander, Dies

Winchester, England, Feb. 10—(CP)—Lt.-Gen. Sir Henry Edward Burstall, who commanded the 2nd Canadian Division during the Vimy Ridge and Passchendaele actions of 1917, died Thursday at his home, Hinton Ampner, near here, aged 74.

Death of the distinguished professional soldier, who fought in the South African war as well as the First Great War, was announced last night.

Born in Quebec City, he went to South Africa as an infantryman in 1900 after 10 years in the Canadian permanent force. Trained as an artilleryman, Sir Henry after the outbreak of the First Great War went overseas in command of the 4th divisional artillery.

He assumed command of the 2nd Canadian Division, was stationed at Vimy Ridge, directing the activities through the operations there in the spring of 1917, in subsequent attacks on the plain of Douai and at Hill 70 and the Battle of Passchendaele in November of that year.

Under Sir Henry the 2nd Division became noted for its raiding activities which it continued to carry on when it was attached for several months in 1918 to a British army corps.

After the armistice the division under Gen. Burstall garrisoned a section of the Rhine area.

Sir Henry returned to Canada in the permanent force—second in the Canadian army in 1919 and a year later became inspector general of the forces, succeeding Sir Arthur Currie.

He retired in 1923 and took up residence at Headbourne Grange.

A SERIES OF 'IFS'

Hamilton, Feb. 10 — (CP) —Cpl. Harry Drage of Hamilton, home on furlough here, said today he is discharged from the army on the 13th or a month to complete an unusual series. He went into the army on Sept. 13, 1939, left England for "somewhere" on Dec. 13, 1940, landed in Sicily on July 13, 1943 and received his home leave on Jan. 13, 1945.

U-BOAT SINKING OF SIX SHIPS OFF COAST DISCLOSED

Canadian Warship And Five Merchantmen Torpedoed Within Twenty-Two Days

Halifax, Feb. 10 —(CP)— One Canadian warship and five merchantmen were torpedoed within 22 days off the Nova Scotia coast this winter as long-range German submarines made a desperate effort to cut the Allied North Atlantic lifeline at its western anchor.

Of the eight vessels, survivors were landed but at least 36 men, including eight navymen, lost their lives. Many of the merchant seamen were Canadians.

One of the victims of the subs sniping at incoming and outgoing convoys was HMCS Clayoquot, minesweeper Clayoquot. While the sinking of the Clayoquot was announced by the navy Jan. 31, the fate of the warship was not disclosed in the complete stories of the U-boat assaults for the first time yesterday.

The Canadian merchantman and four of the other nationalities were included in the sinking. One of the vessels went down with its captain and three crew members after steaming for six hours for the aid of a tug which failed to arrive.

Fight One to Cover Last

Another Canadian freighter was sunk while on its way from New York to a Canadian port some 200 miles off the United States coast. Forty-one of the crew were saved, but 14 lost their lives.

It was believed that it was to Canada that Prime Minister General A. G. McNaughton referred when he said on Jan. 24 that the North Atlantic was "calm with German submarines" and "we are taking ships torpedoed day by day."

The lingering raiders prowled around the North American Atlantic coast for weeks before they struck. Then, apparently more mysterious as they did not attack other ships, they struck in different points close to the Nova Scotia coast from Cape Breton to Yarmouth.

Stern Ripped Open.

The minesweeper Clayoquot had her stern ripped away by a torpedo shortly before Christmas and the crew of 61—most crew perished. The Clayoquot capsized in the heavy seas of the Nova Scotia coast.

Lt. Harry Drage had served four years of convoy duty in the North Atlantic and had helped clear the mouth of Halifax harbor of a German minefield back in 1943.

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No Distinction is Made Between Volunteers, Conscripts Overseas

By WILLIAM BOSS

Canadian Press War Correspondent

With the Canadian Corps on the Adolf Hitler Line, Feb. 10 (CP Cable) — No differentiation is made between volunteers and men called up under the National Resources Mobilization Act when the latter join their units overseas, Lt.-Col. W. J. Gunn, Inspector-General of reinforcements, said in a statement given to war correspondents here just before he left.

Gen. Sansom lacked the time for a regular press conference but answered questions on the statement he submitted to him in written form by the Canadian Press army of three questions dealt with the use and treatment of NRMA. men who have been called up for overseas service.

Asked if they would be used only in certain types of work—such as supply duties—or exclusively in a "home defence" capacity, Gen. Gunn replied: "There will be no discrimination whatsoever. They'll take their places as Canadian soldiers wherever required."

He said that draftees lost their identity as such as soon as they reached United Kingdom training ground, where they trained with the officers who brought them from Canada. These officers see all volunteers, but may remain with the draftees when they are later sent posted to units and go into action.

Regarding the return to their units of men who have been wounded or injured, Gen. Sansom said that "both here and in England it is the policy to return the wounded to the field unless fully trained and fit. They are tested and trained by officers who are fit to return to the front themselves and who will possibly have them under their own command.

"Hence only the really fit are passed for return, and there is business or training is doubtful are held in reserve either here or in the Old Country, and in either case the chances apparent they must be written off as casualties."

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The British and Canadian troops of Gen. H. D. G. Crerar's army have opened a fierce attack in the north of the Western Front (1) forming part of a three-way drive on the heart of Germany. The Russian war machine is continuing to smash its way over the Oder river (1) and is threatening to outflank Berlin at Stettin, while the 1st and 3rd American armies (2) push into the Siegfried Line towards Cologne.

MORTARS, MINED STREETS SLOWING DRIVE TO DOCKS

Fighting "Fiercest" Yet Encountered Since The Invasion of Luzon

Manila, Feb. 10 (AP) — Mined streets and snipers' bullets were slowing from the upper floors of office buildings slowed American infantrymen today in their stubbornly contested drive through the heart of Manila toward dock areas on the Pasig River.

Today's headquarters communique described the fighting as "of the most heavily defended nuisance (walled city), a highly-congested commercial and residential area.

Reinforced concrete pillboxes and other barriers manned aground; from the second floors of office buildings the Japanese poured down deadly mortar and machine-gun fire.

(N.B.C. radio reporter George Thomas Folster said the Japanese were shelling from the area, even the north bank of the Pasig, with a "heavy, arresting fire.")

Folster Reported Slain

Folster described the enemy defense in the intramuros section as "very strong and so determined that it is certain to take considerably more time yet to clean out the Japs from Manila."

Fires still burned in three sections of Manila yesterday, but seemed to be diminishing.

Caring for a large number of hungry civilians liberated in territories is not easing the army's task of clearing Manila.

On Bataan, the 26th Division of the 8th. Army reached the town of Moron 14 miles by road along the west coast of the peninsula to which many Japanese are believed to have fled.

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NO DECISION MADE AFTER LONG CABINET MEETING

Indication Points That Prime Minister King Not Resigning Decision

Ottawa, Feb. 10 — (CP) — The cabinet held its longest meeting of the week yesterday but the mystery broke up without any announcement of a decision during political questions left hanging in the air by the Grey North by-election result.

All indications pointed to the fact that Prime Minister Mackenzie King is not resigning, although he has now puts the probable date of the general election off to the middle or end of April at the earliest. Earlier forecasts which placed the latest probable date at the end of June still stand, however.

An 80 days' truce hope between the announcement of an election and voting day, the earliest possible date for the general election now is April 21.

The Canadian Press was informed that Mr. King will make no statements on political matters during the remainder of this week.

There was a large attendance of ministers at the cabinet meeting which lasted nearly three hours and was partially sustained. Attention was devoted to discussion of the political situation, although there was an accumulation of regular governmental business to be handled.

Superfortresses Bomb Japanese Homeland Again

Washington, Feb. 10 — (AP) — Superfortresses bombed the Japanese homeland again today.

It was a daylight attack on the island of Honshu in which the Army Air Forces said 11 aircraft obstructed. The raid was announced by General H. H. Arnold, Commanding General of the 20th Air Force.

The reconnaissance was carried out from the Marianas base of the 20th Bomber Command. Details will be announced as soon as the information becomes available.

This was the first mission against Japanese by the Superforts, the fifth this month.

Tokyo, Feb. 10 — (AP) — Ninety Superfortresses raided the Tokyo-Yokohama area of Japan in daylight today, a Japanese Imperial headquarters said.

A broadcast version of the communique, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, said the raiders "dealt damage to ground installations was sustained."

THAW IN NEW ENGLAND

Boston, Feb. 10. (AP)—New Englanders donned rubber boots and galoshes today as a thaw set in on the heels of a northeast blizzard that took 21 lives, crippled transportation and caused damage estimated in the millions.

98 ENEMY PLANES ARE DESTROYED BY ALLIED FORCES

Huns Lose Five Jet Planes in Attempt To Challenge Air Forces of Allies

London, Feb. 10 (CP) — Continent-based fight bombers of the Allied tactical air forces keeping up the air attack on Germany's battered road and rail convoys in The Netherlands and western Germany last night.

Sixty-eight enemy planes, including five jet-propelled Messerschmitt 262s were destroyed in daylight yesterday and Allied losses were 26 planes.

German jet planes, escorted by regular fighters, challenged 1,500-United States heavy bombers and almost 900 British bombers over the key rail targets of Lutzkendorf, Kleve and Wesel yesterday, but lost the first time the 10 mile a minute jet craft had penetrated the American fighter screen for a direct attack on the bombers.

American fighters shot down on German planes and ripped apart 31 others on the ground, while 20 more planes were shot down by R.A.F. fighter pilots on offensive sweeps over the battle lines and a dive-bombing attack on a V-2 oxygen plant in Holland.

Allied losses for the day were 18 American bombers and five fighters and two R.A.F. fighters.

German Free Agency Speaker Arrested Before Revolution?

Stockholm, Feb. 10 (AP)—"It is the evening before the revolution in Berlin," the Free German Press Agency wrote yesterday in reporting that it claimed was an interview in Malmoe with a refugee from Germany.

The story, printed in the newspaper Ingressen, said, "there have been no real demonstrations yet but the situation can change any hour. For the first high war profits a drainage area of 258 square miles.

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Burst Thru Main Concrete Belt In Reichswald Forest

Spillways of Schwammenauel Dam Opened To Flood Roer

By JAMES M. LONG

(A.P. Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 10 (AP) — First Canadian Army troops, bursting through the main concrete belt of the Siegfried line in the Reichswald, struck today to within three miles of Kleve, while the Germans flooded the Roer River on the United States 9th. Army front through gushing spillways of the Schwammenauel dam.

Canadians and British forces, gaining two more miles, were assaulting earthworks of the Siegfried's secondary defense in a power drive rolling toward the northern end of Nijmegen, the original Waterloo of Allied arms.

Other units battled in the Rhine of Millingen, six miles northwest of Kleve, in the army's swift-developing threat to slice behind the Rhine and the rich Ruhr industrial area.

Waters of the lower Roer River, along which the American 9th. Army is arrayed, rose a foot and a half in an hour at some points as the German opened floodgates of the Schwammenauel dam impounding 170,000,000 tons of water.

Prevent Crossings

The German action flood had presented the 9th. and 1st. armies from attempting to cross the Roer since they reached the east of Aachen last November.

The United States 1st. Army infantrymen upstream reached the edge of the great dam today and prepared to get within reach to clinch its capture.

The Germans had opened the valves on the north side of the 1,600-foot long structure, whose pent-up power if released all at once might send an 18-foot tide thundering down the Roer valley. Built of earth around a concrete core, the dam is 205 high and has a drainage area of 258 square miles.

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Quake Recorded In Tokyo Area

San Francisco, Feb. 10 —(AP)— The Japanese Domei Agency reported an earthquake today on the main Japanese island of Honshu, but no damage.

The dispatch, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, did not disclose the intensity of the shock, but said it had extended to Aomori Prefecture, in the northern end of Honshu.

The broadcast said the city of Hachinohe, on eastern Honshu, felt the weight of the quake. Time of the shock was 1:30 p.m. (12.30 a.m. E.W.T.) No other details were given.

There was more.

The last Sunday, midnight there were three explosions—one at the concrete bridge at Heimbach side, another at a Spillway Bridge, and a third, more immediately front of the, big dam remained intact.

Roer Rises

United States 1st and 9th army troops reached the Roer east of Aachen in November, but the western ace of the wall of water which the Germans might send down the river prevented their crossing.

Canadian troops broke two fresh crossings of the Prusen River overnight, and in new advances of up to 2 miles northeast of Prusen, 2 1-2 miles northeast of Prusen, and 1 1-2 miles on the southwest.

The Germans counter-attacked from Hau, but were thrown back, twice with tanks, but were beaten back.

Twenty more pillboxes were cleared in the Habscheid area, northeast of Prusen, completing penetration of the main Siegfried belt and widening the breach to nine miles. Bridgeheads over the Roer and Cleve rivers in the Dasbourg, Wallendorf and Echternach areas were built up against strong resistance.

The United States 7th army cleared the Germans from Echtes, southeast of Hagenauen. The French 1st army fought up the Rhine Colmar pocket, lashing 10,000 prisoners.

One field dispatch from the Canadian front said the Germans retired at gaits there could not be disclosed for security reasons.

Weather Forecast

Lake Sweeter: Partly cloudy and cold tonight and Sunday; scattered snowflurries in east portion.

Kenora and Rainy River: Fair and cold tonight and Sunday.

Manitoba: Cold and cold today and most of Sunday, then moderating somewhat.

CONTAGIOUS ENTERITIS FATAL TO TWO

Cincinnati, Feb. 10 — (AP)—Contagious enteritis has claimed the lives of two more infants this week, bringing the total since Jan. 12, Health Commissioner Carl Wiehoff reported to the Board of Health yesterday.

Coming Events

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB Open meeting, Tuesday, February 13 at 8:15 p.m., Alderney Gardens Hall. Speaker: Mr. Dick Bird. Subject: "Camera Trails Along Nature Trails."

TONIGHT — DON'T FORGET Kinsmen weekly Bingo. Conservative Club Rooms, 8:45. $100 in cash prizes. 2 free Coverall games, 25 prizes. Monday ticket draw. Proceeds Kinsmen Service Work. ad.

City and District News

ICE-CLOGGED EAVES BEING CLEANED OUT

With the overnight thawing in temperatures the fear that the belief that the winter's first real "thaw" was in the offing, ice-clogged eaves and down spouting sounds drew the attention of many downtown property owners this morning. Melting of the accumulations ranged as far as the eye could see across snow-covering and apparently providing homes in search of damaged ceilings as drops of blocked spouts would commence leaking with the sudden change. Several workmen were seen busily on roofs and eaves and more could be seen at the downtown area this morning.

SEEK IDENTITY OF 3 CIVILIANS

Belleville police, today are seeking the identity of three civilians who are alleged to have sustained injuries in a blacked Sergt. Jim Dracup, returned soldier of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, in Nick's Lunch on Front St. late Friday night. The alleged culprits were in a car that left outside the cafe. According to reported by city police, the two civilians loitered in the lunchroom and continued to annoy the modest two young ladies, who were in the employ of Sergt. Dracup. The latter warned the three men against such approaches when suddenly the men set upon Sergt. Dracup and without warning—administered a physical beating. Police were called only to arrive in time to see the two assailants speed away in a car. A fairly good description of the pair was obtained from cafe patrons, however.

CARS DAMAGED THROUGH IMPACT

Property damage resulted to six automobiles driven by Gordon Atkins, R.R. No. 4 Belleville, and Clifford Miller, 143 North Front Street, on the north block of the North Front Street overhead bridge Friday night. The cars travelling in opposite directions, met on the overhanded narrow approach with the result that they were in collision. The left front fenders, tires and steering gears on both were damaged as the result of the impact. P.C. Caldwell reported after investigation.

CANADIAN LEGION HOLDS MEETING

With a large membership in attendance the bi-weekly meeting of Belleville Branch No. 9 Canadian Legion, held in the club rooms on Thursday night was featured by animated discussions on several questions pertaining to the welfare of the returned veteran.

President Col. H. D. Smith was in the chair and urged regular attendance on the part of all members in view of the fact that several points for discussion would be aired in the near future. He was to the benefit of all to attend.

Obituary

WILLIAM COOKE

William Cooke, 160 Ann Street, died in the Belleville General Hospital early this morning after an illness of one week's duration.

The late Mr. Cooke was born in Belleville 76th. year, was born at Biddulph, Middlesex, England, and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cooke. For many years he resided in this city and was a considerable time he was engaged as locomotive engineer at the Belleville Collegiate and Vocational School. He was well known and highly esteemed by many friends in whom his death has brought much regret. In religious faith he was a member of the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle. He was a life member and a Past Master of Moira Lodge, No. 111, A.F. & A.M., also a Past Principal of Moira Chapter, No. 7, R.A.M.

Surviving him is his daughter Miss Mary Cooke, at home.

The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, from the residence of Dr. H. E. K. Little of Long Island City, N.Y., who died there on January 31, in his 82nd year. He was born in Trenton, Thursday, and was buried Friday from the Presbyterian Cemetery. Rev. J. D. Mackay of King Street United Church officiated and entombment was made in Mt. Evergreen vault.

The late Mrs. Little was an aunt of Mr. Victor Little, Front Road. She is survived by her husband, who formerly retired from his medical practice conducted in a drug business operated by Mrs. Little, who was a druggist by profession.

Pall bearers were J. Ayes, Fred Little, Frances Little, Grant Brooks, Everett Little, and Charles Young.

MISS OLIVIA BABCOCK, REG. N.

Miss Olivia Babcock died in the Belleville General Hospital on Friday, She was in failing health for some time and was a patient in the hospital since Dec. 30th. last.

The late Miss Babcock was a Registered Nurse and graduated from the Belleville General Hospital in 1922, she resided in this city for many years and for a considerable time and up until several months ago she was nurse on the staff at the plant of the Brewer-Warner-Alemite Corporation. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Babcock of this city and her parents reside at Hamilton, Ontario, to which place the body has been forwarded and the funeral will take place there.

The late Miss Babcock was capable and conscientious in the performance of her duties and served well in her profession. To many friends here her death has brought much regret.

MRS. DAVID (POFFY) RAY (Trenton - Bancroft)

Trenton, at the home of Dr. Specialist Mrs. David Ray, a former resident of Bancroft, died at the home of her son, William Ray, 96 Dundas Street, Trenton, on Thursday, Feb. 8th. Her maiden name was Mary Poffy and she had reached an advanced age having in her 80th year.

The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

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Night Watchman Found Dead On Basement Floor

Plant personnel of the Stovers Warner Alemite Corporation try a thorough search after Samuel Way, 56, second night watchman failed to report at his duties Friday night. The dead body was in a concrete floor of the basement. It was found by fellow workers shortly after nine o'clock today.

The dead watchman had suffered a severely fractured skull. Dr. J. Robertson stated, after conducting a preliminary investigation at the scene of the accident. The body was later removed to Belleville General Hospital, where a post-mortem will be held.

According to plant officials, Way had been on the 12 to eight shift and was last seen at 4.30 this morning, on his last tour of duty. He failed to report in at the end of eight o'clock. Fifteen minutes later a search was made and staff personnel conducted a thorough search of the large plant. An hour later they found the body.

It is assumed that Way had inadvertently opened the wrong door as adjacent to the door leading to the basement was another which opens to an office. Way's duty did not demand his presence in the basement. It is thought he had gone to the basement after he made the error.

Way's address is given as 276 Coleman Street.

CARS DAMAGED THROUGH IMPACT

Property damage resulted to six automobiles driven by Gordon Atkins, R.R. No. 4 Belleville, and Clifford Miller, 143 North Front Street, on the north block of the North Front Street overhead bridge Friday night. The cars travelling in opposite directions, met on the overhanded narrow approach with the result that they were in collision. The left front fenders, tires and steering gears on both were damaged as the result of the impact. P.C. Caldwell reported after investigation.

Commission Meets Delegation From The City Council

A delegation of Alderman H. J. Clarke, chairman of Finance in the City Council and Councillors Harold D. Rateman awaited on the Public Utilities Commission at their regular meeting on Friday afternoon with respect to matters that might arise during the 1945 session of Parliament during the year. The Commission was asked to recommend to the Government the amended bill of the Public Utilities Act whereby there is no money available from the Hydro Electric Power Commission that had been advanced by the City of Belleville for the Municipal Hydro Power Commission of Belleville, which money was expended to pay debentures of the City, sinking fund, Commission and reserve fund were disposed of by the Act. In this case Belleville Utilities Commission, through the Chairman, Mr. Jeffery, is a matter of deputation.

$8,700 Gas Deficit

The Commission informed the delegation that the deficit on the gas plant for the 1944 year was approximately $8,700, and that the Commission would need $5,000 to be budgeted for this year. Mr. Clarke informed the Commissioners that he was not prepared to recommend the Hydro Electric Power Commission arrangements could be made. Commissioner Preston, chairman of the Commission, informed the delegation that rumours that profits from the electric plant were being diverted were sent to the city treasurer but that interpretation of the new Public Utilities Act, Mr. T. Jeffery in Toronto and Mr. Scott, the Commission's solicitor had been read the letter explaining that the Act did not permit diversion of the act as it affects the electric utility.

The letter is as follows:

Belleville, February 1, 1945.

Mr. O. H. Scott,
Solicitor,
Belleville Public Utilities Commission.

277 Front Street,
Toronto, Ontario.

Re: Disposition of Funds in the Electric Utility

Dear Sir:

We understand from a telephone conversation held with you today that the Board has received a request made by the City Officials for the disposition of certain funds to them and you have referred the matter to the Commission for direction.

The information pertaining to this has been discussed with our Chairman and we refer our letter to the sections of the Public Utilities Act and the Power Commission Act having reference to this matter. Section 1 Public Utilities Act was amended by legislation passed at the last session of the Provincial Legislature, Section 31 of the Public Utilities Act and Section 21 of the Power Commission Act was also repealed. In accordance with Section 31, Section 21 of the Act was also repealed. In accordance with Section 31, Section 21 of the Act was also repealed. In accordance with Section 31, Section 21 of the

MARMORA

Women's Association Of St. Andrew's Church Holds Meeting

Marmora — The regular monthly meeting of St. Andrew's Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Jarvis on Tuesday afternoon, 5th. There was a fairly good attendance with the President, Mrs. W. J. Lavender, presiding. Mrs. Burwash conducted the devotional period and gave the lesson, thoughts from the leaflet. The Scripture reading was taken by Miss M. Brown from the 90th Psalm. Mrs. F. R. Wills and Mrs. E. C. Prentice sang "Take my life and Let it be" as a duet. Mrs. Cadigan gave an interesting sketch of the life of Dorcas. The roll call was "A woman mentioned in the Bible." Mrs. Burwash closed the period with a prayer.

The routine business followed when reports, correspondence etc., were dealt with. The C.G.I.T. intend to purchase curtains for the church basement as their contribution to the church furnishing fund.

The Association decided to meet with the W.M.S. for their April meeting which will be held in the new church parlor.

The meeting closed by repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison, after which the dainty tea and executives served refreshments.

Sunday School Meeting

The following attended a Sunday School meeting held in the YMCA at Madoc on Tuesday evening: Rev. J. M. Brownlie, W. J. Cottrell, Roy Smith, Mrs. W. D. Lavender, Mrs. J. W. Hickey, Miss Gwen Rundle; Miss Jenny Gray and Miss Marjorie Brownlie. The meeting was addressed by the Field Secretary, W. J. Bradbury.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wiggins of Madoc visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Phillips on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCaffrey and Mr. Frank Reynolds of Corbyville and Miss Gladys Lucas of Marmora Township spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Reynolds.

Glen Lavender, Earl Cousins and Ray Goodchild attended the Jack Pollies at Maple Leaf Gardens this week.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac McMath on Monday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Silver who were married recently.

Marmora Chapter O.E.D.E. held an enjoyable banquet in the Royal Hotel, Madoc, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hacke attended the funeral of the late Mrs. William Kerr in Toronto on Tuesday.

Mrs. Manley Lavender is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Beatty and children of Peterboro spent the weekend with Mrs. Beatty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray.

Mrs. Wesley Grant has returned home after spending the past month with her son Jack Grant and Mrs. Grant, in Toronto.

Miss Betty Noxon spent the weekend with relatives in Toronto.

Sto. 1. Norman Burridge has returned to the East Coast after spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hulsman are spending a few days in Tilsonburg and will attend the Pabst-Van Heuklem wedding there on Saturday.

Sgt. Bill Prentice who has been at the West Coast for the past year has been transferred to Kingston.

Messrs. J. A. Bell, E. D. O'Connor, James Mason and Leslie Wells attended the annual convention of the Ontario Cheese Producers' Association in Toronto last week.

February Session Of Sidney Twp. Council

The February session of the Sidney Council was held at Wallbridge on the 11th inst. Decisions were carried as follow:

Campbell and Nicolson: That accounts under Road Voucher No. 2 be paid.

Bleecker and Nicolson: That relief accounts for January be paid.

Nicolson and Bleecker: That the road superintendent and Mr. F. H. Campbell be delegates to the Good Roads Convention, Toronto.

Nicolson and Bleecker: That Mr. H. R. Hunt be a delegate to the convention of Rural Municipalities and that the membership fee to that organization be paid.

By-law to appoint an assessor, a school attendance officer, to authorize the levies and the deputy-reeve to sign checks issued by the treasurer, to appoint a road superintendent; to provide for expenditure on township roads and to amend and replace by-law No. 1182 were passed through their various readings.

Appointments.

Mr. Frank J. Woods was appointed assessor, Mr. Frank Harris school attendance officer and Mr. Barton Minchiffe road superintendent.

The next meeting of the council will be Monday, March 5th at one o'clock p.m.

W. H. Nobes,
Clerk.

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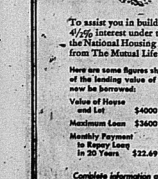
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Netherland Women Wear Wooden Shoes, Shop in Villages for Hand-Made Items

In The Netherlands — Even the many Netherland women who live in fine modern houses and Netherland children whose fathers are burgomasters or powers in the community, state they wear wooden shoes of shoes these days shop, not in town, but in the country. When the shopper proffers her foot the Hoek of Holland salesman chalks white wood which he thinks would be the right size and sits down to wait.

More Netherland people wear wooden shoes today than in the past, says the New York Times.

Before the war only country folk clattered along the cobblestone village streets in wooden shoes, and then only for rainy days. Today in Nijmegen, Eindhoven, Breda, and all the larger Netherland cities that are liberated, women, as well dressed as anyone, and men who own prosperous little businesses click about in their wooden shoes.

Almost all children, rich or poor, wear wooden shoes, because it is impossible to keep leather shoes often enough to accommodate their growing feet. Very seldom do leather shoes appear for sale in the shops of the Netherlands, and when they do the few pairs available are inferior in quality, high in price and unsound and will not long before the end of the queue is reached.

As a result the people of the Netherlands, whether they live more in the country who have been making shoes for their country cousins for many decades. Burghers of the Amsterdam district, who live within a few miles into the country to a tiny settlement consisting of a few buildings huddled together in the midst of misty fields.

In a white-washed shed behind a brick farm cottage with green shutters one step-aside-time has more work than he can do.

There was a big brough in much business in his white-floored wood shop that no while three sons work with him at benches and lathes and hewn logs.

By the door is a pile of blocks of different sizes. When a customer selects the size, one of the whittles a block to a turned up point in front for the toe and rounds it at the back for the heel. Another son with a metal tool like primitive ice cream scoop cuts out the centre of the block. When the shoe has taken the shape a third son smooths the surfaces with sandpaper.

It is the gnarled old father, who has been making shoes since he was a small boy who puts on the finishing touches—bits of carving on the toe or heel.

Some customers wear shoes with plain surfaces, but many have them painted bright blue, red or yellow. It takes two hours for one person to make a pair of shoes of wood into the finished product ready for drying and painting.

Before the war a pair of wooden shoes of good quality cost average Netherland cents. Today the price is two and a half guilders, just for many decades. Burghers of over the American dollar.

Washington Spotlight

By C. R. BLACKBURN
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Washington, Feb. 10 — (CP) — A bill before the House Military Affairs Committee calling for automatic promotions of American officers of the war below the grade of colonel or the corresponding rank (Cadet).

Introduced by Rep. Charles R. Mahon (D.-Tex.), 56-year-old attorney and First Great War veteran, whose wife was Emma M. Neville of Truro, N.S.) the bill provides that these promotions be given at the rate of one grade a year. Its the non-commissioned officers would rise to those below the top-ranking grade of such classification.

It is based on numerous petitions suggesting that those who suffer years of imprisonment, denied the opportunity to better themselves, should be compensated for time absent for their privations.

The bill also provides that those who were receiving extra pay for flying, submarine work and such hazardous duties, would continue to receive the full extra emoluments.

Recent liberation of American prisoners in Germany and in the Philippines has brought this subject to the forefront and there is an outcry against the inferior treatment accorded enemy prisoners held here as compared with that of Allied personnel in enemy hands.

Rep. John H. Tolan (Dem.-Calif.) is the first to start agitation for the interment in Arlington National Cemetery of an unknown soldier who died in the Second Great War. He has a bill before the House Military Affairs Committee directing that the body of an unknown American be transported from one of the battlefields and suitably interred in the memorial amphitheatre at Arlington "near or beside" the white marble tomb of the "Unknown Soldier of the First Great War."

Prof. Frank Scott of McGill, national chairman of the C.C.F. party came here this week to address the League for Social Democracy and that organization arranged a press conference for him. But only a sleepy correspondent turned up. M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader has taken this as a pointing an experience here a year ago. Washington correspondents just don't get up that early.

Dramatic Police In Fiji Isles

(By Robert Lewis Taylor, in "The New Yorker.")

The traffic policemen are one of the great sights of Suva, metropolis of the Fiji Islands. In the old days the tourists from the Matson ships would collect on the street corners and watch them, and nowadays the American troops who pass through find them a curiosity. Fiji policemen are a dusky party for the most looks and physique. There is a mixture of races and some country in Fiji, but crime is no problem. The sunny uninhibited policemen often have a dull time, so when the opportunity comes to nab a felon, they are playing rugby.

A half-caste say, warmed up by native beer, may amuse the throng of cats-eye beads from a sidewalk merchant and go strolling down the street. With many a joyous leap and wild cry, the cops will string out in pursuit. When they catch up, as they always do, they will try to bring him down in various ways. The policeman in the lead may elect to tackle him from the side with a body block. If this happens the others may dive or jump on the pair, landing head downward or in a sitting position. Again, the leading officer may just swing his club, a native belly.

In the case the delinquent authorities seldom find regeneration necessary. The offender has learned his lesson and is he ever gets out of the hospital, he goes straight.

All the Fiji police wear a blue serge shirt, a bright red sash, and white blouse and go barefoot, and the traffic cops manage to provide themselves with an extra flair such as gold earrings or gardenias in their hair. Directing traffic is a podium and under a huge umbrella,they go through various contortions. No symphony conductor fired by the genius of Beethoven has ever risen to greater muscular heights.

At the approach of a two-wheeled cart pulled by a sick donkey, a Fiji traffic cop is likely to raise his right hand slowly, palm inward, then swing his right hand up as he leans till his arc and lay his head straight back, nose pointed to the sky. That gesture presumably means "Come ahead if your donkey can make it," but an onlooker from the Western world is apt to find himself listening for the opening strains of the "Pastoral" or "Till Eulenspiegel."

The Fiji traffic cop is proud of his work. They get equal pleasure from a Chinese rickshaw and the limousine of the governor-general, and they have been known to do some of their best work on a perfectly empty street. Just practicing.

Hun Counter-Blow In Serchio Valley

Rome, Feb. 9 —(AP)— The Germans have launched a counter-attack in corresponding against positions newly regained by the Allied 5th Army in the Serchio valley north of Gallicano, Allied headquarters announced today.

The enemy counter-attack began a few hundred yards north of the village of Fornoli and the official report said fighting still was in progress.

Brisk clashes were reported in other 5th Army sectors, but on the whole there was no large-scale action on the front.

On the west coast Allied patrols drove forwarded to positions as much as 300 yards ahead of the lines despite light opposition, including Mortar fire.

Fair weather and higher temperatures prevailed over much of the front, but streams still were out of their banks. This and German dynamiting of dykes of the Senio river in front of the 8th near the Adriatic, where the 1st Canadian Corps has been stationed, are likely to prove temporary, although no immediate Allied offensive or quick pursuit should the Germans choose to withdraw to the Alps.

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Grade III.

Helen McAuliffe 79%, Barbara Bell (abs.)

Teacher,
Mrs. K. McGurn.

HEAVY EXPLOSIONS HEARD

Stockholm, Feb. 10 —(AP)— Heavy explosions from the direction of the capital of Copenhagen were heard for an hour yesterday morning by residents of the Swedish Island of Ven, an Aftonbladet correspondent said. Forty weather prevented observation. The explosions were reported to have moved cruisers, and torpedo boats from the Polish port of Gdynia to Copenhagen harbor.

British Enlarge Bridgehead On Irrawaddy River

Onday, Central Burma, Feb. 10— (Reuters)— British 14th Army troops have enlarged their bridgehead at Kyaukmyaung, on the east bank of the Irrawaddy 45 miles north of Mandalay, capturing three hill features in an action which lasted from Saturday to 3000 men.

After bombing and strafing tanks, followed by infantry, wrested another stronghold from the Japanese near the village of Kudaung south of Kyaukmyaung, and held the northern half of the village against repeated attacks.

There was evidence that the Japanese were preparing a major stand in the direction of Kyaukmyaung, where they fell the pressure of Allied tanks. Japanese tanks were seen, apparently moving towards the bridgehead.

On the front directly threatening Mandalay, capital of northern Burma, Japanese on the north bank of the Irrawaddy, about six miles west of Sagaing opposite Mandalay, were withdrawing, but the only escape route left to the enemy was across the Irrawaddy.

Australian, Advisor To President Chiang, Liberated at Manila

Sydney, Australia, Feb. 10 — (CP) — W. H. Donald, Australian-born advisor to President Chiang Kai-shek and one of Japan's most implacable enemies, said the Japs from a Manila internment camp after three years' captivity during which recognition by his captors would have meant instant death.

The Japanese had a high price on Mr. Donald's head, and the fact that he had fallen into enemy hands in the Philippines was a guarded Allied secret.

A Japanese investigator at the Manila internment camp questioned Mr. Donald, who had given his correct age of 66, and asked if he was too old for the man they were seeking.

The Australian government helped by clamping a censorship on all references to him.

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Citrine Favors Full Control Of Defeated Germany

London, Feb. 10 —(CP)— Proposing full control of defeated Germany by the Allies, Britain's delegate to the World Trade Union Conference today told the cheering delegates from the Reich of "an international T.V.A. including a Rhine Valley Authority and Danube Valley Authority.

"The Tennessee Valley Authority, popularly known as the T.V.A. was created in the early years of the Roosevelt administration to develop the Tennessee river system in the interests of navigation, flood control and national defence."

Sir Walter warned the labor delegates from more than two score countries that there probably would be no armistice and peace would be "applied practically by the actual occupation of Germany."

The general secretary for the British Trades Union Congress, Sir Walter suggested, nevertheless that "Hell will have ended TWELVE."

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Friday, 8.00 p.m.—F.P.S. 45 Holloway St. 2.30—Sunday School.

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11.00 a.m.—THE CHRISTIAN WALK.
2.30 p.m.—Young People's Fellowship Hour.
TUESDAY, 8.00 p.m.—Prayer and Bible Study.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCH
10.00 a.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11.00 a.m.—MORNING WORSHIP.
7.00 p.m.—EVANGELISTIC SERVICE.
Speaker: MR. T. DELANEY, of Toronto Baptist Seminary
THURSDAY, 7.00 p.m.—Children's Meeting.
THURSDAY, 8.00 p.m.—Bible Study conducted by Rev. Morley B. Hall, of Napanee.
SATURDAY, 9.05 a.m.—Rev. M. B. Hall from CKWS, Kingston.

HOLLOWAY STREET UNITED CHURCH
(Corner Dunbar and Holloway)
REV. J. A. DUTTS, Minister. Residence 44 Hillside St.
11.00 a.m.—"IF LIFE HAS YOU DOWN."
11.30 a.m.—JUNIOR CONGREGATION. Bring the children with you to church.
2.30 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
7.00 p.m.—"FOR THE CHILDREN'S SAKE."
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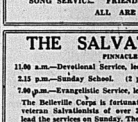
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Church Street — One Block North of Victoria Avenue
REV. DR. A. J. WM. MYERS.
11.00 a.m.—"CHRISTIANITY AND HEALTH."
Nursery care is provided for young children while their parents attend morning service.
11.00 a.m.—JUNIOR CONGREGATION.
2.30 p.m.—CHURCH SCHOOL and KINDERGARTEN.
7.00 p.m.—"HELL HAS BEEN TWELVE."
The Good Companion Fellowship Hour After Evening Service.

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11.00 a.m.—REV. DONALD C. AMOS, B.A.
7.00 p.m.—REV. DONALD C. AMOS, B.A.

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11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
3.00 p.m.—Catechism.
7.00 p.m.—Evensong and Instruction for Confirmation.
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8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
4.00 p.m.—Holy Baptism.
7.00 p.m.—Evensong followed by Adult Confirmation Class.

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H.M.S. Monara

H.M.S. Monara at Ceylon is one of the Royal Navy's most unusual shore establishments. It is devoted entirely to the training of Ceylonese youths to become air and motor mechanics, sick-bay attendants and accountancy ratings.

The scheme began just over a year ago at the instigation of Rear Admiral H. C. Rawlings, who until recently was Rear Admiral commanding Naval Air Stations, Indian Ocean.

The establishment was founded for the purpose of training the youngsters of mainly native army in Ceylon to replace Europeans engaged in these ratings and already a large number of qualified mechanics have been turned out, while many more are almost ready for drafting.

More than one hundred accountancy ratings and nearly fifty sick-berth attendants have qualified and are now working at Naval establishments in Ceylon.

When these youths join H.M.S. Monara they are put through a disciplinary course for two months, after which most of them start training as air mechanics on airframes, engines and electrical instruments while others learn to be writers, supply assistants and sick-bay attendants.

In the workshops they strip and assemble a motor lorry and are taught the use of tools, while their instructors, mainly Naval Petty Officers, lecture to them in front of sectionized models of airfrimes and internal combustion engines.

The Ceylonese youths are billeted in trim huts with their own mess quarters and a modern sick-bay. N.A.A.F.I. run a canteen in a large recreational hut, where indoor games, cinema shows and concerts can be enjoyed. The ship's boys also play cricket, association football and hockey.

The difficulties of running the establishment can be imagined when it is realized that of the ship's company fifty per cent are Buddhists, ten per cent Moslems, twenty-per cent Roman Catholics, ten per cent Church of Ceylon and ten per cent Nonconformists. But they all work well together as a team.

British Hospitality

Despite the evacuations occasioned by V-1 and V-2, Britain is undertaking to care for Dutch children between the ages of 8 and 15 who are coming to regain their strength. They are mostly from the flooded areas where they have been suffering hunger and cold. The opening of the port of Antwerp should speed their arrival. Hundreds of British families have shown their sympathy by offering to give homes to Dutch refugee children.

Weather Knowledge

Vagaries of the weather are more and more used by the people, not only in a winter which has been marked by continuance of severe winter conditions, but generally too since they have come to note why the weather here differs somewhat from the weather elsewhere, as there may be a light fall of snow here while there is rain there.

Belleville folk look to North Hastings to provide some record reports of cold in winter weather and that section has not failed. On Friday Bancroft turned the tables and could report rain falling while it was snowing a little in Belleville.

So people are learning more of the currents of air which cause so great a variety of weather conditions. In summers past sometimes sections have plenty of rainfall and in others there has not been nearly sufficient.

Modern invention and study are going far towards developing the science of weather, which it seems will become one of the most important of all the sciences. For from time immemorial man has watched the seasons and the temperatures, the fails of rain and snow, especially if he has been a tiller of the soil. The farmer has become in the courses of time very astute in weather lore and what he does not know about the weather only a modern scientist could know.

The war and the needs of as full knowledge as possible of air currents for the sake of air travel have given the science of the forecasting of weather a great deal of lift and this will no doubt continue to expand as air transportation in peace time is speeded up.

Besides gaining the knowledge of weather conditions, the collection of data as recorded today has been able to bring to light facts not previously known.

Hereafter less an important field or study for the future for many's course is made dependent on the weather. The success or battles in history has been decided by weather as in ancient days. Today the modern soldier has the advantage of weather data, of which the old time general was deprived by lack of knowledge of the weather that prevails in the air above the earth.

Food Crisis

All through history the food question has loomed large in time of war. Now the Nazi Government of Germany has taken over all German stocks of grain for bread for there is seen the evidence of a food crisis in the Reich.

The inevitable is showing itself. When a nation's armies are driven back, they lose territory on which they have been able to subsist. The same is true with regard to the Germans. By the strength of the blitz warfare which Hitler hurled upon mankind, he drove his forces to the Atlantic and deep into Russia, though the Russians used the scorched earth policy which pinched the Hitlerian plans greatly. Now Germany in her overrunning of a great deal of Europe caught nations which could not fight on and conduct the war against the Hun the way the Russians did. So the Germans in some of the smaller countries were able to draw upon their resources in livestocks, grains, and rural materials and the Goerings grew fat while the inhabitants who were in the occupied territories felt the result of the looting by the enemy.

But there came like a development of the United Nations into the greatest organized fighting power in the course of all history, organized in a good cause to defend liberty and regain liberty which the aggressor had trampled down. Now a great series of Allied victories has been proceeding for several years and the result is the continuing reduction of those things of which the Germans could rob the nations. Now Germany has had her own rich areas, the Ruhr and Silésia especially. The loss of Silesia has been a blow at the industrial resources of Germany and the Allied advances on the Western Front and the gradual loss of Italy to Germany have added to the Huns' woes.

The news stories tell of the growing numbers of refugees which help to eat up Germany's food supplies.

Several recent ration reductions have taken place, among them one forbidding the feeding of grain to stock unless under special permission in the case of hogs. A drastic reduction in the number of hogs was ordered.

Germany's troubles are multiplying as the Allies advance deeper and deeper into the Reich.

Goats in Bengal

A novel scheme of goat multiplication has been adopted by the Government of Bengal which is a way to meeting the increased demand for goats in the province. It is expected that 50,000 goats will be produced in the first year of the scheme.

Under the scheme, nanny and billy goats will be loaned out by the Government to villagers on the condition that for every goat loaned the borrower must return within 18 months of the supply two goats at least six months old, out of the progeny of the goat borrowed by him. When this is done, the mother goat taken on loan will become his property.

Learning without thought is labor lost; thought without learning is perilous.—Confucius.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST
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THE HIGH ROAD

How tell of all departed, good or bad,
And who did best with what of life he had?

One must be more than merely richly dressed
To live superbly under sorrow's test.

Faith and high courage, lest the spirit tire,
The storms of life are certain to require.

How come to these? For one and all, the will
To keep the high road, facing good or ill;

To trust to courage more than chance or luck;
To build a faith before the blow is struck;

To win the friends, before the need for aid,
Then to press on, serene and unafraid.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Quick, Dear, tell me—did I pay that insurance premium last month?"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

February 16th., 1925.

The Belleville Parks Board will be composed of the same members as last year as the following officers were re-elected: Chairman, T. J. Porter; Secretary, Surv. J. C. Panter; Secretary, Harry V. Greenleaf.

Dr. G. S. Cronk will be absent from his office for a few days.

Mr. Alex weir has left to spend some time in Detroit, Mich.

Chief of Police Thomas Portland of Picton has accepted the position of chief of the Collingwood police force.

In a bowling match at the Y.M.C.A. last night the Rinky Dinks defeating the Ritchie team by 336 pins. Mir. Wilson's Rinky Dinks had the high single and three string of the evening with 196 and 536. The following composed the teams: Rinky Dinks — Miss Fred 536, Miss Ross 446, Miss Bryan 402, Miss Rowson 367, Miss Kinch 445. Total 2217; Ritchie team — Miss Rainbird 401, Miss Bland 316, Miss Horton 363, Miss Connell 415, Miss Shields 301. Total 1832.

30 YEARS AGO

February 19th., 1915.

Many enthusiastic spectators were present at the Senior and Junior Eastern League curling matches here last night between Belleville and Napanee. The best seniors were defeated by twelve shots and the local juniors won by two shots. The following composed the rinks: Seniors — Belleville—A. McGie, M. Wright, Dr. J. A. McPee, skip 12; Napanee—A. E. Howard, A. E. Daly, G. P. Reiffenstein, Dr. Leonard, skip 31; Belleville — W. J. Cook, W. N. Belair, P. McL. Perin, S. Robertson, skip 12; Napanee — J. M. S. Derry, H. Daly, W. C. Smith, G. I. Mayhee, skip 15; Tweed—Belleville Seniors 36; Napanee Seniors 36. Belleville Juniors—Belleville — C. O. R. McCurdy, M. J. Clarke, M. A. Day, skip 16; Napanee Juniors — W. Killorin, James Fitzpatrick, J. G. Ryan, M. A. Mayhee, skip 30; Belleville Juniors — L. W. Bullen, Fred D. Diamond, J. W. Daviau, J. G. Callaway, skip, 18; Napanee City Juniors — H. J. Corkell, F. J. Vanalstine, M. Graham, skip 16. Totals—Belleville 37; Napanee 33.

Mr. George Bailey of Stirling spent yesterday here with friends.

40 YEARS AGO

Feb. 19th., 1898.

Owing to the snow blockade the Trenton stage and the Ivanhoe stage did not reach the city today.

Police Officer Downs will be absent from duty for a few days.

The Belleville Harness Company team defeated the Electricians in a hockey match last evening, the score being 7-0. The line-up: Harness — Bowen, Phillips, Lees, Saunders, Rowe, Bowen, Simmons and McGuire; Electricians — H. Greenleaf, C. Greenleaf, J. Bowen, McCargar, Zufelt, Carter, and Barrett. The referee was W. Holton.

Mr. J. T. Adams of San Diego, California, is visiting his brother, Rev. R. F. Adams, Cedar Street.

Mr. Jack Hayes will sing that fine patriotic song, "The Admiral's Broom," at the concert and dance in the Oddfellows' Hall on Friday night next.

50 YEARS AGO

February 16th., 1886.

Pair catches are still reported by the fishermen who are operating through holes in the ice on the bay.

Mr. J. Earl Halliwell of Stirling was in town today.

Mr. D. D. Nelson is the guest of his son-in-law, Dr. Geo. Clinton, in the city.

Mr. R. Luttrell, who was at one time manager of the Grand Junction Railway in this city, has retired from service with the Grand Trunk Railway at Phillipston.

Miss Irwin, head of the millinery department in the Ritchie Store, is in New York city inspecting the new styles and buying for her department.

Mr. Jas. Armstrong, teller in the local branch of the Dominion Bank for some years, has been transferred to a branch of the bank in Toronto. Many friends regret his departure from the city.

The Worst Is Always Still To Come

(By Homer Croy in the Rotarian Magazine)

A learned professor in Massachusetts has written an article for a learned review in which he says the world is going to hell. He not only said it, but just about proved it. He said that after the war is over, the masses in the United States will be so impoverished by the burdens which the war has laid on them that they will have no cars, no radio, no refrigerators, not even washing machines, and no debt.

After reading this I felt gloomy all afternoon. I began to think of others who have said the world was going to hell—"big shots," too —and felt better.

No one can say General U. S. Grant wasn't level-headed, but when he was getting ready to write his autobiography, he announced: "I don't know whether the book will be interested in my story or not. Nowadays all the people seem to be interested in the giddiness and having a good time. But I need the money, so I'll go ahead and write it."

The country, which had been going to Hades so fast, fell still to reading the book, and the widow of the author got a royalty cheque ever handed out in America—no, goodness, not as big as I know, the country hasn't lost the level headedness yet.

Horace Greeley was a thinker, but now and then thinkers can think too much, and so can fence. After the disastrous second battle of Bull Run he said the South could never be conquered and advised ending the war on any terms.



The way to look ahead is to look back. When you take a squint along the gun barrel of the past, you don't feel so much like shooting from the hip. Not that our own country, but for the world.

For instance there was Plutarch, who lived 2,000 years ago, started man in Greece. People had been doing things and trying to catch the pearls of wisdom that fell from the lips of Socrates (who turned out to be paste.) This is what he once said: "I look upon a dying man as one who has finished his task and is free."

In 1901 Bishop Wilberforce in England was exactly what the last man in the world would want. He said: "I would like to marry the man who is too unsettled to risk such a step." Which is a nice way or other England managed to wed.

Sir Walter Scott was fine, because his future is brighter than his past. He said: "I got very expert."

In 1806 Sir William Pitt pondered the future of England and said: "I look behind me with regret, for I see it is past, and ahead with despair, for the future holds nothing for me."

Things didn't turn out as Sir William thought. England's still doing business across the water.

In 1848 Lord Shaftesbury announced: "I have no ambition about me, I am very much depressed. I look upon the future as British empire from destruction." Hitler came along and that Anyway they were both wrong.

In 1940 Disraeli gazed about him in comfort, surrounded by industry, commerce, and what have you, and said: "I cannot say I see no hope." But England continued to be England at the old stand. And what a glorious stand that turned out to be.

In 1853, when Lord Wellington was 84, he said: "I am as well as well I go, but I shall be spared seeing the consummation of evils that my country is plunging itself into."

Here's the spirit I like much better: One night Ralph Waldo Emerson's home in Concord, Massachusetts, caught on fire and his precious library was almost a second in smoke. His neighbor, Louisa May Alcott, ran in and expressed her sympathy. "Never mind," he said. "See what a beautiful night it is."

This is overdoing it a little, but that's bound to be right. Nothing is ever quite so bad as it seems when it's happening.

The Nelson Touch In Canada's Navy

From the Yorkshire Post of London, England

Few can have failed without a quickening of the pulse to hear the story, told on the weekend, of the tiny corvette which, manned by the Royal Canadian Navy—brave lads from the prairies—fought a battle one morning in 1940 she sighted a German raider in the Atlantic waters, what appeared to be two large and powerful enemy raider. The Mayflower was thus suddenly to battle with so formidable an adversary. Her commander, Captain, in those early days, of a Canadian corvette, was one John Tommy-gun, one Lewis gun and a few hand-grenades. What she lacked in weapons she made up for in audacity.

I have a thousand spirits in my breast
To meet every thousand such as you.

Twice she signalled a defiant challenge to the leviathan. Twice her words were observed, and her captain, Lieut.-Commander, now Commander G. H. Stephens, gave a final order to his men: "Tell them we are going to open fire if they do not answer." Back came the amazing reply: "Are you mad? We are a battleship." Yes, was H.M.S. Rodney, one of British most powerful warships.

There is something to ponder on here. When we think of what might have been, when we imagine in imagination the pathetic armament of the Mayflower with the mighty guns of the Rodney, and consider that the Mayflower was most of whom were making, their first sea trip, we are fully convinced that the giant was an enemy, we begin to see something of the indomitable spirit which permeates all ranks of His Majesty's Navies and Merchant Marines in the seven seas.

The odds were overwhelming, but the captain of the Mayflower, mindful of the Nelson touch, knew no captain can go far wrong if he lays his ship alongside the enemy. Sails down his challenge undismayed.

LITTLE DAYLIGHT

In peacetime, city dwellers in central Europe often kept lights burning until after 10 o'clock in the morning. And frequently turned them on again at nearly 2 p.m. because of the long dark winter nights.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

REAL BREAKFAST FOOD

I read in your column that you would like to know how to make buckwheat pancakes, any literary hundreds of readers sending in their recipes. That's news to me. What I expressed a wish for is to find some one who can make old-fashioned yeast-raised buckwheat pancakes. A printed or written recipe and the actual know-how are widely different things.

Meader H. A. T. submitted the following:

First, put your pure buckwheat flour—no mixture. If it is ground with bran and all, so much the better. The black specks will give it a distinctive flavor. Get a cake of dry yeast, the kind that is used when they baked their own bread. Any other kind is unsuitable. Soak the yeast in lukewarm water for about eight hours. This is to start the yeast plant growing and multiplying. Turn into a bowl used for containing batter. Add salt to suit taste, not too much. Use sufficient warm (not hot) water to make up about a quart more than you want for one time. Stir in sufficient buckwheat flour to make a thick, not a thin, batter. If it is too thin the gas will escape without raising the pancake. Set it in a warm place over night.

Next morning it should be raising and in good shape. First batch is usually not so good as subsequent batches. Do not stir better before using. The gas will escape if you do. Your pancakes will be flat. Grease with spoon from top of batter and turn the spoonful as gently as possible upon the hot griddle. Better make cakes the size of a plate, rather than little ones. Rotate griddle with left hand. Spread around the cake but do not spread without shaking it to see if it is ready to turn. Well done pancakes will not be light. If it is not ready to turn it will not spread with shaking it is too thick.

Do not touch batter with spoon after it is on the griddle; you will release the gas from the places you touch. If batter is too thick, dip spoon deeper into batter and turn a spoonful from the underside which is likely to be thinner.

If batter is too thin you are out of luck—wait for breakfast today. Set it away until night, then add some more buckwheat flour and more salt and let it rise for the follow-

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

INFORMATION ROUNDUP

"An ethical newspaperman is one who has just been scooped."—Author Unidentified.

When Eugene Meyer became owner of the Washington Post he showed considerable interest in the welfare of the employees of the paper. One Saturday, coming through the city room, he asked a man how he was. "Not very well," replied the employee, "that's the matter," inquired Meyer, "do you have the grippe?" "I'm not sick, only weary!" shot back the employee.

Meyer, a man who would be paying the salary that she had composed a poem and would like to see it found publication. "Would you be so kind," she wrote, "as to give me the name and address of the governess of the royal children? I can get a poetic licence."

Well, she got the only girls having girth trouble. Several ten bunch of girl reporters on a Washington newspaper made up a pool of ten dollars to be awarded to the one of the group who first could reduce ten pounds.

Officeholding is the chief industry in Washington, it is said.

A newly arrived Congressman ob-

served that even the squirrels in Washington nope around as if they were looking for appointments to take care of them in their old age.

Franklin Roosevelt, who is a communicant of the Episcopal church, sometimes has communion services in the White House.

Many years many people have been erroneously referring to David Lloyd George as "Lord George." Now he is actually a lord and a good, but this title is not Lord George, but Lord Lloyd George of Dwyfor," or simply "Lord Lloyd George."

There is no scientific foundation for the popular belief that the buoyancy of water increases with depth of water and that consequently the deeper the water the easier it is to swim in it. The buoyancy of water does not increase with its depth. It is just as easy to swim in water ten feet deep as in water 300 feet deep. There is also a common belief that a boat will float higher in deep water than in shallow water. The depth of water has nothing to do with how high an object will float in it. But an object floats higher in salt than in fresh water because of the greater density of salt water.

EX-MAHARANEE AND HER MAILMAN HUSBAND



Mrs. Charles Masters, former wife of the Maharajah of Indore, whose ex-husband rules over 7,000,000 Indian subjects, and is reported to have an income of $70,000,000 (believe it or not) a year, is shown in her home at Laguna Beach, Calif., with her husband, former mailman, and ex-cost guardsman, Charles Masters. They are looking at a picture of Uday Devi, the Maharajah's beautiful daughter by a former marriage, who was adopted by the present Mrs. Masters. Uda has returned to India to rejoin her royal dad.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. E. F. Lake, 176 Charles St., received greetings on her 86th birthday today from her grandson, Capt. Floyd Henry in Holland.

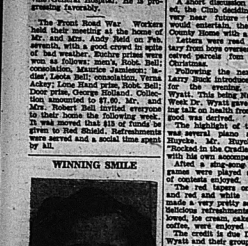
Mr. Ronald Sager, Dunbar St., a patient in the Belleville Hospital, is improving.

Cpl. Alvin Parkhurst of MMCS Gormanlik, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Parkhurst, 266 Ann Street.

Ernest Smith, salesman for the Public Utilities, underwent an operation on Monday in the Belleville General Hospital. He is progressing favorably.

The Front Road War Workers held their meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reid on Feb. seventh, with a good crowd in spite of bad weather. Euchre prizes were won as follows: men's, Robt. Bell; consolation, Maurice Jamieson; ladies', Lecta Bell; consolation, Verna Ackery; Lone Hand prize, Robt. Bell; Door prize, George Holland. Collection amounted to $7.60. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell invited everyone to their home the following week. It was moved that $15 of funds be given to Red Shield. Refreshments were served and a social time spent by all.

WINNING SMILE



This smiling little Dutch girl was one of the winners in a sleigh race staged by the children of a Dutch village by Canadian soldiers on the Western Front.

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Valentine Atmosphere Greets Energetic Club

The Energetic Club of Mallorytown Street United Church held their regular fortnightly meeting on Friday evening. The League room was prettily decorated in keeping with St. Valentine's Day. The meeting opened at 8.15 sharp, the president of being on time, which has often been to carry out throughout the year.

The Scripture reading was taken from Romans and was read by Miss Georgs Greenlee.

The President, Mr. Bill Slavin led in prayer.

After the singing of "Will Your Anchor Hold", the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Larry Hopkins.

A short discussion period followed, the club deciding that in the very near future the members would entertain the Aged at the County Home with a concert.

Letters were read by the secretary from boys overseas who had received parcels from the Club at Christmas.

Following the business session, Mr. Larry Rock introduced the speaker for the evening, who was Dr. Wyatt. This being National Health Week Dr. Wyatt gave a very inspiring talk on health from which many good was derived.

The highlight of the evening was several piano solos by Mr. Haynes. Mr. Haynes also sang "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep" with his own accompaniment.

After a sing-song a few lively games were played and a couple of contests enjoyed.

The red tapers on the piano and red and white table covers made a very pretty setting for the delicious refreshments which followed, ice cream, cake, cookies and coffee, were enjoyed by all.

The club is now in the hands of Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt and their group for the very successful evening.

Rev. Mr. Dills issued a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Haynes and the group in charge. The meeting closed with the Friendship Circle and the Mizpah benediction.

Fashion Flashes

STYLE AROUND at smart gatherings is the short-skirted all-over-bedecked lace dress very fitted to the figure through the bodice and waist. A slip one is in black crepe with deep royal blue bugle beads in an all-over small design. Short sleeves, deep, collarless V neck.

High honors this spring will go to the little silk suit in moire, faille, taffeta and brocade. Many of the suits are made with bolero or short jackets. The skirts are sidedraped, and are worn with very flowy blouses. Brown, navy and black, with here and there some beige or gray.

Just what had to wear with a short-skirted after-five frock? Well —most smart women prefer a small hat fashioned of flowers—or feathered—and swathed in veiling. The sort of hat that looks, and is, very overdone when worn for the street.

One smart girl, handy with her needles, has given a new and expensive look to her plain crepe blouses, using cut-outs from floral designs in lace. She appliques these onto the ends of the bow tunettes and down the centre front.

Way down south, we hear, some gals are wearing a cotton or a water-proofed satin as beach coats as well as for general wear. Nice idea!

Seen about town on nice days are hats trimmed with enormous ribbon bows and, loops of forward-tilted, narrow-cuffed hat of natural blanching balm, reached for Spring, has a many-looped, enormous bow of the finest red, white and yellow satin striped taffeta ribbon, the bow and loops posed in front, giving height.

Wife Preservers



If you find it hard to keep your washed clothes out of doors in spite of frequent rinsings, it's probably a strong salt water. One will be enough to condition the pail so that won't fleck the clothes.

IF IT'S ABOUT YOUR EYES SEE McFEE

Quite a long time ago the medical man practised Dentistry. Then came the realization that public interest and welfare required the Specialed and therefore more adequate service as now rendered by the Dentist. Currently a parallel is found in Optometry.

Visual care undoubtedly demands more thoroughness than the limited, "side-line" service of a medico—and by the thoughtful element is receiving it.

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Fashionable Fabric Footwear



By ALICE ALDEN

NEW weaves developed by the National Shoe Fabric Association, make the fabric shoe picture even more interesting than it was last year. The fabrics, coupled with an unlimited color range and smart styling have helped to take the fabric choice out of the play or casual class, into a more fashionable field. Typical of the new fabric shoe is this new modernistic platform design in bright rep gabardine with cross-band ankles effect.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Can military rank and an officer's uniform count more with the girl he finds himself—even the life of her husband?

A doleful letter from a young married man says yes, tells of a situation which I hope hasn't many sleeves, deep, collarless V neck.

"My job is with an industry classed as 'essential'—he tells me—'I work nights and in fact I work seven days a week. Many of my friends don't believe I'm useful to my country. But when I drag myself home in the morning, my wife knows I love her more than on the day I married her, now looks at me with a critical eye. Her friends all have husbands in one of the services. The other day she said she hoped when our baby grew up he would be satisfied with his father's war record. That hurt me terribly. It seems to mean nothing to her that I'm on hand and safe.

"How that she is alone evenings, she goes to the movies a great deal and she sees what officers and athletic uniforms look like. She tells me she wishes I were one and I suppose she thinks it would be a good idea. But I'm pretty unhappy now that she seems to think I've sneaked out of war service for nobody loves his country more than I do. Can you tell me what to do?"

P.S.E.

Since all this is due to ignorance and dash on the young wife's part, I can only suggest that she needs more education. I think that if she did some Red Cross work, for example, this would bring her in contact with people who would grasp ably teach her that a war is waged not only by the men who wear epaulets or crack up in the cockpits of the bombers but also by those indispensable ones who work at home. It's an old story, of course, that women, especially young ones, are over-susceptible to brass buttons, but in a going pretty far to allow the absence of buttons to destroy a girl's faith in her own patriotic and hard-working husband.

By consulting with the girl's parents, for example, I think it could be brought about that the young wife could be made a more useful person and at the same time weaned from her selfishly romantic dreams, so that in time domestic happiness would be restored. It's worth trying, anyway.

Claims He's Not Good Enough For Her.

Dear Miss Fairfax,—

I am 17 years of age and my fiance is 20. He's a sailor serving in the Southwest Pacific. We have been going together off and on for two years. He has been sending me money to save for a ring. Before he went overseas he spent every furlough with me, and I know he's in love with me, as I am with him.

He wrote me the other day that he thought we should break out engagement and that I should be free to go out with other boys and have a good time, as he didn't want to go out with other boys. If I could be sure he would be true to me. Do you think he would be sincere when he says he loves a girl, and then turns around and says they should break their engagement? He says he's very good enough for me. He writes every day and I believe he loves me, and I'm willing to wait until he returns.

—M.S.

Perhaps this young sailor is a man of exceptional ideals. They say he's not good enough for you, and to advise you to break the engagement and go out with other boys and have a good time. One man in a million may have such unselfish standards but as my old nurse used to say "It's agin nature for a man to be too humbling."

The Marry Go Round

Why Not a "Husband-and-Wife's" Day?

"Sweetheart's Day" or "St. Valentine's, has a very special significance for most of this year. Because it gives us an extra chance to send a tender greeting to the sweetheart or husband overseas and sends them out of our love and affection. And that's what he wants and needs most in the world.

But as I suggested in this column last week, why have we no Husband's Day or Wife's Day? We have Mother's Day, when we all remind Mother that she is loved; and say it with flowers and flowers. And there is Father's Day, when (sometimes to his embarrassment and surprise) he is lavish affection on Dad.

And we have Christmas Day, which commemorates the birth of the Christ Child, and is therefore essentially a Children's Day, when children all over the world are reminded that everybody loves them.

But what we need is a special Day for husbands and wives to concentrate on each other and keep their marriage green with tender reminders of their romantic past and their present love and affection.

Of course, we husbands and wives can horn in on "Sweetheart's Day", and lots of us do. It's our only chance to send each other valentines or poetry or flowers—since we have no day all our own. And many husbands and wives are still sweethearts because they have always kept up the sentimental reminders.

Of course, the fact that a man has to marry a girl proves that he loves her—but that is no reason why he should never mention it again. And I don't hold with the wit who said that the average man tells his last look at his wife at the altar". I believe that many, many husbands and wives grow nearer and dearer through the years. But many grow farther apart, as business and domestic problems and hard work and money worries come between them. They are the ones who need at least one special day on which to remind each other that they are still in love. Such a day would hold many marriages together!

When all a wife has heard her husband for years is "Good Lord, I'm tired! What've we got for dinner?" Or "Say, where've you put the sapiron?" and a husband has heard for is "Gimme five dollars for the laundry-man", or "Can't forget to call the plumber!!" or "Have you got on your overshoes?" it must be a wonderful thrill to receive a few tender words or a few flowers on St. Valentine's Day.

A man can be the most dutiful husband in the world; but if he never stops to be romantic or tender, his wife may be pretty bleak. And a woman can be the most efficient housewife in the world; but if she never softens and gives her husband a warm, spontaneous caress or a compliment, his courtship days are likely to fade out of his memory. And he is apt to think of her just as a necessary part of the household equipment—like the refrigerator.

Perhaps some day we'll get wise and inaugurate a "Husband-and-Wife's Day". Meantime, send your husband or wife a Valentine just to show the front of the air—and see if you can't awaken some of the dormant old romance.

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

PREMATURE SPRING FEVER

It is the season of the year when you are getting just a little sick of the colours you are wearing. At times you read all the time and tired of your face, even if you have gotten a Spring tonic with it up to date. If your skin is chapped, and your hair, your feet, your hands, and your feet get cold, your nose gets scarlet, don't take it to heart. It is the month of anxiety. Every season brings its own particular problems to us. You won't be without them next summer. You'll be getting a new crop of skin troubles freckles. Just make up your mind that you are waging a 100 year war against them and you'll succeed, and that's all there is to it.

Start out, right now, nail your soul to your mast, and get started with a good tonic, and it will do a lot for what ails you. Remember all the lovely blooms in the florists' windows displaying the bursting of buds and the singing of birds that will later. Also, by way of encouragement, a vendor of cosmetics and holstering spirits that trailing arbutus always in the window, you can plough through the woods to a cosmetic counter and get yourself some new face-fixings. Nothing is more fun than lugging home bottles and jars filled with fragrant beautifiers; you can hardly wait to try them so see if they make you look exquisitely different RIGHT AWAY. Maybe they will; who knows?

Of course, some complexion troubles are caused by their victims. Take bad habits, bad eating and steam heat in the home—we forget to fill the water containers on the radiators—nervous temperament—not enough exercise may be the direst reasons why we look in the mirror with acute distaste. Also the Spring fever that makes us rush out pell-mell for a facial treatment in the hope that it will erase ten years from our age—which it won't. All it does is give the cosmetician a calling, which is what it needs this time of year.

You need a cream with a superfatty base, that the skin will lap up eagerly. If you will apply it with friction, you will smooth out the muscle strain, and bring a rosy glow. Spread it on with flat-handed fingers, always working upward and outward. Do five-finger exercises, using the fingertips as if they were little hammers.

Unless your skin is naturally oily —even if it is, you will need cream to offset the effects of playing winder love will not heal astringents. They are grand summer cosmetics, cooling and refreshing.

Increase your water-drinking; the "drink more water" habit is benefited by it. Unless you are keen about tea and coffee, you should have at least four glasses a day, and we bet you don't drink even half that amount. Get to bed at a decent hour, bathe daily, keep

Madoo Junction

Madoo Junction — A very successful cricktools party was held on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley, with over fifty in attendance.

Prizes for the highest score were won by ladies', Miss Helen McMullen; gentlemen, Mr. Wm. Stapley; consolation prize, Mrs. Nathan Wannamaker; girls' prize, Joan Stapley; boys' prize, Harold Reide.

Mr. Kenneth Stevens was present and was chairman for a short programme as follows: Duet by Mrs. Raymond Chambers and Mrs. Lloyd Chambers, with Mrs. Bruce Stapley playing their accompaniment. Humorous reading by Miss Helen McMullen. Solo by Mrs. Percy Stapley with guitar accompaniment. Piano solo, Miss Beatrice Pickett. All joined in singing the National Anthem with Mrs. Russel Stapley at the piano.

The ladies then served a bountiful lunch. Silver collection was taken and a gratifying amount was received for W.M.S. and W.A.

Miss Hilda Stapley pas a recent guest at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Welbourne of Bethel.

Friends will be sorry to learn that Mr. Sam Danford is ill. All wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley and Donna spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Reide.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wannamaker and Miss Ella Wannamaker spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Plichett on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clarke and family were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lyons of Batawa.

Eglinton W.M.S. and W.A.

The regular meeting of the Eglinton W.M.S. and W.A. was held on Thursday afternoon Feb. 5th at the home of Mrs. Harry Clarke with an attendance of 9 visitors, 7 members and 3 children.

After the opening hymn Mrs. Russel Stapley read a devotional paper on Phil. 2nd chapter verses 5 and 8 and also led in prayer.

Mr. Stewart sang a solo "Thy Will Be Done, Even For Me."

It was decided to send contributions in order to share in circulating library.

Members were requested to make quilt blocks 12 by 14" for quilt for missionary bale.

Readings were given by Mrs. C. Stapley, Mrs. C. Plichett and Miss Ella Wannamaker.

The president, Mrs. Bruce Stapley expressed thanks to Mrs. Clarke for the use of her home; to Mrs. Fords Stapley who had prepared the program; and also spoke a few words of welcome to the new brides and other visitors present.

Little Miss Grace Clarke took up the offering.

Meeting closed with hymn and Mizpah Benediction.

The hostess served dainty refreshments.

CANADA'S VETERANS
Their Post-War Opportunities
The first of three advertisements explaining the re-establishment credit.

The Re-establishment Credit—
AN EXPLANATION OF THE GRANT

In planning the return to civilian life of men and women in the armed forces, Canada's parliament realized that assistance in re-establishment must cover a number of fields. For many—particularly younger members of the forces—the best method of effecting permanent re-establishment will be through training or through a return to employment previously or continue an interrupted education. Others can be assisted through the provision of opportunity to continue an interrupted business or to establish a new one. Still others can fall done farms or on small holdings operated in connection with industrial employment. In many cases a combination of these two training and land settlement—will be the solution. Legislation for this type of re-establishment was provided early in the war.

ANOTHER LARGE GROUP

There is, however, another very large group who do not need training and who are not suited for land settlement as provided under the Veterans' Land Act. After long months or years in uniform, these veterans will need assistance also. There will be those who normally would have owned their own homes but who have lost their service. There will be those who own homes but who have been unable to carry out needed repairs and alterations. There will be veterans who sold businesses to enlist and who want to resume them, and others who are fitted for a business of their own but who need assistance in financing. The Re-establishment Credit is designed for this latter group, and primarily is an alternative to training and land settlement benefits.

PAID UNDER WAR SERVICE GRANTS ACT

The Re-establishment Credit is available under the new Re-establishment Credits Act, which provides War Service Gratuities. It is not a loan but an outright grant, paid in an eligible veteran to aid in re-establishment if the veteran decides not to use land settlement or training benefits. It may be used in Canada only at any time in the ten years following discharge for certain specified purposes as outlined in this advertisement. The grant is called a "credit" because it is in an amount carried on the ledger to the credit of the veteran for ten years until used by him for a re-establishment purpose.

HOW TO APPLY FOR RE-ESTABLISHMENT CREDIT

The re-establishment credit is an amount equal to the basic War Service Gratuity—that is $7.50 for each 30 days' service in the Western Hemisphere and $15.00 for each 30 days' service overseas. The amount is computed by the branch of the armed forces with which the veteran served, and for that reason application first must be made for the War Service Gratuity. When a statement showing the amount of the basic gratuity has been received by the veteran, application for the re-establishment credit may be made to the Department of Veterans Affairs on a form which may be secured from any district office of the department. Application for the war service gratuity is to the branch of the armed forces with which the veteran served and forms may be secured at any armed forces depot or at any office of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

STUDY ALL MEASURES BEFORE APPLYING

It is important that every veteran shall have made a definite decision as to future plans before applying for the re-establishment credit. Payment of the re-establishment credit debars the veteran from educational and training grants and benefits under the Veterans' Land Act, since on application for the credit the veteran elects not to take advantage of these other benefits. Any benefits under the Veterans' Land Act and payments to, or on behalf of the veteran for training or continuation of training already granted will be charged against the credit. Do not apply for your re-establishment credit until you have studied all other rehabilitation measures. Advice of department officials is available to assist you.

PURPOSES FOR WHICH CREDIT MAY BE USED

Grant of the credit may be authorized for the following purposes:

(a) To assist in home-ownership.
(b) To assist in building a home;
(c) To assist in home repairing or modernization;
(d) To buy household equipment and furniture;
(e) To buy tools, instruments, etc., for trade, profession, or business;
(f) To provide working capital for profession or business;
(g) To buy a farm;
(h) To pay premiums on Dominion of Canada Insurance;
(i) To buy special equipment required for educational or vocational training.

In the case of (a), (b), (d) and (g) above, the veteran must put up one dollar for every two dollars used from the re-establishment credit. If experience shows a broadening of these purposes is needed, provision has been made for it.

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION WRITE TO THE NEAREST OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Issued under the Authority of Hon. Ian A. Mackenzie, Minister of Veterans Affairs.

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Plan for the Working Skier



MGM's Loraine Day wears a Lana ski suit which combines a lightweight, water-repellent cloth jacket with navy wool pants. Jacket body material color, sleeves red and

By PRUNELLA WOOD

SUMMER is just a silly time that happens along to spoil a calendar, with lots of girls . . . a time when they can't skim over the snow and

for between jumbles.

To show how Hollywood dresses for the slippery, exhilarated sports (I'm a beach comber myself) here is Lorraine Day, normal as can be, also attractive, for skiing.

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BELLEVILLE JRS. SWAMP COMBINES IN PLAYOFF GAME

Dick Barrett Scores Four Goals and Has Two Assists in 13-1 Victory

Scoring pretty much as will the Belleville hockey fans opened their part of the "Little Six" O.H.A. semi-final playdowns by shellacking the Hastings-Norwood combine, master, 13 to 1, at the Rome Arena last night, the second game of a best-in-three series will be played in Norwood next Wednesday with a possible third and deciding contest back in Belleville on the following Friday. The period scores stood at 5-1, 7-1 and finally 13 to 1.

As Coach Tom Slobary's locals fattened their scoring averages and ran the count into the double column figure a unique scoring feat occurred in the third period of a one-sided fiasco when Belleville scored three goals inside of one minute and two made it five goals inside of the two-minute mark. This all occurred between the 11.54 mark and 12.55 in the final stanza for something of a record in hockey scoring in these parts.

Barrett Leads Scorers.

Don Barrett led the scoring attack of the Belleville kids with four goals and a single assist to his credit scoring points. Doug Day came into his own for two pointers going as Bernie Meagher rattled home a brace of bumpers. Otherwise Bill Holway picked up a goal and an assist, as did Roddy Lyall and Bill Greatrix, while Jerry Moher duplicated this feat. Doug Pye, of Campbellford, picked up the lone Hastings goal late in the initial stanza, although several occasions Joe Pite, sporting nine stitches in his face gave goalie Fitzpatrick anxious moments.

Three Campbellford Men Play.

As several of the Hastings-Norwood team were unable to play owing to illness, the Amalgamated pressed three Campbellford players into service in order to complete their scheduled play-off game here.

Belleville put on a strong defensive game in front of Dick Fitzpatrick, even though the locals rattled home 13 goals, they missed scores of scoring chances in a loosely-played game. Hastings-Norwood tightened to the scrambly side at times, but far from a task to prove any particular worth for the locals, but in order to assure themselves of a spot in the group finals their principal test comes Wednesday night in the return game. For the losers Pte. Pye, Williams and Jones at least tried and in fairness to the weakened Hastings squad it must be said in their favor they rallied considerably retaliating when the opportunity presented itself.

The one-sided score speaks for the game as Belleville carried the play pretty much and at least put in some practice. The second half of the semi-finals, between Trenton and Stirling, opens in Trenton on Monday with the ultimate winners of each series meeting in the group finals.

The lineups:

Belleville: Goal, Fitzpatrick; defence, Holway (capt.), Green; centre, Barrett; wings, Al Meagher and B. Meagher; reserves, Moher, Day, Greatrix, Rush, Lyall and Reeves.

Hastings: Goal, McGrath; defence, Pite and W. Jones; centre, Glover; wings, West and Johnson; subs, R. Jones, Williams, Richter, Pye and Edwards.

Referee: "Speedy" St. Louis.

Summary:

1st period:
1...Belleville, Greatrix. (Day) 4.11
2...Belleville, Al. Meagher... 5.16
3...Belleville, Barrett 16.15
4...Hastings, Pye 19.21
Penalty—Green.
2nd period:
5...Belleville, B. Meagher (Barrett) 8.15
6...Belleville, Moher (Lyall) 11.54
7...Belleville, Day (Greatrix) 17.19
8...Belleville, Moher (Moher) 17.54
Penalties—Williams and Rush.
3rd period:
9...Belleville, Barrett 5.14
10...Belleville, Barrett 11.54
11...Belleville, Meagher 12.54
12...Belleville, Barrett 13.00
Penalty—Holway.
13...Belleville, Lyall (Holway) 13.53
Penalties—Greatrix, Holway.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

Following the lead of organized baseball, the American Bowling Congress issued a warning last night at Milwaukee that steps had been taken to protect the alley sport from gambling activities. An order is being sent out to the 4,000 member-proprietors of the 40,000 lanes, part-mutuel betting or pools on bowling matches will be condemned. . . . Any A.B.C. member who offended in this respect would be subject to suspension of expulsion from organized bowling, it was announced. . . . Secretary E. H. Baumgarten of the A.B.C. said the organization would not permit the activities of professional gamblers following the path of race tracks in the United States.

Left-winger Hector Pomo and Defenceman George Pearson yesterday were traded by Hershey Bears of Centre Don, to Buffalo Bisons in an American Hockey League deal. Buffalo also secured Bill Wilson, a Toronto forward, Lloyd Sobbery, former Cleveland goaltender.

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Dr. Stanley H. Perkins last night succeeded Col. R. C. Hatch, D.S.O. as president at the Ontario Jockey Club annual meeting, Col. Hatch, Buffalo ball club. John C. Bickell was named secretary-treasurer.

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Teams representing six Western Canadian cities will compete in the Canadian Senior Women's Basketball championship playdowns, it was announced last night. The tournament by President C. F. McLachlan of the Canadian Amateur Basketball Association. The listed cities are Edmonton, Edmonton, Calgary, Saskatoon, Regina and Winnipeg.

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Centralia airmen have qualified to represent Western Ontario in the Provincial Services Hockey 9 playdowns and have been drawn to meet the Niagara District winners in the semi-finals. Centralia finished the schedule with a rousing 15-8 victory over Aylmer R.C.A.F. at Exeter.

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Former manager of Chicago Black Hawks in the N.H.L., Bill Stewart of Boston yesterday was appointed to the Board of the National Collegiate Athletic Association to supervise U.S. college hockey, Stewart is also a National Baseball League Umpire.

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Skipping a rink in the Manitoba Bonspiel at Winnipeg is Ralph Glass, a one-legged curler from Virden Man., who has been taking part in the ice sport for 22 years although never previously in a big competition. He lost his left leg in the First Great War.

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When travel restrictions are removed after the war, there is the prospect of improved standards of U.S. fixtures in intercollegiate athletics, it was predicted yesterday at a Winnipeg by Lou Keller, athletic director at the University of Minnesota.

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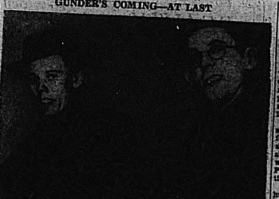
London, Feb. 10.—(CP)— Sir Stafford Cripps, Minister of Aircraft Production, said today that peacetime manufacture will start "very soon". If the speed of the Russian drive was maintained.

This was one of the most optimistic statements yet made by a member of the British government. Sir Stafford addressed Scottish aircraft workers.

HUMAN HEAT

The temperature of the healthy human body averages from 98.4 to 98.6 degrees Fahrenheit.

GUNDER'S COMING—AT LAST



On again-off again trip of Gunder Haag's to the U. S. for indoor track appearances finds a on-again swift Swede and his fellow countryman, hurdler Haakon Lidberg, are shown above in Gander as a couple departed. They are now in London.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

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Youth Movement:

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CLOCK STRIKES 52 FOR BILL TILDEN

New York, Feb. 10. (AP) — A clock struck 52 for big Bill Tilden today but the hardy perennial of the courts scarcely noticed—he was still too busy with his tennis.

The angular, aging but active ace apparently needed no more than several sets of tennis daily to keep him young. He averages at least five a day.

Greatest showman in the history of tennis, Tilden is the only remaining active member of the "big four" who, with saw him, Babe Ruth, Bobby Jones, Tommy Hitchcock and Jack Dempsey, the big five in sports.

Bill is here to defend his mixed doubles partner Vinnie Richards and others in the Grossinger century-hall tennis show, the proceeds will help distribute packages to families of service men forced.

Tilden began swinging a racquet in 1940. Asked how long he expected to continue public play, the old master said: "I haven't the foggiest idea. Just as long as I think I can hit a ball well enough for others to enjoy it".

Jug McSpaden Has Wide Lead In Golf Match

New Orleans, Feb. 10. (AP) — Harold (Jug) McSpaden starts his second round of golf in the $5,000 New Orleans open today with a wide lead—thanks to a medium par under par 68 for the first 18 holes yesterday.

It was sheer consistency in the opening round that gave McSpaden a two-stroke lead over his closest rivals, who included the game's top money winner, Byron Nelson of Toledo, O. McSpaden's card showed four birdies and 14 pars. He was two under par on both nines, 33 and 35.

Nelson starts today with a 2-under par 34-36—70 to his credit. Others 70s are held by Claude Harmon, Ossine Point, Mich., Byron Shutz, Akron, O.

Other members of the pre-tournament "favored five" Sammy Snead of Hot Springs, Va., Henry Picard of Harrisburg, Pa., and Sammy Byrd of Detroit, will have to hit their best form today if they intend to close in on McSpaden.

Slammin' Sammy competed the first round with a 6-over par 76. Byrd, defending champion, came around with a 75, and Picard, twice champion here, took a 78.

SPORT SHORTS FROM BRITAIN

By ALLAN NICKERSON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

London, Feb. 10.—(CP)—Bounty Woods, six-foot amateur from the Cotswolds, brought about the new year's most startling upset in sport when he came to London as the unheralded and unfancied Sid Duffy.

Duffy, a petty officer in the Royal Navy and one of Britain's lightweights, was expected to be an easy victim for Woods, a former sky-high After he knocked out the world, George Nichols, and Jack Paterson of Glasgow, in a memorable fight last December, one.

Woods, 24, and possessing of a human hairpin at 136, towered head and shoulders over the sailor and kept him at bay with a flicking left, unleashed blows to the body that seemed to have earned the victor five of the ten rounds. But Duffy won the first three rounds and then had enough left in reserve to wipe the perpetual smile from Woods' face.

The sight of the two in action was almost comical. Duffy, a normal well-built feather, looked as big before opposed to a Guardsman suffering from malnutrition.

Incidentally, the fight nearly didn't come off. Duffy's boxing manager considered Woods far below Duffy's class.

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Jim Brady of Dundee, Knight-hamtanwood, Scotland, with a boxing career of 18 years, easily outpointed Jimmy Warnes, Swansea, one of Wales' best, in another bout on the Duffy-Woods card. Davies, holding a weight advantage of 14 pounds, failed to win one of the eight rounds.

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Meanwhile, in another wartime instance of matching top-notchers with handicaps, flyweight king Paterson signed to defend against Jackie Grimes in a non-title London bout on February 24 or March 3. It will be Paterson's first fight since he knocked out Woods.

Grimes, a stablemate of Duffy, has had only five bouts since he turned professional a few months ago. On paper it would appear that Paterson has earned a shot but that's what the gambling fraternity doubtless about Woods.

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Handsome Eddie Maspood, holder of two Scottish championships and one that may never be beaten, has been signed to box Jack Hood, left-handed "Football Ambassador." He is the fighting chosen to play on the England team that defeated Scotland 24 times named captain of the side.

One of scranton's greatest men, Maspood holds the book of his 17 years in first-class soccer and at his best was closely linked to the rise to fame of his wife, Hannah Gunn-ness. Now a flying officer in the physical training branch of the R.A.F. Maspood has been posted to the coaching staff. His eventual discharge he will become manager of Aldershot Rovers of the League North.

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Tom Whittaker, Arsenal football club trainer in peacetime, was elected M.B.E. in the New Year's Honors for his work with new engines and fuels as a member of the R.A.F. He has the rank of squadron leader . . . The Yorkshire County Cricket Club, in its annual report, paid high tribute to Herbert Sutcliffe, one of England's greatest left-hand batsmen who was killed in the Sicily fighting, and accepted $4,500 to his widow and family.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

N.H.L. Unchanged

Saturday: Detroit at Montreal; Chicago at Toronto.

Sunday: Detroit at Boston; Toronto at Chicago; Montreal at New York.

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pts.
A.H.L.				
Buffalo	20	16	7	51
Cleveland	18	18	8	44
Providence	16	17	8	40
Western Division				
A.H.L.	W	L	T	Pts.
Cleveland	32	11	9	53
Indianapolis	30	13	11	51
Pittsburgh	19	19	6	44
St. Louis	20	21	3	43

Friday: St. Louis 7; Cleveland 4.
Saturday: Hershey at Cleveland; St. Louis at Buffalo.
Sunday: St. Louis at Buffalo; Cleveland at Indianapolis; Pittsburgh at Providence.

Junior O.H.A.
St. Catharines Falcons 8; Young Rangers 1.

Senior O.H.A.
Hamilton Majors 5; St. Catharines Saints 2.

Interprovincial League
Cornwall Athletics 5; Ottawa Rapids 0.

O.H.A. Junior "B"
Stratford Kroehlers 8; Kitchener Greenshirts 1.

Glencoe 2; Forest 1 (group semi-finals).

Watford 6; Alvinston 4 (group semi-finals).

R.C.A.F.

Boston Olympics 6; New York Rangers 1.

TWO "TERRIBLE WEEKS"

Liverpool, England, Feb. 10—(Reuters)—Two "terrible weeks of starvation" were described in a letter to his parents here by Trooper William Brown, Royal Armored Corps, one of the released prisoners of the Greek R.I.A.F.

Brown wrote: "They stripped us of everything we possessed—bikkets, wallets, money and pens. They took our boots and made us march 60 miles with sacking tied around our feet."

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



CASUAL COMMENT
by K.J.C.

Lighter Vein.

A man with a black eye and other injuries came into the orthopaedic ward of the hospital. The desk attendant began to fill out the usual forms.

Desk Attendant — Married?

Patient — No, automobile accident.

No Competition.

There wasn't much competition when the local juniors shellacked Hastings 13-1 last night to take the first game of the "Little Six" Junior O.H.A. semi-final series in a convincing manner. Not only was the Hastings club 30 minutes late, but they had to stop at Campbellford and enlist services of a trio of Hydro Town kids in order to fulfil their date here last night. However, the Amalgamates hope to have their full roster on hand for the second game at Norwood next Wednesday. Actually it was scrambly hockey last night, brought about no doubt by the fact Hastings had a patched-up squad. It was a field day for the locals who fattened their scoring averages, with Don Barrett leading the parade with four. Doug Day landed a brace, as did Bernie Meagher with, the remaining counters were registered by Bill Holway, Jerry Moher, Al Meagher, Al Meagher and Roddy Lyall. Doug Pye of Campbellford, picked up the visitors' lone tally, while Joe Pite looked as good as any in the igloo.

Wanna Laugh?

Scribe Bob Ford in the Trenton Courier-Advocate, took exception to "the rough Belleville players" after the locals beat Trenton 6-4 last week. Bob says the Belleville kids were "out to get Barney Lesperance," which is quite ridiculous, although Hockey's champs were meeting the shifty Lesperance in every turn, which is good business.

However, here's the lowdown on things:

"At the Belleville-Trenton junior hockey game last Friday night, the old rivalry between Belleville and Trenton really flared up. From the opening whistle, it was evident the object of the game it was evident that Belleville was out to get Barney Lesperance. To the writer that's not good hockey, nor conducive to good sportsmanship. Barney Lesperance is one of the cleanest hockey players ever to don skates and to try and force a player of his calibre to leave his beat ice, is not for the good of the game. Barney is handicapped in that he has to wear glasses, and during this game they did manage to break them, and Barney had to watch 'em up with the ever useful adhesive. The writer has been attending all season the point of referees keeping hockey clean, for the sake of the game, and for the good of the future of the boys concerned. Such high-sticking, boarding, elbowing and chopping that was allowed was just a disgrace. By way of thinking this league could be one of the type of Charlie Puffer, of Norwood, as referee. He will not tolerate that kind of business. He will not be afraid to refree this column will go for at all times. He knows the game, and knows what clean hockey means. In this kids who play it, Belleville will "Between the ever-so dirty-that—but the writer does take strong objection to rough, dirty play against one of the cleanest players playing the game today."

At the Barrier.

Tied at the end of the regular schedule with nine wins and a half each, the Mountain View "Bombers" and Trenton "Flyers" go to the wire in the first play-off game of the Quinte R.C.A.F. group service league clash on Monday night. The winner will be the best-in-three with the winner advancing to the R.C.A.F. No. 1 Training Command semi-finals against Camp Borden "Flyers." On the season's play Trenton has the edge, 5-4 earlier in the season, but P/L. Jimmie McGrath's Mountain View sextette evened matters up in their next meeting 5 to 3, all of which goes to prove how closely matched the two squads really are. No doubt Skipper McGee will transport his Bombers to keep a close watch on Percy Bancroft, league's leading scorer and Trenton's star. If we see Sig Raymond we'll repeat as champion and predicted McGee today. In the meantime it is rumored the Flyers are angling for Randy Ellis, former Cobalt ace now with Kingston airmen.

Remember When . . . .

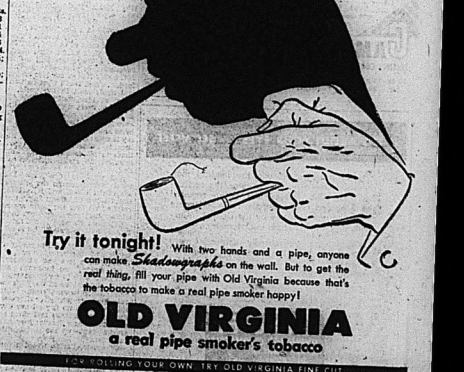
Just 52 years ago tonight more than 20,000 fight fans screamed "Take" as Ernie Schaaf sprawled to the canvas for the count in the 14th round of his 15-round bout with Primo Carnera. Four days later, the quiet boy who wanted to be a priest, died in hospital from the effects of the beating. He never regained consciousness.

. . . .

Joe Cronin, manager of the Red Sox, is a firm believer in golf during off season, and expects to get back into the game himself, as he recognizes the necessity of exercise. He stands, at times, 15 or 20 players per day, but that doesn't mean 15 or 20 losers. "But some of 'em have pretty fair" or 6's they may mean further losses. "But some of 'em have pretty fair" or 6's other handicaps, which make them handy fit for any service," Joe added.

Between the over-ripe, dilapidated and rejected players, I think we will have enough. "

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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 661
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

With the best intentions, some boys are unlucky. Take the one that decides partners in a session of rubber bridge that is played by a group of four players.

The laws of bridge say: Before each rubber, the four players draw cards. The two players who draw the highest cards play as partners against the other two.

You will notice that it says "before each rubber". Therefore, not only does that apply to the first rubber, it means that with the exception of deciding partners before every rubber.

Such a policy is unfair, impractical, unsatisfactory, and contrary to sound principles. It is good for deciding partners for the first rubber. But not for all rubbers in that session.

Take a foursome in which two of the players are expert and the other two are very poor. If the experts were partners for the majority of rubbers, the palookas would be supporting them in luxury.

At one very first game of contract bridge, we started a house rule in our club. It proved to be needless for ourselves and those who joined us as regulars or guests.

The house rule was: For the first rubber, players cut for partners. For the second rubber, the two farthest from the dealer are partners. The previously unpaired players were pairs for the third rubber.

In this way, each player was the partner of each of the others an equal number of rubbers. No one player had the advantage of having the best player of his partner more than his share of the time.

In a scientific game like bridge, each player is usually better than the rest. Or some player is usually not as good as the others.

Imagine being 3000 beans in the hole after losing a rubber with Doffer Dan as partner. Then see Sabine drawing him again as partner for the next rubber. You might as well put your suspending in storage.

Then the first hand you get is this:

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♥A K Q 6 3
♦ 5
♣Q 6

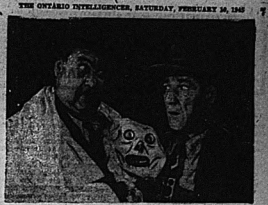
You open that hand with a bid of 1 ♠. Doffer Dan passes. What would you do? There's a few against that.



AT THE BALLE — John Wayne and Ella Raines find peace after a stormy romance in "Tall in the Saddle," based on Gordon Ray Young's rip-roaring daturday Evening Post serial, of frontier life, now at the Belle, with Ward Bond, George "Gabby" Hayes and Evelyn Ankers.



AT THE McCARTHY—Victor Moore, Ann Miller and Kay Kyser are here shown in one of the many comedy routines of the new musical "Carolina Blues," currently bringing the customers entertainment from Kay to Z at the McCarthy Theatre, along with an added feature "Sergeant Mike."



AT THE CAPITOL — Billy Gilbert and Shemp Howard pause in the midst of the mad shenanigans which make "Crazy Knights" one of the funniest pictures of the year, starring Sunday midnight at the Capitol Theatre. On the same program, "The Sullivans." Don't miss it.

CLUBS JOCKEYING TRYING TO AVOID THE CANADIENS

Team Finishing 2nd Must Meet Habitants in the First Round

By The Canadian Press

Now that Montreal Canadiens have all but officially clinched their second straight National Hockey League pennant, the other playoff-contending clubs can concentrate on just where they finish the schedule — the best being to avoid the Habitants in the first round of the post-season series.

As in the past few years, the leaders will met the third-place team in the semi-finals while second and fourth decide the other finalists.

The only clubs directly concerned with who draws the unlucky No. 2 spot are Detroit Red Wings and Toronto Maple Leafs, since either Boston or Chicago will be happy to finish fourth and can hardly go higher.

For the Detroiters, any privilege connected with finishing second will be the extra week-end rest before facing somebody else besides Canadiens in the first round. While almost invincible at home, the Olympia Wings are winless in eight games against the Canadiens. Their only chance for Stanley Cup honors seems to be to beat the Habitants right out, the Canadiens or by at least soften them up for the finals.

On the other hand Leafs, while handy at winning club against the rest of the league, have handed Canadiens four of their five beatings and on the basis of that record may prefer to lead off against the champions.

For the Toronto club, however, it's a case of meeting the Habs sooner or later, if they eliminate Canadiens or they must face Detroit or Boston, both of whom have been on them consistently this year.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

New York—Harold Green, 147 1-2, Brooklyn outpointed Morris Relf, 146, Brooklyn (10); Mario Colon, 121, Puerto Rico and Joey Gatto, 123 3-4, Brooklyn drew (8).

Philadelphia—Danny Devlin, 176, Allentown, Pa., outpointed Leon Sammartino, 170 1-2, Chester (8).

San Diego, Calif.—Benny Goldberg, 126, New York, O.K.O.d Ruben Armendo, 117, Mexico City (3).

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ST. CATHARINES AND HAMILTON END SCHEDULE

Majors Score 5-2 Victory and Lead Saints by Ten Points

By The Canadian Press

Hamilton Majors and St. Catharines Saints moved nearer their respective goals in the senior O.H.A. schedule at Hamilton with the locals taking the better end of a 5-3 score in a game that was featured by fast hockey. The winners found themselves established with a 10-point leadership over their second-place rivals from the garden city, with Toronto Staffords cemented in the season's race.

Dinning three and assisted 1001 victory of the season by getting a goal and figuring in two other scores with assists, the four other tallies coming from Bill Goodchild, Johnny Conlon, Mason, Clare Shilliton and Bob Goodchild. Saints' snipers were Doug Wilson and Gambol. Others was no score in the first period, the second ended with Hamilton holding a 3-1 edge and Majors fired in three goals in the final stretch to end matter of the victory.

In their last appearance of the season, Majors will entertain Dixie, Toronto Young Rangers bowlers in the Majors 5-pin. The home sters led 3-1 in the first canto, increased to a 5-3 count in the second and were content to play the third period but came through four tallies in the good.

Heavy scorers for Falcons were Delmonico, Unger and Peterson, each of whom accounted for two counters.

Peterson adding to his statistics by providing on the two other goals. Tom Smaille and Seargeson both had singles. For Toronto Dewsbury brightened proceedings with a pair of goals. Butler others being obtained by Drysdale and Pidzerny.

ST. LOUIS FLYERS DEFEAT BARONS

By The Canadian Press

The American Hockey League circle—Cleveland, St. Louis Flyers, defeated Western Division leaders, Cleveland Barons, 7-4, at St. Louis last night.

The first period ended with Flyers showing a 2-1 lead. Kendall who scored the first goal for St. Louis, made it in the last few minutes of the stanza. Lynn assisted him in both instances. W. Smith, Mowers and Kendall shot in the three other Flyers' points, while Burlington scored the lone goal for Cleveland.

Cleveland rallied in the second game and scored three points while Flyers only managed to get through once for a goal which was shot in by Horeck assisted by the N. Smith-W. Smith combination. Burlington got his second goal for Barons whose other scorers were Besone and Casparine.

Rinstead added his second goal for St. Louis in the final period with the rest of the game scoreless.

Recreation Alleys

Dee-Bee League

Flyers: E. Hall 260; G. Buker 267; J. Woodhouse 427; E. Rushlow 316; Nolene 400.

Nightlighters: M. MacDougal 300; B. Holland 407; D. Cumberham 448; S. Caton 266; H. McLean 365—1977.

Bombardiers: P. Hunter 304; M. Meeks 420; B. Cook 344; S. Tapp 428; L. Pilkauit 345—1949.

Airgunners: M. Calbury 300; B. Buckley 345; C. DeSimone 377; M. Reed 290; E. Winch 456—2058.

Commandos: J. Armitage 286; N. Dorian 363; M. Walsh 327; G. Marvin 266; M. Cockell 342—1701.

Jeeps: G. Dunlop 338; M. Freeman 364; R. Hiddlason 246; B. Melcher 405; A. Hinchey 410 —

BASKETBALL

Although belt scorelss in the second half the Bellerets of "T" intermediates eked out a 17 to 16 win over the "T" juniors in an exhibition basketball game played at the Y.M.C.A. Thursday night. In 1 lower game the Bellerets' forwards triumphed 34 to 8 over the Mountain View (W.D.) "Bombersettes".

With Chappelle the leading scorer for the "T" Intermediates ran up 17 points in the first half while the "T" junior team put up a fight with Taylor the lone mankiman. Taylor shot four more points in the second half as the Juniors scored eight more points but couldn't overcome the early lead amassed by their older rivals.

The lineups:

Intermediates — Assistine 2; Chappelle 7; Sprowle 5; Bennett 5; Burkholder; Lepore; Liddle and Legard.

Juniors — Delong; Caldwart 2; Taylor 8; Bishop; Tomaso; N. Lepore; Griffiths 3 and Dennison.

Referee: Roy Menary.

With Helen Cazrow the leading scorer with 10 points, 282 Morris's Belleville "T" basket led the "Bombersettes" 16 to 2 at the half way mark and added 16 more points in the last half as the Mountain View girls picked up six points.

The lineups:

"T" Juniors—Bonsky 4; Brownbridge; Allison 6; Cazrow 10; Rush

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 10 — (AP)—Owner Arthur McBride says Paul Brown got "the best deal ever given a football coach", when he signed with the Cleveland All American Conference Club and that must be really good . . . Notre Dame's Frank Leahy turned down a four-year $50,000 contract from the same league and Buc Shaw elected $18,000 for two years at U.C.L.A. to stick with the San Francisco entry . . . Story is that Buck was offered a swell spot in a new business that owner Anthony Morabito plans to start right after the war . . . When the Okla-homa U. basketball team played Oklahoma Aggies recently, Bruce Drake, O. K. coach, pitted his Sooners with subs under his own guard and got a 7 1/2 foot super-sub.

The Flick Truth—

Of all the stories about actress who almost got rich on the sale of the Yankees, the best concerns a couple of reporters who wandered into a downtown restaurant about two days before the story broke . . . There having lunch were Leroy Macdonald, Bill Barrow, Nine Gallery of the Sunday Mirror Digest and a representative of the bank that handled the deal . . . Recognizing Macdonald they asked: "What are you doing here?" . . . "Why I'm buying the Yankees, of course," replied Leroy . . . Everybody laughed uproariously and the scribes departed . . . P. S.: It wasn't that eatery that's known for its calypso of sport scoops.

"T" ALLEYS

Evening League

Pickups 2 points: J. Moore 466; P. Lee 344; H. Lee 404; P. Davis 317; J. Tice 356—2038.

Corvettes 2 points: M. Cook 460; H. Langevin 473; W. Shaw 362; R. Cerow 498; M. Cherrie 491—2273.

Afternoon League

Mercury Gang 1 point: R. Charlton 286; K. Harrison 368; I. Gorsline 404; J. Quinney 338—1816.

Spitfires 2 points: Handicap 90 pins; L. Ryde 376; C. Mott 367; W. Shaw 362; A. Wattie 396; R. Cerow 361—2007.

HAS LOCK OF BOSUN'S HAIR

Brantford, Feb. 10 — (CP)—Pte. C. H. Mansbridge is home recovering from wounds received in the invasion of Normandy and displaying one of the strangest souvenirs in Brantford's history—a lock of seafaring hair clipped from the head of a German girl sniper he helped capture.

Cornwall Cookies Climb Near Leaders

Cornwall, Feb. 19, (CP)—Cornwall cookies climbed to within three points of Lachine rapids in the interprovincial hockey league last night when they blanked the Rapids 3-0 in a three point game here.

Florian Lauson teamed up with Dick Proulx and Bernie Lauson to pick up the first Cornwall goal in the opening period. After a scoreless middle period, Florian Lauson added a second goal, midway through the last stanza, with Ray Dupuis serving the assist. Proulx completed the scoring on a solo effort, two minutes from the end.

Little Benny's Note Book

Gussie Cesar was still back in the shower room by himself on account of he was taking such a shampoon long cesar, and pop and me were in the living room talking about ways to make him realize it would be polite for him to stop hogging the hot water when he was home where he's really supposed to live, and Cousin Cesar came in the living room wiping his mouth with his hand on account of having got out of the way of using napkins in the army, and he said, I'm afraid I got some bad news for you folks.

Why, what's happened, what do you mean? ma said, and pop said, You haven't heard anything wrong from back home, have you?

It looks like I'll have to be leaving you, cousin Cesar said. That's the whole story without trimmings, and it don't look as if I can put it off, he said, and ma said, Really, Cesar? I mean, do you mean it?

Is that a fact, Cesar? pop said, and Cesar said, I knew it would come like a shock, I knew you'd get kind of used to seeing me making myself at home around here, that's the kind of a natural citizen I am, home is wherever I park my feet. But there dont seem to be any help for it, I'll have to be shoving off, he said.

Well now isn't that hard luck, how soon do you got? pop said, and Cousin Cesar said, First thing in the morning.

Well, it's hard to believe, ma said. I mean it's been so nice having you, Cesar. I'd better help you to pack, we wouldn't want you to forget anything, she said, and pop said, Yes gods, no.

Oh, that wont be necessary, Cousin Cesar said. This buddy of mine has been pestering me to come and visit him, but I'm sure he hasn't got a spare bed as comfortable at home. I could do just as good in your guest room, so I promise not even to stay overnight if I can get out of it, he said.

Being the sad end of the subject,

THEATRE FEATURE TIMES

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TALL IN THE SADDLE	CAROLINA BLUES	STAGECOACH TO MONTEREY
John Wayne	1.00 — 1.25 — 7.35	12.15 — 3.30
Ella Raines	12.15 — 3.30	5.40 — 7.30 — 9.30
Ward Bond		
1.00 — 3.45 — 7.30 — 9.45	SERGEANT MIKE	THOROUGHBREDS
	2.00 — 5.35 — 9.10	7.35 — 8.40 — 10.20

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"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 13

"Oh, Donald? He's deaf, dumb, and blind Ford,or, and Livia was less convinced of the protective qualities of the others, back. But she must not get angry. A word from him, and their jobs were sats.

Charles put his arm around her waist and drew her to him. He meant to kiss her lips, but Livia's sudden twist made her cheek instead. Otype number three, he decided. He classified all women into three groups — the very easy, the easy, and the less easy. With the latter group, you usually let them have dinner first. He was a talker; and unlike most executives in Hollywood, read books as well as scripts.

"I really would like you to see my library," he told her and laughed, "I mean really to see the books." He was that first editions, among them a red leatherbound complete set of Dickens for which he had paid $700. "And it was a bargain."

The dining-room was empty.

"You remind me of someone," he said absently. They were halfway through the meal.

"An actress?" Livia asked. She wondered if she reminded him of Bert Dinne.

"I guess so," he said slowly.

"I'm supposed to be a 'cross between Greer Garson and Josephine Hutchinson," she smiled.

The red California wine warmed her cheeks and eyes. He brought his chair closer to her and held her hand. Now perhaps was the time to ask his help.

"We're all getting tired," she told him. A flicker of non-interest passed in and out of his eyes. "What's the matter with me?" she suddenly asked him. "Why can't I get on? I may be a bad actress, of course, but no one's ever bothered to find out."

"I think he is all right," he said and added, "I can talk to Schlenker. What you want me to do?" He leaned closer and played with a red-gold curl.

"Not only for me, but the others too."

"Oh, there are others? That might be more difficult." Her eyes sparkled again, and he said, also, "All right, the others as well."

She was happy. And when he said, "Let's drive through the mountains," she agreed. There was the chauffeur. And he was driving at high speed, so he was not dumb and deaf and blind.

But he might have been both when Fordyce looked at her in his car and almost smothered her in a bear-like embrace. She tried to bring her arms up to push him away. And then her mouth until the lips were forced open. She remembered her closed fist against his stomach.

A small trickle of blood started from the corner of his mouth. He stared at her hand. There was no pain, just a very awkward stillness. She waited for the storm to break and moved away from him. The chauffeur drove smoothly.

When she looked at Fordyce again, he was staring ahead. It was hard to know what he was thinking. The trickle of blood had reached his collar.

"Your neck bleeding," she told him coldly. She tried to point with her right hand and gave a cry of pain. He looked at her, and she let her eyes to her wrist. She was crying now.

"I've do the sort of thing that often?" he asked sternly.

She shook her head, biting her lip to hold the pain.

"Let me see it," he said and tried to take the wrist, but she moved quickly away. "Let me see it," he repeated.

She moved to him slowly and felt dizzy. There was some candy and a bottle in a flap in the car. He held it to her mouth.

Stop at the first telephone booth," said Dr. Nelson," Fordyce told his chauffeur. "I'm bringing him a patient."

"I fell down," she told the doctor.

Fordyce drove Livia back to her apartment. He seemed there was another class of girl in Hollywood, and he wasn't going to have it.

"How would you like a part in my picture?" he asked her when they reached her street.

"No."

"It's not a big part, but you couldn't do it with me," he continued. "We start shooting in three weeks — that'll give your wrist a chance to heal."

"I won't do it," said Livia stubbornly. "I think you're horrible."

"Okay—but report to the studio at three weeks from today. He heard the short flight of steps. "And don't worry about the doctor's bill— it's all paid for. From today you're on my payroll."

"No," said Livia.

"Good-bye—I'll send you the script in the morning."

The first person Livia encountered at the studio was Bruce Nolan. He was on his way to the sound stage and the barroom balcony from which he soon would jump twenty feet to the ground for $75 a jump.

"What's wrong?" he asked looking at her wrist, which was still in a small cast.

"Oh, nothing," hurriedly. "I—I fell down." His cool eyes took in the details of her face and dress.

"I read where you had a big part in a picture. What's it's name—something about love and money?"

"June Madness—but it isn't a big part."

"You should complain to Charles Fordyce. He's your friend. He's every woman's friend."

"Bruce — please don't be so mean," she said, eyes large. "Don't let's go somewhere and talk."

"Sorry," he said, "afternoon flicks," he said and strolled away. It was a new casual Bruce, and she did not like him this way. He had left a little faith in her powers to charm him again.

She called at the publicity department. Donald was grateful to her for saving his job.

"I'm going to be over, baby, like no one has before. I'm going to make you the new sensation."

She smiled. Her eyes were almost —only no romance." She escaped and found stage 7. The doorman knew her, and there was no difficulty getting on the set. Bright arc lamps converged on the three principals in the barroom. There were always the same in pictures — the cheap-looking, underdressed girl, the gambler, and the hero. She had forgotten the name of the final free-for-all; the gambler hides the owner proprietor with a diamond pin as his weapon and fights; the actor can gun-play, the gambler and the girl escape through the usual back door.

Bruce was doubling for the hero, and he was practicing to risk his $150,000-per-picture life for the $75 stunt jump. But the hero would do the actual jumping. Livia watched Bruce as he got one foot on the balcony railing, but he was nervous and had to be done over and over again—until the director lost his nervousness.

"You are you—an actor or a stuntman?"

Livia giggled nervously into her handkerchief. And now the camera was ready for the actual jump. The balcony seemed very high from the floor. Suppose Bruce was hurt? Her throat contracted. Suppose he were killed? Then he would never know how much she loved him.

"Bruce!" The word cut through the air with a long time. She knew he would join her. But she finally had to go.

It was late when she arrived at the wardrobe department.

"We'd given you up," said the pleasant-faced woman, through the pins in her mouth.

"Sorry," mumbled Livia. She undressed. "Do they have many accidents?" she asked the dress dresser.

"Who, dear?"

"Stunt-men." The woman draped a twist of silk over Livia's hips and pinned it into place.

"There, that gives you a long sleek look. . . Accidents? Sometimes. Not mostly not. Or there wouldn't be any stunt-men," removed the pins and laughed. And Livia tried to smile. "How is the wrist?"

"That's good."

"I'll bet Jean Arthur rack were magnificent this afternoon. Dressing rooms in various stages of crescendo.

"For Alice Delaware?"

"Yes," the woman nodded and turned her eyes up to the ceiling.

"She's late as usual. We've been expecting her for an hour.

"She was worried. She had no desire to encounter Alice Delaware and did not feel safe until she was out of the studio gate. She helped back to the apartment. She did not know Charles Fordyce was there until she turned on the light and saw him lying on the couch. He had his coat and hat on, and at first she thought he was asleep.

"Did we have a date?" she sat on the couch beside him.

Three weeks had passed since the fight in his car. And Fordyce was still puzzled. She was playing a game, of course. Ambitious girls in Hollywood did not refuse the admiration of an important producer. She was a nice kid though; and whatever her game, he would find out. He was providing she didn't take too long about it.

He enjoyed being with her. He liked the excitement in her eyes when they talked. She would learn and grow. She had infinite possibilities. And if it were the last time — he was going to make an actress of her.

"We'll do a little rehearsing," he said, shoving her gently off his left side, "after we've eaten."

Livia scrambled some eggs. She was not a good cook, but Charles pretended that he was. She knew really was a sweet kid. Had he fallen for her? It was nothing new. He had fallen in and out of love all his life. But the women were usually there, again. It was safer that way—safer for him. Well, no matter for how long, during they were, he could always take care of her.

"Sit next to me," he said to Livia. She was taking off the little green apron when she had worn over her dress she hesitated.

"Still scared?"

"No, but—"

"Sit down."

"I'm being ridiculous, Livia thought, but she left a foot of space between them.

For two hours he destroyed her self-confidence. He told her she would play the part, her voice, her appearance, her gestures.

"You're very charming in real life, but terrible on the screen," he told her. "And you bounce when you walk. You've got to get you'll look like a penguin on the screen.

That line again — and raise your voice at the end— I'm not going to be real like. . .Now smile. . . Oh, my, aren't you pretty when you're angry."

Livia tried to soften him by moving closer, but she might as well have been on the dole. He felt ashamed and moved away. Finally he said despairingly:

"I'm hopeless." He stopped, played teacher and grinned into her disappointed face.

"Not entirely," it went on.

Livia was busy getting up and saying good-bye to Livia and dismissing inwardly the sort of kiss he might get away with, when there was a loud, insistent ringing at the door.

"I'll go see," said Livia.

It was better for him to come down. A boy under the influence of drugs, and supporting Bertha. He was almost sober. "Quick—look at her face."

"My car — all the corner of the street," he said vaguely.

Bertha looked in the passage way. She revived before the doctor arrived. He looked she must go to a hospital.

Her face was badly lacerated.

"I've ruined you," the boy sobbed.

"Stop that," commanded Fordyce. "Why in hell do you drive a car when you're drunk? Where are the police anyway in this damned State?"

Bertha did not want to go to a hospital.

"I'm afraid," she whispered to Livia.

"I'll be with you, darling—all the time," Livia assured her.

"But what are they going to do to me?"

"Only a few stitches," Livia lied. There was a piece of glass deep in her skin. It meant the end of Bertha's un-begun movie career. She had been signed for the leading role in June Madness. And her legion of men. Would they, too, drop away? Yes.

"We'll get in my car," said Fordyce. Bertha cried, and it hurt her face to cry.

The sordid little story was in the newspaper the next day — with pictures. A man who had been on the spot with a camera received $10 a piece for them.

Livia lunched with Fordyce. He was irritable. Another quarrel with Alice.

I waited two hours for you last night," Alice had yelled into a telephone at twelve that morning. "You can't do that to me. I'm going to tell my husband." But Fordyce knew that Alice couldn't say to her husband, "I went to Bert's dressing room. He did not keep a midnight appointment with your wife, so she could make trouble for him in other ways. He almost decided to throw up the picture, and tell them both to jump in a lake. But here was Livia, her blue-gray eyes were troubled. He would be grateful to him. And grateful girls were kind and yielding.

"Poor Bertha," she said, her eyes filling with tears.

"Poor Bertha nothing," snapped Fordyce. "What do you suppose when you go about with drunks? She's lucky it wasn't worse. Look: if you want to get on in this business, don't go out with drunks. I've seen too many directors and actors getting $5,000 and $10,000 a week, and throwing it all into a bottle of liquor. Stay away from them. They drag you down with them; if it's the last damn thing they do."

There was fear in her pald face. "I'll be good," she said. "I'm fine. Remember, I'm on your side as long as you're a business, stay away from drunks."

She almost told him, "My father is Bert Dinne." She pictured the new look on the director's face. He would find it strange to have nothing to do with the daughter of a drunk. "I must find him," she decided. What if he were an extra in her own film?

(To be continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

SATURDAY, FEB. 10

6.00 p.m.
WGR, WBEN—News; Sport.
6.15 p.m.
CBL—CBC News.
CFRB—Broadway Bandwagon.
6.30 p.m.
CBL—Dorian Echoes.
CKOC—Dinner Date
6.45 p.m.
CBL—BBC News.
7.00 p.m.
WBEN—Great Gildersleeve
WKBW-CBS—Mayor of the Town
CFRB—We Mediaigh.
7.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—The Saint
CFRB—Double or Nothing
WKBW-CBS—America in the Air
WGR-Blue—Melody Mary.
8.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Gaslight Gaities
CJBC—Two-Piano Team
WGR—Army American Dance
WKBW-CBS—Danny Kaye Show
8.30 p.m.
CJBC—Boston Symphony
CFRB—Going to the Chair
CBL—CBC—Share and Share Wealth
WBEN—Truth or Consequences
WKBW-CBS—Big Town Drama
9.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Barn Dance
WJR-WKBW-CBS—Hit Parade
9.45 p.m.
CFRB-CBL—N.H.L. Hockey
9.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Can You Top This?
CJBC-NBC—Barn Dance
WKBW-CBS—Dan Dungan
9.45 p.m.
WBEN-CBS—Saturday Serenade
10.00 p.m.
WBEN-WGY—Party
10.15 p.m.
WKBW-CBS—Al Pearce Show
10.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Grand Old Opery
CFRB—Hit Parade Orchestra
WGR-Blue—The Man Called X
CFRB—Paul Firman Orchestra
11.00 p.m.
CFRB—Syvs. 11.30—Major Elliott
CBL—BBC Newsreel
WBEN—News
CKEY—News; Mickey Lasker
11.15 p.m.
CFRB—George Olsen Orch.
CBL—British Tuneup

SUNDAY, FEB. 11

6.30 p.m.
CJBC-B—Paul Whiteman Show
CFRB-CKOC—Cobb and Harriett
6.30 p.m.
CFRB—Green Hornet
WKBW-CBS—Fannie Brice Show
CBL—Vancouver Symphony-
7.00 p.m.
CJBC—Cleveland Symphony
WBEN-NBC—Mail Bag
WGR-CBS—Kate Smith Hour
7.30 p.m.
CBL—"I for Lanky"
CKEY, WBEN-NBC—Bandwagon
8.00 p.m.
CBL, CKOC-NBC—Bergen-Mc Carthy
CFRB—TransAtantic Call
WGR-CBS—Blondie
8.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—One Man's Family
CFRB—Dorothy Dinsy
CBL—Weekend Review
WJR,WKBW-CBS—The Crime Doctor
8.45 p.m.
CKOC—Dr. E. T. Salmon
9.00 p.m.
CFRB, WGR, WJR—Radio Digest
CBL—Stage 45
WBEN, WGY-N—Merry-Go-Round
9.30 p.m.
CBL, WBEN—The Album of Music
CKEY—Frank Bogart, piano
WGR, CFRB—Star Theatre
10.00 p.m.
CBL—CBC National News
CFRB—Hermit's Cave
WBEN, WGR—Hour of Charm
WGR-B—Life of Riley
10.15 p.m.
CHML—Hockey
10.15 p.m.
CBL—L. W. Brockington
10.30 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—Mark Carleton
WBEN-NBC—Harold Stanley Show
WKBW-CBS—We, the People
11.00 p.m.
CBL—BBC Newsreel
WBEN—News
11.15 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Vera Brodsky
11.30 p.m.
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The City Engineer will exhibit and explain the plan of the proposed highway.

There will also be a ratepayers' meeting for discussion and the Council will welcome suggestions.

Not only those whose properties will be affected directly, but all who are interested are especially urged to attend this meeting.

In addition to the Regional Planning Committee, his Worship the Mayor and all members of the Council will be present and prepared to answer questions that may be submitted in writing.

By Order of Council,
C. R. GILLETT,
Chairman of Regional Planning Committee.
P1,8,10

14 Lives Lost In Blizzard In New England

Boston, Feb. 9 — (AP)—A raging blizzard swirled northward from New England today leaving a lengthening list of dead in its wake and a snowy blanket that carried down wires, damaged other property, and paralyzed rail, highway and air transportation.

The storm took a toll of 14 lives. Property damage was expected to run into millions.

Germans Order Danes To Care for 10,000 Wounded Germans

London, Feb. 10 —(CP)— The Moscow radio said yesterday the Germans had ordered Danish authorities to make preparations to care for 10,000 German wounded, thus creating a serious situation in already crowded hospitals in Denmark.

MILLIONS UPON MILLIONS OF WORDS
Paris, Feb. 10 —(AP)— More than 100,000,000 words of news have been cleared through censorship since D-Day, Supreme Headquarters announced yesterday. Headquarters and British Ministry of Information censors have passed 1,500,000 photographs and approximately 2,000,000 feet of moving picture film.

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(By T.E. Pinder in the Legionary)
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We were formed into two long columns five abreast and about 600 in each column. We began to wonder was afoot when we looked three guards and two machine-guns to each sentry-box and about half the German army around the fence, armed to the teeth with light and heavy machine-guns, grenades and rifles with fixed bayonets. We were pretty quiet then, but every time the various mass murder stories we'd heard about the Nazis and didn't make us feel very happy.

A light was on and then there appeared an officer with enough braid and medals to be a stand-in for Goering himself. More hard clickings and salutes, and he turned to us and, through an interpreter, in a good glaring-over, proceeded to read us a long proclamation. Words such as "pirates" were fairly frequent, and after a while we began to get the drift, owing to an incident that had occurred on the Dieppe beach and together with a small Commando raid a short time later, we were to have our hands tied together "until the British Government should appoint one to the Reich," or words to that effect.

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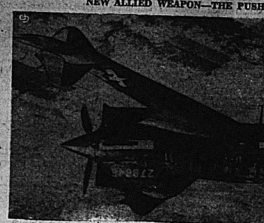
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Yugoslavia's Royal House Has Bad Record

The ascendancy of Marshal Tito in Yugoslavia may mean the end of the "Black George" dynasty, the line of the Karageorgevitch kings who came from the soil at the beginning of the 19th century in the long struggle against the Turks, and who have ruled the most turbulent country in Europe for nearly 150 years. Fred St. Goodchild writes in The Vancouver Province.

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His courageous deeds and his strategy in warfare brought him fame and respect and he was made king in 1808 in a spirit of revolt against the Russians, who were gaining ascendancy in the country. The Serbs wanted something at the head of the country whom the Russians would respect so they made their guerrilla chieftain king. His dynasty lasted only a few years. Fred St. Goodchild writes in The Vancouver Province.

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Their conduct and plotting provoked an uprising and they were both slain with eight others in their palace one night. That was in 1903.

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Capital Closeups

By JACK BRADLEY
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 19 — Maj.-Gen. Arnprialle's New High Commissioner to here in a few weeks and move into the Wilfrord Street official residence becoming his country's first career diplomat to hold such a post.

He succeeds Sir William Glasgow, a non-civil servant responding to public service.

Canada also has recently made two important diplomatic appointments, both from the ranks of permanent diplomatic service staff. They are Leonard Couillard Pearson, ambassador at Washington, and Dr. R. Mexico City. Their predecessors were called to public service from private life.

Jeepers! In the capital the other day trying to thumb a service flight to Canada. Alfred Bentley, Canadian correspondent Gerry Clark of the Montreal Gazette.

He came home to find out what people want to know about so guide him in his coverage of news budget. He was surprised that most people had to second to need filling in on background such as explanations of what the Army Group —Field Marshal Montgomery's command, Canadian group of armies —is and he found a little bit more news on daily life in liberated areas. A lot of people are interested on the part of many persons to believe that some stories, pictorial proof was produced, and others just didn't want to be shocked by the stories.

He is one of the old army game of scrounging if necessary, Fleming and said the amazing jeep is looked upon as the last game in all creation. He told stories of Jeeps being "borrowed" away in ferries, repainted and renumbered and, of course, Jeeps being among drivers to chain their snub noses to the power poles and trees.

He had scrounging story was about an unhoused artillery troop which was ordered into a country hotel cation was going to move into some Canadian German, pre-fabricated quarters on a hill. Night, the gunners got a couple of jorries, drove down the barracks in sections, and installed the huts on their own unbelieved site where they were found in the morning. Artillery arrived next day to find no accommodation.

Fourth Estate: Tomorrow is the day the parliamentary press gallery elects its new slate of officers for the year and one or the first things the new president may do is pay his respects to the speaker.

Like the members of parliament, gallerymen are forbidden only to the speaker and walk freely through the lobbies. The doors of the Senate and Commons are the only ones barred to them while they in turn can refuse all but Mr. Speaker admittance to their own bailiwick.

FIRST STUDIO PORTRAITS

North Bay, Feb. 10 — (CP) — The Dionne Quintuplets, who have been photographed in their home himself, by newspaper photographers and motion picture cameramen, yesterday had their first portrait sittings at a photographer's studio.

The girls, almost 11 now, work their purple Princess coats and brown accessories. They spent the afternoon in the studio watching the process of developing their pictures after they were taken.

In Manhattan

By MICHAEL O'MARA

(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

New York, Feb. 10 — (CP) — Drama Critic — even the chronic Gregorians — took time out during a brief respite from the critic coming duel to remark that the 1944-45 theatrical season already has achieved considerable distinction.

Standard of the general run of this year's plays and musicals is reasonably high, the still-frequent turkeys shad come along die with commendable speed for the most part, there are a few plays of genuine merit and several particularly outstanding performances now are on view.

Among the latter, on careful consideration, appears to be one piece of acting that places it ahead of the rest — top on the American theatrical all-time "Treats" list. That is the performance turned in by the veteran Tyrrell Day, who has turned to Broadway to star in "Harvey."

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Donaldson and Mr. and Mrs. A. Greatrix were Friday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. McGuire, Bellevile.

Mr. and Mrs. Wasden attended the Lahey—Kielty wedding on Saturday morning in St. Michael's Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Atkins attended the euchre party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Reid, Front Road.

Mrs. Chas. Kierl spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Winchester, Bellevile.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Lancaster, of Belleville, had supper and spent the evening on Monday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Irwin and Mrs. J. Irwin, Belleville, spent Sunday with Mrs. R. Lander.

Mrs. Chas. Boulstridge, Mrs. E. Vivian, Mrs. Chas. Kierl and Mrs. C. Greatrix attended the W. M. S. at Shannonville on Thursday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ken Thompson, who were recently married.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Howe and Mrs. Howe and Teddy spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. Bunnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Atkins and Harry, had dinner on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Browning.

Lac. J. Blunden, R.C.A.F., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. F. Leaming.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Donaldson called on Mr. and Mrs. E. Vincent on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Vivian attended the funeral of the late Grant Shetler, Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Way were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. W. Gray.

Mrs. F. Haight spent a few days last week with her sister and husband, Mrs. A. Chambers and Mr. Chambers, Stirling.

Mrs. Milton Crawford spent a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Cecil Mills, and also visited at the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gray, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reid left on Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. F. Simmons.

Mrs. J. Craig spent a few days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dargan, Ivanhoe.

Mrs. R. Mitchell is visiting with her, daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tucker and Mr. Tucker, Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Leeming, Mr. and Mrs. F. Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. D. Leeming were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wood.

The Second Line friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lynch and Mr. Vincent Lynch extend their sympathy in the loss of the latter's wife, the late Mrs. V. Lynch, of Toronto.

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West Huntingdon

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Personals

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Fargey, Carol and Kenneth spent a few days with Mrs. Tom Rollins at Fuller.

Mrs. Clifford Green and George were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton, of Belleville.

Mr. Craig of Marlow, is wiring Mr. Harold McGee's buildings for Hydro power this week.

Mrs. Tom Emerson and Jean were Wednesday guests of Mrs. F. Pitman of Belleville.

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CANADIANS CAPTURE KLEVE

RUSSIANS LAUNCH NEW DRIVE IN S. GERMANY

Americans Clear Half of Major Road Junction of Pruem

Floods Loosed by Germans Immobilize Two U.S. Armies

By JAMES M'LONG
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 12 (AP) — Kleve, northern anchor of the Siegfried Line, was captured today by the 1st Canadian army.

The city of 2,000 lies 12 miles west of Nijmegen, starting point of the Canadian and British offensive. Reduced to smoking junk by artillery and artillery poundings, it was the largest place yet captured in the five-day-old drive.

Some 115 miles south, the U.S. 3rd army won half of the major traffic centre of Pruem, which the Germans apparently were abandoning.

In between, Roer River floods created by German breaching of headwater dams kept the U.S. 1st and 3rd and he British 2nd armies immobile, the reservoirs behind the opened dams still were draining but the Roer, two miles wide at one place, did not appear to be rising further than the seven-foot stage already reached at some points.

Allied Bridge Enlarged

The Canadian, British and Scottish bulge was enlarged on both the north and south ends of the Kleve sector, and Allied lines encompassed more than three-fourths of the Reichs Forest. The Allies were beyond the main defences of the original Siegfried Line in the north.

The Canadians cleaned the low Rhine lands up to a railroad connecting Kleve with the river and forced the enemy back, leaving the mills north of Kleve to the Rhine.

At points south of Kleve, the Allies were within 22 miles of Wesel on the Rhine, nearest city of the great Ruhr industrial valley.

The Canadian Army by-passed or captured Udenhorn, Wassenberg, Wardhen and Brienen in its advance toward the Rhine.

In the centre of the front, the United States 4th Division cleared half of the major road junction of Pruem behind the widely-breached Siegfried Line. This road-rail traffic centre is eight miles inside Germany and 40 miles from the Rhine at Koblenz.

Between the focal points of battle, floods loosed by the German breaching of the Schwammenauel dam flood-immobilized the United States 9th and British 2nd armies. Water from the Roer, over which was a rampaging river two miles wide at one point, Wednesday set feet from the top of the dam and flooded the five-mile-long reservoir flooding the Roer Valley.

The British and Canadian troops of Gen. Crerar's command were in control of three fourths of the Reichswald thickets of fir trees, and crossed in force the Spoy canal linking Kleve (pop. 20,000) to the Rhine, four miles south.

The Netherlands border town of Gennep nine miles northeast of Kleve was captured and the Niers river to the east was crossed. Vanguards passed a road through the shell-splintered Reichswald a mile north of Kessel, which lies four miles northeast of the West Wall road centre of Goch and 20 miles west of Kleve. The prisoner bag since D-Day, most of them teenage youths or fifteen men.

Amphibious Operations

Fighting in the Rhine elbow between the medieval fortress ruins of Kleve and the river was described as almost an amphibious operation because of the extensive thaw and flooding of the sadly drowned German plain flatlands. A growing array of amphibious equipment including Buffaloes and ducks kept the offensive on the move within 22 miles of Wesel, northern gateway into the prized Ruhr industrial valley.

(The Germans said "the enemy is breaking through our Maas river defences near Kleve and that preparations were proceeding for an impending large scale offensive in the Aachen-Venlo area.")

Hopeful Many War Prisoners Gain Freedom

Moscow, Feb. 12. (AP) — Allied military missions in Moscow are hopeful that the current widescale operations of the Red Army may result in the release of numerous British, American, Canadian and French war prisoners.

Marshal Konev's latest break through in Silesia has brought him to within thirty miles of Sagan on the Bober River, believed by the American military mission in Moscow to be the last stie of Stalag Luft III.

Stalag Luft III near Dresden is the camp where fifty airmen, including six members of the R.C.A.F., were shot last summer after an escape attempt.

It is estimated that some 600 Canadians were held in prisoner of war camps in Eastern Germany and Poland. Most of them are believed to be in Stalag 344 at Stalag 8-B at Teschen, southeast of Krakow in Poland; at Stalag 3-D at Berlin and in Pomerania, and at Stalag 344 at Lamsdorf southeast of Breslau in Silesia.

Occupants of some of these camps are believed to have been moved westward by the retreating Germans.

Canadian Troops at Kleve Now Well Into Second Line Hun Defences

(By DOUGLAS AMARON)
(CP War Correspondent)

With the Canadian Army in Germany, Feb. 12. (CP Cable)—Canadian Highland troops, fighting around Rindern, 2 1-2 miles northwest of Kleve, have run up against some of the stiffest opposition encountered by the Canadians since breaking out onto the Polder land to the east of Nijmegen.

In difficult fighting yesterday they killed thirty Germans and captured a number.

This fighting developed as British and Canadian troops of the command cleared the Germans from the Reichswald forest. Fighting flared last night in the southern half of the strongly-held Siegfried Line northern anchor.

Scottish troops on the army's right flank pushed on today for The Netherlands village of Genep, just east of the Maas river.

On the north, meanwhile, Canadians pushed on through flooded country to capture the village of Middelaar, three miles northeast of Kleve. They entered Rindern on the southeast, but because of floods not from the north. Other Ontario Highland troops pushed speedily against Difterwiek.

Although the pace of the army has been spectacular, the troops at Kleve are about seven miles beyond their starting line and are well into the area of the Hun defences. The prisoner bag is around 500.

The Germans began yesterday to show increasing signs of weakness and considerable movement from the east towards the battlefield was observed by airmen. The enemy defence system is one of depth, though, and progress must necessarily be slow.

During the weekend I visited some Canadian troops who had been hoeing their way over the flats between the Reichs Forest and the Rhine and Wall Rivers and it is very easy to understand why they had been dubbed "water rats" by their divisional commander.

Water is pouring from the Wall river through a gap in the bank of the dyke, blown some time ago by the Germans, and is 12 to 15 feet deep in some places and village-high. Isolated, with only the top storeys of houses

British soldiers, who worked with the 1st Canadian Army on the Scheldt Estuary island of Walcheren are back in Canada on the Scheldt during the campaign to open Antwerp to clear the estuary of Germans to permit unloading of the fleet of Antwerp, 40 miles up the Scheldt, as the western ocean approach to the port is cut.

We rode on one of these buffaloes as far as Zantpol, about 4 1/2 miles northwest of Kleve, and then walked along the dike to the village of Kerkedom, about a mile southeast of the Rhine River town of Millingen. This is the area of the new advance for troops of an eastern Ontario battalion which won an assault landing Thursday night to capture Zandpol. Then they cleared the Germans from dike defences between there and Kerkedom.

Zandpol was captured without a fight for the only seven Germans in the village were the battalion Lieutenant-Colonel, who comes from Ottawa, told them their fellow-Canadians had surrounded. This battalion sent a patrol forward as far as Kerkedom, which they also found it unoccupied, the soldiers of the battalion moved in.

The Canadians since then have been greatly bothered by enemy shelling and mortaring. A smoke screen which extends for several miles along the Waal and the Rhine hides them from snipers on the far bank. There have been some casualties from mines but the Germans laid them so hurriedly more than half of those lifted by the Canadian Zandpol and Kerkedom were not fused.

GREEK AGREEMENT SIGNED BY E.A.M. AND GOVERNMENT

Signing Is Expected To Bring Peace and Harmony to Troubled Country

Athens, Feb. 12 — (AP)—Negotiations between Premier Gen. N. Plastiras (National Liberation Front) leaders and the government of Premier Gen. Nikolaos Plastiras were successfully concluded today with the signing of an agreement expected to bring peace to this troubled land.

A brief announcement said the conferees, who have been trying to reconcile their differences for several weeks, finally reached agreement "on all points under discussion" at 4:30 a. m.

A formal session preceded the final signing of the accord, which was limited to a brief protocol because of the hour, the announcement said.

Protocol Announcement

The protocol specified that a detailed statement embodying all points of the agreement would be signed at 10 a.m. (8 a.m. E.W.T.).

It was presumed that a fuller announcement would be issued later concerning the terms of the agreement.

(A Reuters news agency dispatch said the terms included surrender of arms by the E.A.M.-controlled militia of the E.A.M. — to Greek forces under British supervision.

The dispatch said martial law would be terminated, but that certain restrictions on the right of assembly and the freedom of the press would be retained.

Present at the signing were Harold Macmillan, British resident minister in the Mediterranean, and Reginald Leeper, British Ambassador to Greece.

Sufficient Reinforcements Overseas to Meet Continuous Operations for Several Months

—McNaughton

Ottawa, Feb. 12 — (CP) — The Canadian Army now has sufficient reinforcements overseas to meet continuing operations over several months, Defence Minister McNaughton said today in a prepared statement.

"The Department of National Defence has received word of the safe arrival overseas of further reinforcement contingents and I can now state that we have behind our army in northwestern Europe adequate reinforcements to make the replacements anticipated to be required in the present operations," Gen. McNaughton said.

"We have substantial further reinforcements in the United Kingdom to meet continuing operations over the next several months. These will be augmented by the continuing dispatch of further members now in training in the training centres in Canada."

Unable to Elaborate

Defence headquarters said they were unable to elaborate on the reference to the latest arrival overseas. They said the troops were classed as "general reinforcements" and they could not say whether the troops were all general service or whether any were drawn from the home defence army.

Gen. McNaughton announced Jan. 20 that 8,300 home defence troops had gone to Britain. At the same time he said 6,300 draftees finished for overseas service had failed to report back to their units after embarkation leave.)

Of the action in which Canadian troops now are engaged Gen. McNaughton said:

"Canadian soldiers are now joined in an offensive which may well be the opening phase of one of the world's most critical and decisive battles. They will play their full part in the final defeat of Germany, secure in their knowledge of the full support of the people of Canada in their great undertaking."

Influence Course at History

At another point he said:

"The battle joined on German soil last week may influence the whole course of history for generations to come. While this battle lasts, the attention of all Canadians should be concentrated on the military tasks ahead. Any distractions from this single objective, however important they may seem to be, must be forgiven in the interests of the army of Canada and all we stand for and hope to stand for in the world."

The minister referred to "accusations made by a section of the press that I have used the power of military censorship to suppress news they would have liked to publish," and said recent amendment of citizens off the Nova Scotia coast was evidence of the necessity for observing security regulations.

He referred also to "careless statements made in this country by men who ought to know better than to bring discredit upon Canadian homes and comfort to the enemy, irresponsible assertions" and said that such accusations he had refrained from giving information because such reticence would have endangered troops.

SUPERFORTRESSES STRIKE IWO JIMA IN HEAVY RAID

Third Attack in As Many Days on Different Targets

Washington, Feb. 12 — (AP) — Superfortresses struck Iwo Jima in ever-increasing strength, struck Iwo Jima in the Volcano Islands today for the third attack in as many days on different targets.

Hitting the enemy hard from Saipan, Guam and India, bases, the raiders also bombed the important Nakajima aircraft plant at Ota, Japan's fifth largest city northwest of Tokyo, and the Nippon Oil refinery at Kawagoon.

The big bombers of the 20th Bomber Command, India, had a field day blasting the Rangoon supply dumps yesterday, dealing a hard blow to the enemy's ability to make war in Burma. All Superfortresses returned to base safely.

The daylight raid today on Iwo Jima, carried out by the 21st Bombardment Command, Saipan, struck at the airfields of Iwo Jima's southern end. The second attack in as many days on different targets.

The 21st Bomber Command at Guam announced the raid on Ota (Saturday), where one of Japan's most important aircraft factories was struck with "excellent results."

This raid probably cost the American forces four B-29s. The command disclosed, while 7 Japanese interceptors were destroyed, 19 planes probably destroyed and 12 damaged.

Two Superfortresses collided over the target and exploded. Two other bombers possibly were lost to enemy fire.

This was the first attack on the Nakajima plant, oldest privately owned aircraft company of Japan.

A United States Pacific Fleet headquarters announcements said army heavy bombers raided Haha Jima in the Bonin Islands Saturday.

JAP DEFENDERS ARE TRAPPED IN NARROW TRIANGLE

American Troops and Armor Aided by Dive Bombers Four in for Kill

Manila, Feb. 12 — (AP)—Manila's blistery-resisting Japanese defenders were trapped in a narrowing triangle between Manila Bay and the winding Pasig river today as infantry, armor and dive bombing troops and armor poured in for the kill, blasting artillery and marine divebombers.

First Cavalry Division columns thrust within a mile of the entrance to the east yesterday after fording the Pasig river, and Filipino guerrillas reported they swept over the Nelson airstrip through the Santa Ana district southeast of the flame-blackened business district, fashioning a firm grip on the entrenched enemy defence garrison in the ninth day of the bloody battle for the capital.

The 37th Infantry Division, meanwhile, fought through to the capital Ermita district, along the south Manila Bay shore in the face of withering fire from Japanese heavy machine guns mounted on or behind 10-foot-thick concrete and old intramuros (walled city) immediately north.

Rake Enemy Positions

American artillery shells and rockets raked the enemy positions.

Meanwhile, the Filipino forces were battling around Nichols Field, at the southern outskirts, and sent units southward within a mile of the American Polo Club.

Seventy-five Marine dive bombers are added their weight to the artillery.

Sheets of flame spread over Corregidor, historic fortress at the entrance to Manila Bay, Saturday night, indicating American bombs might have set off an ammunitions dump.

The Americans now are astride all of Luzon's main highways north of Manila on a long running southeastward from Lingayen Gulf.

AERIAL ATTACKS DESTROY QUANTITY ENEMY EQUIPMENT

Nazi Effort to Move Troops to Bolster Lines Wrecked by Intrepid Airmen

London, Feb. 12 — (CP) — A German effort to move men and material to bolster their lines sagging under Field Marshal Montgomery's offensive in the Kleve was wrecked yesterday by R.A.F. and American planes braving hazardous flying weather. Aerial attacks destroyed more than 1,300 pieces of enemy equipment.

The Germans trusted to a low cloud cover to aid them in a mass road movement but Allied fighters and fighter-bombers operated in three-plane formations broke through the overcast and, broke up the reinforcement attempt.

Most of the action was in a triangle north and east of the Ruhr.

The minister referred to "accusations made by a section of the press that I have used the power of military censorship to suppress news they would have liked to publish," and said recent amendment of citizens off the Nova Scotia coast was evidence of the necessity for observing security regulations.

He referred also to "careless statements made in this country by men who ought to know better than to bring discredit upon Canadian homes and comfort to the enemy, irresponsible assertions" and said that such accusations he had refrained from giving information because such reticence would have endangered troops.

Konev's Tanks Break Into Bunzlau Says Nazi Report

Troops Encircle Breslau Except for 15-Mile Gap

London, Feb. 12 — (CP) — Marshal Ivan Konev, virtually encircling Breslau in Silesia and racing ahead 15 to 27 miles a day, has forced a bridgehead across the Bober River 70 miles due west from Dresden, German broadcasts said today.

The Germans said Konev's tanks had broken into Bunzlau on the Bober, while to the north they had smashed through German defences some 12 miles north of Sagan. "The point is 40-km. 90 miles southeast of Berlin and only 30 miles south of Marshal Gregory Zhukov's 1st White Russian Army which the Germans said had crossed the Oder south of Frankfurt.

Zhukov the Germans said, had made a start to within 15 miles of Berlin, Berlin's Radio put it. The Germans said Zhukov's right wing had penetrated to both sides of Madue See, a lake north of Fyritz, where they were menacing the rear of Stargard, a stronghold of Berlin's eastern defences.

Breslau Besieged

The break-through at Sagan meaned the rail centre of Sorau eight miles to the northwest and indicated that Konev's 1st Ukrainian columns had overcome the fear of German forces dug in on the Oder's left flank between Frankfurt and Berlin.

Sagan is 27 miles west of the furthest point which Moscow has reported as reached.

The break-through there threatened to roll up the southern flank of Berlin's defences within the wedge pointed at Stettin threatening the northern flank.

The drive to Bunzlau took the 1st Ukrainian Army three-fourths the way across Silesia, leaving within 32 miles of Czechoslovakia.

Breslau's only communications were out of the southwest, toward Czechoslovakia.

On the Berlin front, Moscow dispatches said some of the most recent units added to the battle were over new communications systems from bridge-equipped rivers with a clear indication that Marshal Gregory Zhukov might be ready almost any time to open the battle of Berlin.

The big kingpins of Berlin's defence along the Oder, Kustrin and Frankfurt, were beginning to fall away under incessant day and night artillery pounding, Moscow said.

The fire from the Kustrin area this was diminishing, while Soviet units pressed closer to the Frankfurt area supplying Kustrin. The Germans said the Russians had crossed the Oder to the southeast.

The Germans said the Russians had broken into the Frankfurt defences.

Southeast of Breslau, the German communique reported a strong Soviet attack had been beaten back between Bielsko in Polish Silesia and Zywiec in Austrian Silesia to the west on the Moravian gateway to Vienna and Prague.

Enemy Lifelines Stretched Taut

By EDDY GILMORE
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Moscow, Feb. 12 — (AP) — Marshal Ivan O. Konev's drive northwest of Breslau grew fresh German divisions from other sectors for the defence of Saxony today and threatened the enemy's lifelines between Berlin and Munich.

The Germans said Russian tanks and mobile infantry were trying to cross a waterway between the Oder River and Saxony—which, if true, might be the Bober river west of Sagan—and Marshal Georgi Zhukov's High Command made no admission of such operations.

Dispatches said, however, that Red Army units were pressing on from the Elsterg toward Dessau on the Route 18 miles to the west and the main Saxony-Silesia highway.

German troops from Saxony and Italy were in the latest groups of reinforcements taken as the Germans sought to stem Konev's massive drive.

The German High Command this morning was trying to plug gaps in the Oder army front, now more than 500 miles long, and the effort was straining their reserves to the limit.

Konev early today had expanded the width of his bridgehead to break through to more than 100 miles and gone westward to a depth of 30 miles.

His drive across the main railway from Berlin and the big auto highway to Dresden have cut off Silesia from the rest of Germany. Red army dominion of the entire Silesian area is a fact.

said Moscow dispatches.

The fall of Deutsch Krone, 43 miles from the Baltic, virtually settled the fate of the German garrison in the railroad town of Schneidemuhl, 24 miles to the southeast.

The Germans said the Russians had broken into the Schneidemuhl defences.

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Weather Forecast

Lake Superior—Fair and cold tonight. Tuesday, partly cloudy with moderate to occasionally strong winds in west portion.

Kenora and Rainy River — Fresh winds, partly cloudy and moderate cold tonight and Tuesday with occasional flurries.

Manitoba —Fresh winds with snowfalls tonight and Tuesday, lower temperature today and Tuesday.

PRISONERS CAPTURED

Auchinleck, Scotland (CP) — Prisoners of war recently escaped from a hospital in this Ayrshire town were recaptured after one day's freedom. They were caught here wearing civilian clothing. They declined the hiding place of the third.

APPEAL TO WORKERS

London, Feb. 12 (CP)—An appeal to German railway workers to go on strike and sabotage Germany's transportation system to help shorten the war was broadcast by the BBC last night under sponsorship of Allied supreme headquarters.

'We Will Make Rhine French Stream', De Gaulle and Giraud Reconciled

(By JOSEPH DYNAN)
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Metz, France, Feb. 12. (AP)—Gen. Charles De Gaulle dramatically completed reconciliation with Gen. Henri Giraud over the weekend by parading side-by-side with his erstwhile political rival in Metz this morning a two-day trip through recaptured Alsace-Lorraine.

Garbed in battle dress, De Gaulle's route endured chilling rains to greet with wild ovations the provisional government chief who reiterated France's determination to extend her authority to the west bank of the Rhine.

Gen. Giraud, pre-war military governor of Metz, made the trip to Metz from his home in Dijon to welcome De Gaulle.

"We will make the Rhine a French stream from one end to the other", Gen. de Gaulle told the Metz townspeople, "and this will symbolize the obligation of victory — a durable one this time—and of refound 'grandeur'."

Appearing alluding to his reference from the "Big Three" Conference, Gen. de Gaulle said at a reception that it was a "great honor that is being prepared for us" but that "there is no peace—obviously preferable to war.

Coming Events

RESERVE MARCH 1st, FOR RED Cross Tea and sale of Home cooking, Knitting and other articles at Bridge St. Church. adv. F13

AUNT JEMIMA AND HER ASsistants invite you all to a Pancake Tea, Tuesday, February 13, at Emmanuel Church Sunday School, Bridge St. Admission 2.30 to 7 p.m. Auspices of Young Women's Guild. Donation 25c. F13

BINGO TONIGHT AND EVERY Monday night, Trenton Memorial Centre, 8 p.m. 2 special games, 5c. prize $5. 4 regular games, 25c. prize $2. 4 50 games for 25c. prize $2. F12

RESERVE FRIDAY, FEB. 23rd, for "Quinte Skating Club" brilliant Ice Show, starring Canadian figure skating champions of Toronto Skating Club and University Club. Reserved seats Bill Cook's Cigar Store, 3c. F12-3t

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB OPEN meeting, Tuesday, February 13 at 8.15 p.m., St. Andrew's Church Hall. Speaker: Mr. Dan Reid. Subject: "Camera Trails Along Nature Paths." F10-3t

BINGO TONIGHT, 8.30, MACC Club Rooms, Front Street. 25 games 25c. Door prize. Auspices Ladies' Auxiliary Canadian Legion. Everybody welcome. M26MAY

City and District News

ROSSMORE RESIDENT CRASHES THROUGH ICE

Plunging down through deep snow covering the bay near the Bay Bridge, A. E. Clark, Rossmore resident, narrow escape when the thin ice covering Long Bay and he crashed through into the water. He had been walking along the Bay Bridge Road when the wind blew his hat off and he dashed to the bay in an effort to retrieve it.

As he plunged into the icy water, he had just enough presence of mind to hold on a large stone, and succeeded in extricating himself from his predicament. He stated afterwards that the water was over his head, and only by dint of hard work was he able to save himself. He eventually reached the road, and regained home before his clothing froze. A number of motorists passed him without an offer of assistance, he said. A Mr. Redward, assisted him in removing his wet clothing and he was put to bed. He suffered no ill effects from his early ducking.

INQUEST NECESSARY IN BODY'S DEATH

While playing in the vicinity of the Canadian National Railways tracks, south of Peterborough, 12-year-old Richard Wheatley, of Peterborough, was instantly killed when he was struck by a C.N.R. freight train on Sunday afternoon, Provincial Constable Pete Pejoe Morris investigated and later it was announced through Provincial Police that an inquest would be necessary.

BOY STEPS FROM CURB INTO PASSING CAR

Walking out from a Front St. curb in the face of traffic on Saturday evening, ten-year-old Buddy Bedford of this city, was knocked to the pavement by a passing motor car driven by Carman Hinchey, who immediately stopped his vehicle and picked the lad up. "The injured boy was taken to the office of Dr. T. L. Hastings, Bismuth St., where it was disclosed that the child sustained a cut on the side of his head. Otherwise he showed no outward signs of being hurt. Later Mr. Dafoe reported the matter to the police, stating the lad had walked out from the curb directly into the path of the northbound car. It was snowing and visibility was poor at the time, police added.

TRUCK CUT IN TWO BY FREIGHT TRAIN

Harry Burkett, Frankford transport driver, narrowly escaped death within a large Roberts Transport that he was driving stalled on the Canadian Pacific Railway tracks, two miles west of Belleville early Monday morning and was later cut in two when struck by a C.P.R. freight train.

With Driver No. 2 in an icy condition and heavy icy ruts in the surface of the road, the driver of the Transport's transport stalled as it rolled upon the tracks. Mr. Burkett tried in vain to get the heavy tractor-trailer off the C.P.R. crossing before the C.P.R. freight train approaching from the east struck the transport in the middle, cutting it completely in half. In the meantime Mr. Burkett had gone to procure assistance to remove the stranded heavy truck. Traffic Officer Harry Callender investigated the accident. It took several hours to clear away the wreckage.

WOLVES DRIVEN TO LOWER LEVELS

Inability to secure food, due to heavy snow in their native woods, is driving wolves by the lower levels of the county in increasing numbers.

Recently Harry Doughty, of Madoc Township, set a trap for a fox but instead caught a timber wolf. Arnold Empey, a neighbor, caught another on Monday and both were destroyed. Both animals were of large size, measuring over five feet of the Empey barns. Other wolves have been seen prowling the open fields in the district.

INCOME TAX FORMS TO BE FILED APRIL 30

Although the final date for filing is still more than two months away the making out of income tax returns for 1944 is already beginning to gain the attention of many people, notwithstanding the fact that the special forms will not be made out prior to April 30th.

And incidentally radio announcers and The Canadian Press wire service had a slight error last week regarding the date for filing these forms. It was wrongly indicated the final date for same was March 31st but income tax officials in Belleville state that should have been 30th instead. It is still April 30th.

The reason which may be had at the local income tax office is that owing to the change in the exemptions and the same as were filled out one year ago, it includes the charge tables for easy computation of tax and the actual taxable income is determined.

TIRE THIEVES AGAIN ACTIVE IN CITY

Tire thieves were again reported active in Belleville over the week-end when a spare tire and rim, belonging to Cyril Aitcue, of Frankford, was stolen from his parked motor car Saturday night. Mr. Aitkenhead stated his automobile while attending the Belle Theatre Saturday evening. When he returned the spare tire, tube and rim were found to be missing, police were told.

Police Blotter

Thomas Leslie, Clarkpville, informed police that his fox and black dog, an Station Street when the latter ran out beneath the wheels of his motor car, later the dog died, was removed by the city scavenger.

Due to jet rear motor cars driven by Kenneth Thompson, Roslin, and Don Kain, Picton, were in collision on Station Street, Saturday night, minor damage resulted to both vehicles while the steering apparatus of the Kain car was also affected. Investigated and it was deemed no charges necessary as the matter was amicably settled.

Peterborough police reported the theft of a 1939 model Ford sedan bearing 1944 Ontario license number 21-6618 over the week-end.

Belleville police arrested several drunks and three members of the same number over the week-end, the latter trio is being held pending reports of being absent from their respective units without leave.

How 48-Hour Week Schedule is Arranged

Observance of the 48-hour week schedule as laid down by provincial labor authority changes in customary working hours as far as indicated by revision in working hours in the typical example of what is sometimes necessary in order that the 48-hour working week may be complied with is that of local plant where workers currently enjoy a 44½ hour week. According to the new provincial factory employment law regular hours the first four days of the week, from Friday to noon Saturday do only a half shift, leaving their machines at eleven o'clock in the morning to complete their week's work.

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Obituary

PERCY R. (JACK) FARNHAM

Percy Roy (Jack) Farnham, 12 North Front Street, died in the Belleville General Hospital on Sunday morning after an illness of six months' duration. To many friends in the city and throughout the district the announcement of Mr. Farnham's death will bring sincere sorrow, for he was very widely known and highly respected.

With Midway No. 2 in an icy condition and heavy icy ruts in the surface of the road, the driver of the Transport's transport stalled as it rolled upon the tracks. Mr. Burkett tried in vain to get the heavy tractor-trailer off the C.P.R. crossing before the C.P.R. freight train approaching from the east struck the transport in the middle, cutting it completely in half. In the meantime Mr. Burkett had gone to procure assistance to remove the stranded heavy truck. Traffic Officer Harry Callender investigated the accident. It took several hours to clear away the wreckage.

Mr. Farnham was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Percy Farnham, and for many years of his life was employed there. Eighteen years ago he went to the city to work for the late Mr. Farnham was much interested in sports and was a member of the Intermediate or several years.

Mr. Farnham was keenly interested in amateur sports and gave his support to local baseball and hockey teams. When the Belleville Bisl Wings hockey team won the International Hockey championship in Ontario he was one of the official timekeepers. During his youth he was a member of the Casmilton United Church.

Surviving him is one sister, Miss Helen Farnham of this city, who is employed in the office of the Quinte Milton Public School.

Mr. Farnham's Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street, where the announcement is made in this issue.

SAMUEL COOLEY WAY

Samuel Cooley Way, 276 Coleman Street, who died suddenly on Saturday morning, March 3rd, as the result of an accident at the plant of the Canadian Westinghouse Company Limited, was in his 61st. year, and was born in the 4th. Concession of Thurlow Township, His parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. William P. Way. He was a member of Thurlow Methodist Church.

Surviving him are his wife, the former Violet Downey; One daughter at home, Mrs. Ralph Sharpe (Lois) of Gorman Way; Belleville; one sister, Mrs. Ernest Hubbs, Grand View Drive, Belleville.

Funeral at the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street, Belleville. Announcement is made in this issue.

INFANT LAWRENCE

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence, 10 Concession of Thurlow Township, died in the Belleville General Hospital, on Saturday morning. Interment took place at Victoria Cemetery today.

MICHAEL COUGHLIN (Formerly of Belleville)

Michael Coughlin a former well known Belleville resident, passed away at his home in Toronto on Wednesday, February 7th, after an illness of two months' duration, at his home in Toronto. He was aged 72 years. During his residence here, over fifty years ago, he was engaged in the building of monuments. Later he moved to Toronto where he became established a successful business as a manufacturer and dealer in monuments. Eventually he retired from Toronto and engaged in the same business in Hamilton.

When a resident of this city Mr. Coughlin was a member of St. Michael's Church. Mr. Coughlin was a faithful member of his church and was highly esteemed. Old friends will be sorry to learn of his death.

Surviving are his daughter, Miss Mary Coughlin, Toronto; His wife (Margaret Coughlin) Coughlin died some years ago.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning, Feb. 14th, at 9 o'clock, Requiem High Mass at 9.30 o'clock. Interment will take place in St. James' cemetery, Belleville.

WILLIAM E. CAVERLY (Formerly of Belleville)

William E. Caverly of Strand, Ontario, died in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Barrie, Ontario, on Saturday, Feb. 10th. Surviving him is his wife, the former Irene Hutchings.

The funeral will take place at Barrie on Tuesday, Feb. 13th, and interment will take place at St. Paul's cemetery, Belleville.

MRS. JANE MYLES (Trenton.)

Mrs. Jane Myles, 22 Edward St., Trenton, died at the Belleville General Hospital on Sunday evening. She was eighty-three years of age and was a native of Ireland, having since Dec. 11, last.

MRS. WALTER FOX

Trenton, Feb. 12—Following a lengthy illness Ida Caroline Fox passed away at the residence of R.R. 1, Trenton, (Wooler Road) on Saturday, last, 30th in her 66th year.

Born at Consecon, Ontario, Mrs. Murray in 1878 deceased was a daughter of the late Nelson Dunnet and his wife Lucy Folsom. She was a resident of this locality most of her life, having also lived in Consecon, St. Preston Hill, Ontario, in religion she was affiliated with the United Church of Canada. Surviving her besides her husband are one son Louis who has been serving overseas with the Canadian army and six grandchildren, also a foster daughter, Mrs. Ida Radway and two sisters, Mrs. Wm. Wiley, Frankford, and Mrs. Ed. Alyea, Trenton.

Funeral service takes the direction of O. H. Cobley, was conducted from the family residence on Thursday, Feb. 15 by Rev. Wm. Delve of Wooler United Church.

The bearers were J. Demarsh, A. Forsyth, G. Flynn, D. Seeley, D. McDonald and J. Mansbridge.

Interment was made in Stockdale cemetery, Brighton, attended after the funeral from out of town included Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGowan, Madoc, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Chambers, Rideau.

Out-of-town attendants were: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Connelly; Mrs. John Connelly and Mrs. Alfred Allchurch, Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hubbs, Grand View Drive; Mrs. Frank Moran and Mrs. Jas. McGowan of Belleville; Mrs. Geo. Van-Vanvoldsenburg and Mrs. M. Loan, Havelock.

MRS. MARY JANE WAY (Belleville—Waterloo)

Mrs. Mary Jane Way, widow of David Benjamin Way, died suddenly at the home of her son, Mr. Thomas Mac Phoebe Way, 150 Front Street, on Saturday morning.

Born in Prince Edward County the late Mrs. Way was a resident for advanced age being in her 92nd year. She resided in Belleville and Wellington and for the past 7 years in Waterloo with her daughter-in-law. In Belleville she was a member of the United Church and was highly respected.

Surviving her are two daughters, Mrs. Phoebe Way, Belleville, and Mrs. Arthur Hoose, Medina, N.Y.; two sons, Charles Way, Wellington, and Walter Way of Wellington; 20 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Bevery Seals, Mrs. Ret Hall, Mrs. Ted Coffin, all of Wellington; one granddaughter, Mrs. Lloyd Kerr living with the Canadian Navy. Her husband died in 1917.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, the funeral announcement is made in this issue.

Conservative Women Re-elect Mrs. Harry Rollins

The regular monthly meeting of the Belleville Women's Progressive Conservative Association was held in the clubrooms, Front Street, on Tuesday, February 6th, at 8 p.m. The meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. Harry Rollins. Music for community singing was supplied by the club pianist, Mrs. O. Stackhouse. After the usual business, the following donations were passed by the meeting: Red Cross Comforts Fund, $10 to the L.O.D.E. Navy Fund, $10 to the Army and Navy Ladies, and $10 to the Air Force Ladies. Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Gordon Currie, reported that a total of $978 was given by the Conservative Women's Association of Belleville during the year 1944 to war charities.

Election of Officers.

Mrs. H. Hayes took charge of the meeting for the election of officers, as follows:

President — Mrs. Harry Rollins.
1st Vice President — Miss Gertrude Leslie.
2nd Vice President — Mrs. Chas. Hyde.
Secretary—Mrs. R. Jas. McLaskie.
Treasurer — Mrs. E. Martin.
Flower Convener — Miss Ruth Martin.
Pianist — Mrs. O. Stackhouse.
Auditors — Mrs. Ivan McLeod and Mrs. H. Naylor.
Charitables — Mrs. Peter Ward, Mrs. J. McKenna; Samson Ward, Mrs. H. Naylor; Kingsley Ward, Mrs. R. Simpson; Murney Ward, Mrs. J. Adams; Bleecker Ward, Mrs. C. Calvert; Seldon Ward, Mrs. E. Wilson; Coleman Ward, Mrs. F. Byrne.

Past President — Mrs. H. Naylor.
Honorary Executive — Mrs. Kinney, Mrs. Geo. Reid, Mrs. A. Sadler, Mrs. R. D. Arnott.
Membership — Mrs. Cummer — Mrs. W. H. Lee.
Political Dialogue Given.

A very amusing political dialogue was given by the executive on "Compulsory Conscription," which were ably assisted by Mrs. Arthur Charlton, acting as Head Satan.

A full report on the annual meeting of the Ontario Provincial Conservative Association, was given by Mrs. R. Jas. McLaskie, who attended this convention with Mrs. Harry Rollins, president of the Belleville Association, on Thursday, Feb. 8th, at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto.

The meeting closed with "God Save the King."

Cub Packs Enjoy Game of Hockey

The initial game of a series between the First and Fourth Belleville Cub packs was played last Saturday. The hockey equivalent of soccer, but basebally provided thrills and laughs for the 10 to 12 year old boys resulting in a final score of 10-4 for the Fourth Belleville Pack. The game was fast and gave the players, a fine chance to exhibit their sportsmanship that marks a good team and fine Cub.

The line-ups were as follows:
Belleville—Goal, Bill Ireland; goal; Bill Spencer, defence (2); Robert Pearce, defence; Gerald Starling, centre (1); Ron Eaton, wing (1); Glen Blair, wing; spare, Don Cherry.

4th Belleville—Ted Goodier, goal; Jack Canning, defence; Hugh Barclay, defence; Doug Phillips, centre (3); John Thompson, wing (3); Don Barclay, wing (6); spares, Jerry Langman, Lawrence Cornish, Wayne Bovay, Refaree — Barry Cornish.



ASSEMBLY

GUEST SPEAKER:

As the special speaker in our Naval Week program, Dr. Cronk delivered a very interesting address to the student body. He explained the fact that education was a prime factor in our public health system.

LEATHER PUSHERS:

An original feature of our assembly was the presentation of two exciting boxing bouts under the supervision of Mr. Townsend. The first of these was between "Sunny" Jim Hall and Jack Morgan and although no knockdowns were scored, plenty of action was provided. The second bout saw Ronnie Wood trade punches with Scott Dennon. In the closing seconds of this encounter, Legate, momentarily caught off balance, bowed to his opponent, who bounced back to register some telling blows in the region of—finally right eye. The referee's main observation was that everyone got punished around except Mr. Townsend.

MUSCLE TWISTERS INC.

Those two wrestling rascals of the year, Bill Ackerson and Harry Abbott took the stage in the assembly in their hilarious interpretation of a wrestling match. Referee Mr. Cecil Anderson as the third man finally succeeded in separating at each other with a roll and crocodile tears for the wife until some sort of a conclusion was reached.

ONE LONG! TWO SHORT:

Under the direction of Miss Morton, the girls of XII and XIII English presented a very entertaining and truant in troupers, presented a humorous interpretation of the walk. The ease and precision with which the girls executed this dance was a credit both to themselves and their instructress.

DEMONSTRATION OF CONDENSATION:

An exhibition of skill on the parallel bars was given by Grant Hutton and George Carrow. The boys performed a number of clever manoeuvres in such a way as to thoroughly bewilder the audience. Very fine display of skill.

SPORTS AND MUSIC ON THE SCREEN:

Two movies were shown to the assembled students, the first being demonstration of the correct methods of high-jumping, pole vaulting, broad-jumping etc. This movie was produced by sports experts particularly appreciated by the audience. Mr. Gay, of Grade IX, was the second film and the beautiful scenery and this great composer was the highlight of the movie. Beethoven's works were woven into the story in a very effective manner.

HIGHER AND HIGHER:

The stage was wet with honest sweat as the pyramid builders plied their trade under the direction of Mr. Townsend. The combined teamwork of these boys was well demonstrated as human flesh and curtains pulled after the spectacular stunt "pyramids" the applause rang tumultuously.

—W.J.B.

BOYS' SPORTS

BASKETBALL:

FLASH—B.C.I. Defeats Trenton.

Last Tuesday after 4:30 p. m. our fleet-footed basketball team covered a willing but inexperienced Trenton cage team to the tune of 56-18. Showing too much cage skill general finish around the basket proved a disappointing little difficulty in racking up their second victories with a score of 56-18. Our skill stands in first place in the Bay Shore C.O.S.S.A. as a result of this win. Tomorrow we journey over to Stirling to take on their Secondary school team while on Wednesday our Junior boys travel to Picton College to play a return game from that not too well chosen opponents. You still have time to subscribe over its same old French and Math. etc. that you forget to learn or by some queer circumstance you missed last year.

Keep in your clogset you discover that by this time all the masters have your number and know all your little idiosyncrasies, and your fellowman the turtle you find that every time you come out of

BACK AGAIN!
SE... WHICH HAVE BEEN SHORT.
MAX FACTOR
LIP STICK 75c
NIVEA CREME
Large Jar $1.00
ARRID, NON-SPI
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For Stomach Troubles
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MASONIC FUNERAL

The Brethren of Moira Lodge, A.F. & A.M., No. 11, G.R.C., and Sister Lodges are requested to assemble at the Lodge Room on Sunday, February 12th., 1945, at 1.00 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother William Wannamaker. Service will be held at the home at 1.15 p.m.

By order of the Worshipful Master.
JOHN W. COOK,
Secretary.
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CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends of Zion Hill and District, we wish to extend our sincere thanks for the many expressions of sympathy and kindness and lovely gift which we received on our departure from your neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sims.

Your shell you're promptly forced to climb back for reasons not necessary to record now.

The tables seem to have turned and you find yourself making life as unpleasant as possible for your companions, the poor little ninth formers.

This year instead of being pushed in the corridor wall at ten dances, you find that you are actually glad to dance by some of those creatures. Instead of being made to grade nine, if grade ten hops all the way to grade ten, you have three more years to go.

(To be continued)

—J.C.

LETTERS TO SYLVESTER

Dear Sylvester:

My problem is great. I am having trouble with my hands. They are continually getting better what I do about them? Can't help myself with my hands. My friends are even talking about it. What should I do?

Signed: Sadsack.

Dear Sadsack:

I have considered your problem and have my advice. When you are receiving your report card keep your eyes on the dealer. He sometimes forgets to put a test over on the dock. This can spoil a hand quickly. If you can slip an ace or two up your sleeve during the game, I think you will find a great improvement in your hands.

Signed: Sylvester.

La dixième Fevrier, 1945

Mon Cher Sylvestre:

J'ai perdu ma plume dans le jardin de ma tante. C'etaile-la une bonne plume de, l'encre coule bien. Comment la retrouverai-je?

Signed:
Un Cercon Troubie.

Mon Cher Troubie:

Je vous prie pardon. J'ai perdue me vocabulaire Francais dans le jardin de la Collegiate!

Ah! Que je suis bete!

—S.N.C.

ARMEEN EVACUATED

London, Feb. 12 — (CP)—Seventy American and British airmen have been evacuated from Bucharest after being evacuated from Hungary by their Army troops, the Foreign Office said today. The airmen had been in Rumania all over Yugoslavia after raids on Hungary and Austria.

BIRTH

ARMSTRONG — At the Belleville General Hospital on Saturday, February 10th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Armstrong, a daughter.

LAWRENSON — In Belleville General Hospital on Friday, February 9th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lawrenson (nee Hilda Boldrick) a daughter.

WALSH — At the Belleville General Hospital on Saturday, February 10th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Walsh, Centryville, a son and daughter.

SIMS — At the Belleville General Hospital on Friday, February 16th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sims, Tweed, a daughter.

ANDERSON — To Squadron Leader (Dr.) and Mrs. Reginald Anderson at the Belleville General Hospital, Sunday, February 11th, 1945, twins, George and Virginia.

DEATHS

WAY — Suddenly in Belleville on Saturday morning, Feb. 10th, 1945, Samuel Cooley Way, 276 Coleman Street, in his 61st. year.

Resting at the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street, where the funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon.

Interment Victoria Cemetery.
Feb. 10-2t

WAY — Suddenly in Belleville on the home of her daughter, Mac Phoebe Way 150 Front Street, on Saturday morning, February 10th, Mrs. Mary Jane Way widow of David Benjamin Way, and one time of Wellington.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, where the funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon, February 14th. Interment at the convenience of the family.

FARNHAM — In the Belleville General Hospital on Sunday evening, February 11th, Percy Roy (Jack) Farnham, 12 N. Front Street. Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, from whence the funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon, February 14th. Interment at the convenience of the family.

JAPS SHIFT PRISONERS

Washington, Feb. 10 —(AP)—The Japanese shifted 177 American prisoners of war, including Lt.-Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright, from a prison camp on Formosa to Manchukuo, the War Department announced yesterday. Gen. Wainwright, who became a prisoner in the Philippines after Gen. MacArthur left Corregidor, is the highest ranking prisoner of the Japanese since the surrender of Corregidor on May 6, 1942.

30,000 CATS EATEN

Paris, Feb. 12 (Reuters)—30,000 cats have been eaten in Paris during the past month, it was learned today.



R.A. Pringle Elected Chairman Of Industrial Commission And Program for Year Discussed

Attractive Industrial Folder for City Will be Issued; Steps for Securing Municipal Airport Talked Over

The annual meeting of the Belleville Industrial Commission was held at the Chamber of Commerce on Friday night.

The election of officers resulted in the re-appointment of R. A. Pringle as chairman and of Ald. Lorne McDougall, chairman of industries in the city council, as vice-chairman.

In addition to those mentioned, the following members of the commission were present, His Worship Mayor Follwell, Mr. O. H. Scott, manager of Belleville Public Utilities, Mr. J. J. Tresidder, president of the Belleville Board of Trade, Secretary, Mr. J. B. Boyce, Ald. Harold Woodley and Mr. J. O. Herity industrial commissioner.

The principal business discussed was the program for the coming year.

It was informally decided to take active steps to provide Belleville with a new pictorial folder of the quite attractive character.

Other matters considered were the necessity for an industrial survey, what practical steps should be taken to secure it, and further prosecution of industrial efforts.

The secretary presented a comprehensive report of the commission's activities the past year and a report to the city was made by commissioner for the city. The report follows:

Annual Report.

Belleville continues to make notable progress in every phase of business. In many important respects, the year 1940 was one of steady advancement; in manufacturing, in retail business, in new building and in general civic promotion. The population has grown, new industries have been acquired, scores of homes have been erected and public works of permanent character have been undertaken and completed. All of these various phases of civic life give ample indication that Belleville is not only becoming a larger city but is also getting to be infinitely more desirable as a place of residence and a location for business.

In the year 1940, Belleville secured the location here of four new industries and opened promising negotiations for a number of others. Three of our largest industries are formulating plans which will mean greatly increased factory space, jobs for hundreds more of workers and enormously increased output.

44 Industries in City.

The Swift Canadian Company has acquired a large acreage at the corner of College and Coleman streets where there will be located an enormous chicken-rearing establishment. An all year business will be carried on here by way of growing chickens to the profitable stage when they will be sold to the select trade in Toronto and elsewhere. It is expected that construction of the new buildings and offices will commence as soon as it is practical to do so this coming spring.

Erect Extensive Building.

George Weston Bread & Cakes Limited of Toronto, large manufacturers of bread and cakes, and also largest users of flour in the British Empire, have purchased a well located site at the junction of Wellington and Parker streets where they have erected an extensive building to be used as a distribution centre for their products all over the City of Quinte district. There will be a fleet of trucks, cars and horse-drawn vehicles used which find accommodation here. The main building is now almost completed and will be ready for occupation in a very short time. The company expects to give employment to twenty or twenty-five hands. It is also anticipated that a factory unit will be established here in the not distant future so that the Belleville area may be served more promptly and effectively. The company is ultra-modern and progressive in its policies. It is not many years since the company decided to establish in Great Britain. Their success with this modest way and now they have 78 bread and cake manufacturing establishments, making this the largest unit of its kind in Great Britain, or Ireland.

To Manufacture Stokers.

Arrangements have been completed by which the Stephens-Adamson Manufacturing Company of Canada Limited will undertake the manufacture here of the well known Taylor Multiple Retort Underfeed Stokers, which are produced in the United States by the American Engineering Company of Philadelphia. This will of course mean an augmented staff of workmen at the Stephens-Adamson plant and another line of production which will be in reality an additional industry for Belleville.

William Hamilton Limited of Toronto, manufacturers of biscuits, tea-cream, chocolates and confectionery, have purchased a large site at the intersection of Burton and Wellington streets. Here they plan to erect a distributing warehouse and office to serve Belleville and the Bay of Quinte area.

Equally advantageous to a city is the expansion of existing industries when compared with the acquirement of those that are new to that particular locality.

Three of Belleville's most important manufacturing corporations have been seriously considering the problem of post-war expansion. It seems probable that all three will undertake extension programs which will mean at least one hundred per cent increase in output in all three cases. One of the industries has extended its plans to the accumulation of blueprints for the factory enlargements have been prepared and these designs are carried through to the point of readiness for many hundreds of additional workmen.

Remarkable Expansion.

Statistics of manufacturers taken during the course of 1941 have not been published. The figures show remarkable expansion for Belleville not only during the decade just ended but more impressive still if we go back to 1921 or 1911.

Belleville is now credited with 44 industries with a total capital investment of $11,851,650. There are 2,500 factory hands to whom $46,343 was paid during the preceding year in wages. The cost of the raw materials and fuels during the year was $3,839,183, and the value of the year's output reached the magnificent total of $10,097,991.

Year by year all of these figures are for the year 1941. Since then enormous activity has unquestionably taken place. It would probably be well below the mark to estimate the increase in industries of Belleville now represent at least $3,000,000 more than the $15,000,000, that they give employment to upwards of 2,500 hands and that the annual payroll now represents a total of over $2,000,000. The $10,097,991.000 and that the gross output would be considerably more.

Competent economic authorities assert that an industry is worth the equivalent of the payroll as a permanent asset to any town or city.



—Cartoon by Les Callan, Western Front.

MOVING INTO THE LAST LAP—1945

Pay No Bonuses.

In other words if Belleville paid out $4,000,000 to acquire industries and this $4,000,000 in wages payroll and $4,000,000 it would be a good business. But as a matter of fact Belleville has got its industries for a dollar by way of bonus or special inducement. All of the staff of these splendid industries have come to us without money and without price. The only outlay involved has been the comparatively trifling expense involved in making the office of industrial commissioner.

That four-million-dollar payroll is practically all spent right here with Belleville merchants, professional men, serving industries and also in the payment of taxes. Its importance to the community as a continuous business builder cannot well be overrated.

44 Industries in City.

The presence of those 44 industries in Belleville provides the directors of livelihood for upwards of 2,000 office workers, mechanics and factory employees. The expenditure of $4,000,000 for salaries and wages is the further expenditure of well over four million dollars for raw materials and still another outlay of upwards of half a million dollars for electricity and fuel, and additional disbursements of large amounts to municipal corporations such as gas, wages, and large contributions to the civil treasury in the form of taxes, constitute an aggregate enhancement of the public and economic welfare of our city that is beyond computation.

When you come to analyze and estimate the effect of those huge expenditures year after year there will realize something of the importance of having these manufacturing industries have and will continue to make Belleville and upon its future progress.

All Will Profit.

Every home does and will profit. Every piece of real estate will advance to higher values. Every line of mercantile business and trade will increase its sales. Every professional man will have the opportunity to augment his income.

A quarter of a century ago Belleville had a few languishing industries which were not quite sure where they were going. Today our industries are, in the main, partners in vast corporations. Five of them are subsidiaries of the largest manufacturing organizations in Canada and in the whole world. Those that are locally financed are operated by forward-looking men of ability who have built solid foundation of solid rock. Our future is assured.

Make Extended Tour

During the fall of 1944, the industrial commissioner made an extended tour of the industrial centres of South-Western States. This was the first time that he had visited the States in two and a half years. War conditions, after the American government itself entered the war, had made it extremely difficult to arouse any interest among manufacturers in looking towards expansion in the Canadian field of industrial activity. They were occupy their attention at home in developing the huge contracts without making further commitments elsewhere.

The favorable trend in the course of the war in the late summer occasioned strong hopes of peace that would come to a speedy termination. That optimistic spirit reawakened interest in peacetime industry and the possibility of maintaining something of the wartime volume of production.

About this same time Rotary International honored the industrial commissioner by appointing him to be appointed by all the clubs of Canada on an international committee. Arrangements were made to hold the first meeting of the Committee at Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario, Mr. Hurst-Ass. being a prominent and transcontinental journey had to be abandoned on this Rotary mission, it was thought expedient and advisable to complete the trip to the Pacific coast and to return by the southern route. This design was carried out and with the promise of very happy results.

Popular Error

It is a popular error upon the part of those unfamiliar with the industrial West and the Pacific Coast states to suppose that those areas are almost completely devoted to agriculture, the rearing of live stock, ranching and fruit production.

While those interests are tremendously important it is also shockingly true that along with those developments there has gone an almost equally important growth of manufacturing industries which rival in number and magnitude those of the New England states or Ontario, Canada. For instance, San Francisco and Los Angeles are more heavily industrialized than are Toronto or Montreal. And the industries are sometimes of greater magnitude than anything we have in Canada. Several of them are by far the greatest of their kind on earth.

It is interesting to note that three industries now located in Belleville also have important branches at Los Angeles, California. These are the Stephens-Adamson Company, Inc. of Clark, Incorporated, and Swift and Company.

During his tour in September and October the industrial commissioner called upon manufacturing corporations in Chicago, Ill., Racine, Wis., Milwaukee, Wis., St. Louis, Mo., Kansas City, Mo., Denver, Colo., Salt Lake City, Utah, San Francisco, Cal., Oakland, Cal., Los Angeles, Cal., Houston, Texas, Dallas, Texas and Memphis, Tenn.

44 Interviews Arranged

In all, sixty-four interviews were successfully arranged with the executive officers of the various corporations in which qualifying results. It is far too soon to state, with any degree of certainty, what final results of these contacts will be. An opening has been made, acquaintance has been established and the opportunity for active negotiations has been secured. Sometimes these negotiations extend over many months and even years before the outcome is definitely known. For instance, it required six years of persistent effort and a number of visits to the head office at Aurora, Ill., before the Stephens-Adamson Corporation finally decided to come to Belleville. But the ultimate result was abundantly worth all the time and effort expended.

I can however already be positively stated that promising negotiations have been opened with what a great industry in Kansas City that would expect to employ from 400 to 500 workers in the proposed Canadian plant. Two other corporations located in Los Angeles, Cal., are also requesting the fullest information about conditions and possibilities at Belleville.

Detailed reports of the various interviews secured during this extended and important tour are given in detail in the following paragraphs:

Moulded Products to Expand.

During the year, industrial trips were made to Montreal and Toronto.

Another important industrial development has been the acquirement of the former Tiger Tire property from H. Martin by the University Moulded Products Ltd., a group of interests of additional land to occupy their attention at home in developing the huge contracts without making further commitments elsewhere.

The commission took steps early in the year to have the entire highway from Belleville to Bancroft located, in co-operation with the Department of Highways. Mr. Roscoe Robson, M.P.P., was invited to bring the matter to the attention of the government and press for an early completion of No. 62 north of Madoc and the assumption of the Bancroft-Belleville county road.

A hunting field for aircraft near Belleville receiving much attention during the year. Ald McDougall gave much time and effort looking towards a realization of this proposal.

In closing I must again express my gratitude to all the members of the Commission for their support and co-operation the past year but in particular the enthusiastic and effective assistance given by the Chairman of the Commission, R. A. Pringle. By his genial personality and good nature and his personal influence with industrial governments at Toronto and Montreal, he has made a contribution to the industrial progress of Belleville which cannot be fully realized at the present time but which will, in all probability, exert a strong influence for progress in the years immediately ahead.

Yours for a Greater Belleville,

J. Owen Herity,
Industrial Commissioner.

Extend Lend Lease If Russia Enters War Against Japs

Washington, Feb. 12 —(AP)— A pending lend lease agreement with Russia contains a provision permitting continued shipment of arms to the Soviets after Germany's defeat, if Russia intends entering the war against Japan.

Russian signature on the agreement is expected soon.

The clause is similar to those in all lend-lease agreements defining the direct power of the President to continue or terminate deliveries whenever he sees fit. But in this case it is being interpreted by officials as having special significance because of the Russo-Japanese situation.

President Roosevelt went to the Big Three meeting at Casablanca to have some final word from Marshal Stalin on his plans for fighting Japan. American officials have predicted privately along that that Marshal Stalin will enter the war in Asia.

The problem with respect to lend-lease has been to arrange for shipments to Russia after the defeat of Germany which would serve the interests of the United States regardless of which course Russia might take. The agreement which is to be signed, probably before the end of the month, by the United States, Britain and Canada, covers several points in this respect.

(Canada, which does not receive lend-lease aid from the United States, has sent much foodstuff and equipment to Russia under her mutual-aid plan.)

Four Fatalities During Weekend

By The Canadian Press

Four fatalities, all of them in southern Ontario, were reported in Eastern Ontario during the weekend. Three men died in the Toronto area and the other in Brantford, Ont.

Robert Gemmell, 61, of Toronto, was found dead in a cell at Clarkmont-police station in the west end of the city early yesterday. Police said he had been arrested on a drunkenness charge. An inquest will be held.

Pte. John Wesley Humphreys, 37, of Toronto, died Saturday night of a broken neck after he fell down a flight of stairs at the home of a friend.

Harold O. Johnson of Etobicoke, near Toronto, was killed while working on the highway early yesterday when he was struck by an automobile which did not stop, Provincial Police reported.

Alfred Wright died in hospital in Brantford on Saturday following an accident in a saw mill at nearby Waterford, when his right arm was injured by a saw.

NEW BISHOP

Belfast, Northern Ireland (CP) —Very Rev. W. B. Kerr, Dean of Belfast, has been elected bishop of the new Down and Connor and Dromore.

Chapters Nearing Quota of $1,000 Needed for Books

The Service Libraries Department of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire has supplied over 300,000 books during the past five months for the leisure reading of troops in all women's services. But even that number of books divided among the hundreds of camps in the many branches of the service adds up to but a very few books each per year.

Personnel serving at naval bases, those on convoy duty, and guarding the lonely stations in the nation's outposts, have plenty of time for reading and these men and women must have books which will satisfy their craving for suitable reading material.

Books written in and about the world in which they live and the world in which they will return are the type most desired and it is their right to have such books now while the books will provide needed relief from the weight of long routine.

Donations will gladly be accepted at any of the four local bank branches or by Mrs. Hoyle and Mrs. B. C. Donnan. Below are contributions received to date.

Receipts previously

acknowledged	$634.50
Mr. Cowan	5.00
Mrs. Bonney, Carrying Place	1.00
Empire Club	60.00
Empire Fruit Co.	5.00
Bata Shoe Co.	10.00
Mead Johnston Co.	15.00
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Maig. McDougall and Bateman Ltd.	10.00
Mr. R. Cowan	5.00
Mrs. E. N. Baker	3.00
Knights of Columbus	50.00

District Kinsmen Meet in City

Approximately 65 delegates from 26 Kinsmen clubs in District No. 6, in which the local club is ranked, met at the Quinte Hotel over the week-end for their annual meeting, a year plans of the club.

Orrie Vandervoort, district governor of Kinsmen, called and presided over the meeting which was attended by Ken Soper, national president, from Montreal, Delegates were present from as far east as Verdun, Quebec, while another Kinsmen from Vancouver, sent his hand to present a brief for a Kinsmen post-war plan.

One of the principal matters of business discussed during the meeting was the celebration by Kinsmen clubs across Canada of the 25th anniversary of the founding of the club. On Tuesday, February 20th, Kinsmen clubs across the Dominion will meet at the same hour to celebrate the anniversary. The meeting here of the Belleville club will be changed to coincide with other meetings in Canada.

On the anniversary the national broadcast will speak over the radio from Hamilton which is the birthplace of the Kinsmen Club. B. C. Sisler, manager of the Bank of Montreal here, is one of the Kinsmen directors formed in Hamilton.

Corbyville Earns Right to Advance Into the Finals

Demonstrating a power that would not be denied following a storrless first period, Corbyville earned the right to advance to the finals in the Central Hastings Rural Hockey league when it trounced Friday evening they swamped Centenary under an avalanche of goals to win by a 10-1 count. They won both games of the series, took the round by a 16-1 count and will enter the finals against the Holden-Zion Hill - West Huntingdon "Combines."

A strong defence coupled with some nice work in goal by Hall kept the Corbyville forces out of the score sheet in the first canto but power was at last to be turned on and in the middle stanza Empson, Bentley and Martin each found time for goals, while Nicholson counted for the Centenary counter on a pass from Bellah.

In the final period, it was a parade for the Corbyville team, Laird counting three times and Gray, Empson and Woods getting the others. The game was fairly clean, Centenary getting a heavier penalty period while Martin and F. Waite received penalties for fighting in the last period.

Lineups—Centenary—Goal, Hall; defence, May and M. Waite; forwards, D. Waite, F. Waite and Cole; subs, Bellah, Donnelly and Nicholson. Corbyville—Goal, Rice; defence, Woods and Martin; forwards, Empson, Martin and Jarrell; Subs Wall, Gray, Thompson, Sheffield, Sills and Forsythe.

LOCAL, DISTRICT KEY MEN GATHER

Cost Accountants, Plant Superintendents Etc. and Others Hear J. A. Lizotte

Sponsored by the Bay of Quinte chapter of the Ontario Society of Cost Accountants and Industrial Engineers, a joint meeting was held at the Y.M.C.A. with the Superintendents' Association together with approximately forty other key men of the various industries of Belleville and vicinity.

The meeting, under the joint chairmanship of Mr. Moore, President of the Superintendents' Association and Mr. Mark Vanner, Executive Chairman of the Society of Cost Accountants, was well attended, some 75 members and guests being present.

The speaker of the evening, Mr. J. A. (Paddy) Lizotte, chose as his subject "Should Superintendents' Meetings with Accountants be Held." Mr. Lizotte, in typical fashion, spoke straight from the shoulder, pulling no punches, soon convinced his listening that it not only should be superintendents and co-operate with cost accountants, but that the needed cooperation was the weight of long routine.

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The War Today— Battle of Germany Goes Well For Allies on East, West Fronts

By DEWITT MACKENZIE,
(Associated Press War Analyst)

The Battle of Germany—last act of the European war—has on the whole gone well for the United Nations during over a hard fought weekend. The Western Allies, in Germany's preparatino for their projected all-out assault, fought their way into two strategic river positions, the Roer, in the north, and the Saar, to the south. Moreover, the position has grown worse sadly because of the millions of refugees from areas captured by the Red armies and because of disorganized transportation. That's a black picture and its importance can't be over-emphasized.

HIGH STANDING OF POLICE

Cardiff, Wales (CP) — Cardiff's police force boasts of the high moral standing of its constabulary. One man has the I.L.D. letters with honors, several have the A.C.A. and six are qualifying for the Bar.

Worcester, England. (CP)—A clear box containing a few cigars and a spread eagle from Prime Minister Churchill realized £100 (about $400) at a Red Cross function.

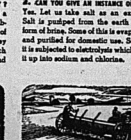
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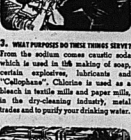
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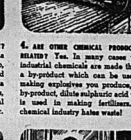
1. WHAT IF INDUSTRIAL CHEMISTRY? Industrial chemistry is the taking of relatively small group of basic substances and, by the apparent magic of chemistry, so changing them that it takes on new forms and properties which make them useful in the domestic and industrial activities of the nation.



2. CAN YOU GIVE AN INSTANCE OF THIS? Yes. Let us take salt as an example. Salt is pumped from the earth in the form of brine. Some of this is evaporated and purified that we may use it as it is subjected to electrolysis which splits it up into sodium and chlorine.



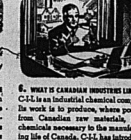
3. WHAT PURPOSES DO THESE THINGS SERVE? From the sodium come caustic soda which is used in the making of soap, certain explosives, bleaching powder, "Calliphane." Chlorine is used as a bleach in textile mills and paper mills, is the dry-cleaning industry, metal trades and to purify your drinking water.



4. ARE OTHER CHEMICAL PRODUCTS SO RELATED? Yes. In many cases where industrial chemicals are made there is a by-product which may be used in making explosives you produce, as a by-product, dilute sulphuric acid which is used in the fertilizers. The chemical industry hates waste!



5. WHAT DOES THIS MEAN TO THE AVERAGE INDUSTRIAL USER? It means that, through chemistry, raw materials are made useful, industry is supplied with chemicals which are necessary, processes are simplified and hundreds of new jobs are provided. Any day a new chemical discovery may start a new industry in Canada.



6. WHAT IS CANADIAN INDUSTRIES LIMITED? C-I-L is an industrial chemical company. Its work is to produce, where possible from Canadian raw materials, those chemicals necessary to the manufacturing life of Canada. C-I-L has introduced new industries into Canada — such as the making of "Calliphane" and nylon.

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The Great Conferences

One of the greatest meetings of all time, that of the "Big Three," has been going on in the Black Sea area, a meeting the repercussions of which will ring down the centuries. It coincides with what will prove to be the last desperate efforts of the Germans, caught as they are in the giant trap which has extended about all Germany until now the military pressure is exerted from the Berlin side of the frontiers.

These meetings of the Allied leaders have been for the United Nations world a charting of progress, events of vast importance issuing from the formulae adopted successively and successfully by the Allied chiefs. They have been giant steps in the greatest war of all time, steps that have been sanely and carefully taken, steps that have progressively advanced along the way of victory. It seems a fateful day when the world used to read of the two Axis partners, Adolf Hitler and Mussolini foregathering in the Alps or elsewhere as a regular form of inter-German-Italian action. As time passed the Axis partners' meetings grew dimmer and at last dimmed out, for there was no Mussolini in power to meet them. If Hitler has held meetings since then it has not been with anyone else who is "down and out" as ever was any tyrant and it has been with his Nazi gangster friends only. Thereafter Hitler took action on his own initiative and initiation with grave miscalculations and dire results for the German armies.

But no meetings in history can have had more far-reaching effects militarily and from the standpoint of the all-out effort of the United Nations' unity of view and action than the great series that have been held by the Allies.

Stark War Faces Huns at Home

Germany has run into evil days of her own making and these days will bring Germans to acceptance of unconditional surrender however much the Nazis fight against the East-West-South blows of the Allied offensives. These was a time when the war was entirely upon territory outside Germany but most of the war is being waged on German soil with invasions on both fronts to the East and to the West. There was a time when Germany's capital was far away from the battlelines but that distance has been virtually wiped out on the east and is being reduced on the West. Once the only things the Germans thought of were their victories and the number of overrun states and the loot they expected. Now they have war outside the east of Berlin.

A vast change has come. The Russian guns call to mind to Berlin, which is a much battered and disrupted capital, and shows according to reports the stress and strain of preparations against the spirtroach of the Red armies.

What a distressing and annoying enlightenment has come to the Huns at home which is now their front! Once German arms were moving frontiers farther and farther away. Now the fronts move back and have crossed the German frontiers. Once the German people heard of victories and propaganda built up by Dr. Goebbels, all to the disadvantage of the Allies and the exaltation of the German ideal. But now German propaganda has had to take a change of attitude, it uses the advance of the Allied armies to try to frighten the Germans into a fight to the death.

Once the Germans were the enforced and willing bearers of German expansions and victories—that was in the early days, now they are the enforced but unwilling listeners of the news of Allied offensives.

For a long time of course war from the skies has been visiting German plants of war manufacture, but the "camp of armies on German soil is something new that the enemy can hardly realize. The Hitler that led them has surely not been able to explain to the German people such a thing has come about that Nazi plans have so far all gone astray.

Germany, subject to regimentation without any objection by the people because the German people never took it into their heads to seek greater freedom and responsible government allowed a demagogue Hitler to put her on a war basis and go out after the world's crown. He has failed and the people have enough evidence of his failure, but will they do anything but obey tyranny to the end? Hitler calls on them to die if necessary for the misery and woes he has brought to them.

Now long will Germany endure this and the terrorism of Himmler?

Sleet

(New York Times)

The meteorologist draws fine distinctions between snow pellets and sleet. In his business no doubt such distinctions are necessary. He also distinguishes between sleet and freezing rain. But when one is out afoot in a snowstorm, and when what have been soft flakes turn to pellets flung into the face with the force of birdshot, most of us growl at "sleet" and let it go at that; the immediate concern is to find shelter, not the exact word. And when one is abroad in a car and the precipitation covers the windshield with ice and the road with a glare on which the tire can find no traction, most of us have no compunction about growling at "sleet" once more.

The meteorologist is thinking about what happened in the strata of air above the earth, which layers were what temperature and which ones were saturated with moisture. He is noting that snow formed at a certain altitude, that it came through an air layer saturated with moisture and in liquid form despite a temperature well below freezing. That moisture, he tells himself, caught at the flakes and froze there; and since this was a deep layer of moist area, the original flakes emerged from it as snow pellets, milky granules of ice which sting our faces, unmercifully when driven by the earth-wind.

We call it sleet. The meteorologist reaches for a more distinctive word and comes along with rain, we find some satisfaction let the resemblance between "graupel" and "gravel." But when we get caught in a storm of it, it's just plain sleet, for all that.

Dream Building On Grand Scale

(Montreal Herald)

Although John Bull has blue-printed a new home for his apartment along strictly conventional lines, he has also drawn up a companion project as fanciful as any of the be-gaggled "dream houses" which our hard-headed realists are so busily debunking today.

Still definitely in the dream stage, but listed as a post-war possibility, is a vast television theatre beneath the Thames to which Parliament debates would be transmitted, complete with every word and gesture, from the adjacent legislative halls.

Britishers, today denied the pleasure of either hearing or seeing their legislators at work owing to the restricted accommodation of visitors' galleries would enjoy the spectacle from ringside seats in the subterranean theatre, while comfortably sipping the inevitable tea.

Just to give the project utilitarian appeal, its sponsors note that the auditorium under the Thames would provide an ideal emergency bomb-proof Parmiament in the event of its being bombed out during some future war.

The under-water television theatre may prove the film stuff as dreams are made of. But even in its present insubstantial form it will bring comfort to the dream house builder here in Canada—perhaps encouragement to add another wing to his all-plastic castle in the air.

Since 1939 water and farm drainage schemes in the country of Hereford, England, have improved the productive capacity of some 1,200 farms, benefitting 11,000 acres.

Eloquence is logic on fire.—Beecher.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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LINCOLN

They could not see, who stood too near,
Beyond their little day.
The friends and foes his faults were clear,
But that's the common way.
Oft when of him his neighbors spoke
'Twas merely to repeat a joke.

That Lincoln loved his fellow men
They knew. They'd heard him sigh
Because for freedom once again
Brave boys were asked to die.
That he was merciful they knew,
But deeds of mercy many do.

With patience infinite he bore
The barbs of malice vile.
He wore the meanest others wore,
According to the style.
So, not until the day he died
Did men look on his nobler side.

As then, still now it seems to be:
Man's spirit flesh conceals
And seldom lets his fellows see
The greatness time reveals.
Death was the door, and time the key.
To glory's immortality!

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Hooray for your birthday, Grandpa—it's the first time we've been warm this winter!"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 19th., 1925

At the February meeting of the Quarterly Official Board of the Methodist Church on the Canniffon Circuit, a unanimous invitation was extended to the Rev. R. Farquhar to remain as pastor on the circuit for the fifth year.

Mr. Thomas Donahue, Dunbar Street, this city, has taken a long lease on the Grand Opera House in Barrie, Ontario, and he will shortly have to reside in that town. Recently about forty of his friends called at his home and after expressing regrets at his departure from here, presented him with a handsome smoking set.

Mr. F. Mallory of this city, is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. Jesse Donahue, of Orillia, is visiting his home on North Front St.,

At the annual meeting of the members of St. Andrew's Church in connection with the Canniffon Methodist Church the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. C. Benedict; first vice-president, Mrs. A. Loucks; second vice-president, Mrs. W. Clapp; third vice-president, Mrs. J. Brenton; secretary, Mrs. R. Vandervoort; treasurer, Mrs. H. Empson.

30 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 12th, 1915

Members of the Idle Rich Club to the number of twenty-five enjoyed a sleigh ride party last evening and on returning to the club rooms on Front St., refreshments were served.

Mr. A.D. McIntosh, representative of the Department of Agriculture, addressed the students at the high school here this morning.

At the annual meeting of John Street Presbyterian Church, Rev. D. V. Sinclair presided and Mr. J. Mackay acted as secretary. All the reports showed a very successful year. The new management consists of Mr. W. C. Mikel and Mr. H. Hill; Mr. Thos. Ritchie and Mr. J. Adams were re-elected. The trustees of the congregation are Messrs. Thos. Ritchie, R. Templeton, D. R. Brown, W. B. Robinson and A. J. McLaren.

Belleville Market Prices: Butter 32 cents to 35 cents per pound; eggs 32 cents to 34 cents per dozen; chickens $1 to $1.50 per pair; potatoes 65 cents to 70 cents per bag.

40 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 19th., 1900

The President of the Prince Edward Farmers' Labor Association has called for 200 farm laborers, also fifty domestic servants, all of whom will be employed in Hastings and Prince Edward Counties.

Messrs. Sidney Dellor, "Freddie" Austin, Harry McKay and Jack Hayes will render vocal solos at the concert in the Oddfellows' Hall on Friday evening.

Mr. W. R. Aylsworth has sold his late residence on John St. between Bridge and Queen Sts., to Ald. Jarvis W. Marks, and has bought for his own use the house on Dundas Street belonging to Bridge Street Methodist Church and which is at present occupied by Capt. H. Allen.

Mr. R. G. Clute, barrister, Toronto, formerly of this city, has been appointed a judge in the High Court.

Mr. Garnet Retallack of Ottawa, formerly of this city, is spending a short time here.

50 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 12th., 1890

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Harris celebrated the twentieth anniversary of their wedding and entertained a large number of friends at an assembly in the Foresters' Hall.

Mr. Willis Campbell of the J. F. Thompson Drygoods Store, was given a pleasant surprise on Saturday evening when after closing hours the staff gathered around and presented him with a handsome present. Mr. Campbell will shortly take charge of the drygoods department in the store of Messrs. Vandervoort and Gibson, Glasgow Warehouse.

The plan for the production of "Charley's Aunt" at the opera house will open tomorrow morning.

Mr. Joseph P. Reeves' faithful old dog died yesterday of old age. "Daisy" was a small black and tan, and had long enjoyed the age of seventeen years and seven months. The dog was well known to many citizens.

Rich Prize of Silesia

By WALTER MONFRIED

(In The Milwaukee Journal)

Silesia is not known throughout the world for its scenic beauty or its romantic vistas. The guide book never say "see Silesia and die." Indeed, some of the booklets of the Nazi Party Going to Europe" school don't even mention Silesia. Most of the tourists don't get out that way.

It is one of the modest parts of the civilized globe. Even the potentest politicians who have been kicking the various Silesias around for the last thousand years are not interested in the beauty exclusively.

Silesia has lots of coal, for Silesia has one of the best deposits in Europe—as well as zinc, lead and iron. Next to the Ruhr, it is Germany's greatest source of coal and iron. It also has potatoes, barley, rye, timber, pure mazdaan, fruits and more potatoes. All such things mean peasants, soldiers and ministers. And these kings and ministers have been bearing down on Silesia for centuries.

Right now the Russians are moving in. Silesia is a prize of war, and in any century Silesia has been over-rumbled, so much by its ambitious neighbors that the people have become inured for getting confused about it. You have Germans in Upper Silesia, Lower Silesia, Austrian Silesia, Bohemian Silesia, Polish Silesia and German Silesia.

Then Silver which rises in the Sudetic Mountains and flows northwest to the Baltic, developed Upper and Lower Silesia. More than 3,000,000 persons live in Silesia. Densities are higher per square mile in Upper Silesia than in Switzerland. European mountains north of the Alps are the Sudetic Mountains. Upper Silesia is the rugged, untilled, mineral area, with a strong Polish character—the Poles have had a Silesian press since Low. Silesia is more Germanic, with a Polish tarnish of farm and forest.

Throughout Silesia you may hear German and Polish and Bohemian spoken. The Slavic and Teutonic worlds meet here, because the Protestant and Catholic, and not always peacefully.

After the war of 1918, confusion and fighting among nationalities welled up with a bubbling violence. The wrangling was punctuated by many a broken truce. The League of Nations' council and the League of Nations' assembly in Geneva, Switzerland, were busy for years. Finally, the Upper Silesian plebiscite language predominated was awarded Lower Silesia, and the rest was divided between Germany and Poland, 43 communes to 40. And there was a Polish minority in all sides.

The Germans of Silesia bear no great love for other German refugees from Austrian Silesia. Their hatred of the Prussians is traditional, deep and unconcealed, as the traveler will find out. The Prussians are the Silesian equivalent of Yankees.

Breslau itself, the big town of Silesia, is a Prussian garrison capital. It has notable churches, one of which, St. Elizabeth's, is Gothic architecture is highly praised by experts. Legnitz, another Silesia town, has a fine old Rathaus, many public buildings and the relics of a ducal palace.

But the countryside, especially of Upper Silesia, is something else again. The visitor misses the fine old Prussian opulence, the neatness of landscape, the well-fed cattle. He does not prevail throughout the rest of Germany. Instead, he encounters centuries of conquerors and industrial exploitation and exhaustion.

The peasants, men and women, toil without any visible reward. They have so many fields to work that they have to labor for endless hours and doorways. The winter is long and hard. Silesians must walk far, some times, to get back their firewood, in cart or on back. Many Silesians are poor. You are entering the vast Slavic world. Industry is there, too, and the mills. The women and children gather and carry the loads. Potato fields without end. Women and children go up and down the rows of potatoes, with an important staple crop.

Fifty miles from Breslau, the traveler comes upon a wonderful region, the Riesengebirge, Bohemia, parks, golf courses and hotels in the mountainside. It is a favorite resort for many nations, that its benefits are open to the rich Jew and Czech laborer of the industrial area. Silesia is a land of work, not play.

The Silesians to have been the first into Silesia ten centuries ago. Their chief of Moravia was in charge. The Czech word for country Poland owned it, and Bohemia and Poland were the first Slavic kingdoms. Kings named Boleslav and Wenceslas, whom you may know, divided it into Upper and Lower Silesia and that each of his two surviving sons would get a sizable dukedom.

Around the thirteenth century Silesia was a cosmopolitan region, and the dukes thought that a German civilization would help. German colonists were invited to enter, they accepted the invitation, and by the fourteen century almost all of Silesia was German, with a Polish tarnish of farm and forest.

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But the Prussian king had a guilty conscience. He imagined (wrongly, justification) that his foes to the south might try to take Silesia away from him, so he had the Prussian army invade it and demolish to protect his loot. In 1740, at Mollwitz, there was a warfor him for the second time.

The bloody and climactic struggle for Silesia was in the Seven Years War, which involved the entire continent and ended in 1763. Frederick found himself against Austria, Russia, France, Saxony and Sweden, and his resources, perhaps, he suffered crushing defeats, was on the point of ending his life in despairy but he pulled through, by sourcefulness, and luck, and clung to Silesia. In so doing he made Prussia to a first class power and established his own reputation as one of history's most effective generals.

Silesia remained a Germanic bulwark until the cataclysm of 1918. It then went to pieces literally, until Adolf Hitler followed the example of his predecessor Frederick, and brought it "home to the Reich." In the early years of the present-war, Silesia was safe from the foe, and the Nazis set up many industries in the cities there. But Silesia isn't safe any longer.

HEART WON'T PUMP

Vancouver, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Twenty-year-old Colin Gray has a heart it stems normal size, doctors have told his parents, and the boy needs one of the most complex operations known in heart surgery. Because the size of the heart, it will not pump enough blood to his legs and feet in sufficient quantity to enable the boy to live.

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

THE BLOOD CALCIUM.

A reader informs me that when he asked his dentist about calcium deficiency as a factor of softness, crumbling and rapid decay of his teeth, the dentist did not appear to get the idea but said it was a simple matter to determine precisely. The dentist sent the patient to a laboratory and the technician measured the blood calcium. The calcium level was within the normal limits between 9 and 11 milligrams per 100 cc—so the dentist concluded that no lack of calcium deficiency could be dismissed.

But that is pretty darn scientific, but it doesn't mean that the patient's teeth get all the calcium they need.

Its rickets, which is essentially due to calcium deficiency, the blood calcium is within normal limits in most instances. In tetany, too, which is due to vitamin D deficiency and inadequate intake of calcium, the blood calcium is often within normal limits.

The blood calcium level is maintained at a pretty constant normal concentration, being found only below normal only in certain critical emergencies. In this respect it is like the blood sugar. A person may have the idea of calcium deficiency in every case of rickets but tests show the calcium content of the blood is normal. A good deal of trouble which responds well to calcium and vitamin D feeding would go unrelieved.

The blood calcium is the common manifestation of adult tetany, characterized by cramps in legs and arms, particularly in the latter, especially in the night. It is seldom that we have tetany when the blood calcium is below normal in such sufferers, and calcium administration gives relief from the painful cramps over night. Likewise a period when they increase their calcium without vitamin D intake. Often where the cramps occur nearly every night they will come within twenty-four hours after the first dose of calcium and vitamin D by taking his or her diet with a suitable calcium and vitamin D ration once a day.

Take headache, plain "nervous" headache, migraine, cluster headache, neuralgic headache—few of these problems are due to calcium, yet many experience prompt relief from calcium and vitamin D supplementing their diet with calcium and vitamin D.

A great many young women particularly who have an abnormal craving for chalk (pica) and others, as, sweets) may consume far too

QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

Poor Kid

Would like to have minutes old in a week. Her bowels do not move unless an injection is given. She has been given different kinds of laxatives. Doctor gives no satisfaction—just says to give her plenty of water between feedings.

(Mrs. S. V. T.)

Answer—Be sure to give her plenty of food between feedings. Never give an infant of that age a laxative unless the bowels fail to act. Constipation is unnatural and is deranges the entire digestion of the entire digestive function.

Addiction

I crave whiskey and get very drunk at intervals. I also crave beer and cannot be content. I am poor. Can you recommend any cure or remedy for me? I am 24.

Answer—Yes, I advise you to get in touch with Alcoholics Anonymous —get the address of your nearest group from the classified column or perhaps from your telephone directory and you will find they can do much to help you by their friendly, confidential help.

G. I. Josephine

My Joe is a G.I. Joe at present stationed in Italy, awaiting return home from overseas service. Have a 14-months old son and hope to have another baby—for which I want to prepare myself. Please advise me regarding for Maternity" and "Brady Method." Have twenty cents and stamped self addressed envelope enclosed. Your column has been a mighty good friend to many a reader, who has gone into the navy.

(Mrs. O. I. M.)

Answer—The booklets are free to service men's wives who ask for them and provide stamped self-addressed envelope. Such books are sent to others.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

THE SECOND MILE

In the sermon on the Mount, their route for the king's service.
according to Matthew 5:41, Jesus Under the Roman system and offisaid:

"And whosoever shall compel thee to go a mile, go with him twain."

That is the only place in the King James Version of the Bible where "mile" occurs.

The word "mile" comes from "mille," meaning "thousand." The Roman mile was a thousand long paces and was equivalent to nearly 5,000 feet.

The Greek word translated "compel" in Matthew 5:41 is from a Persian word, "angareuo." The same term is used in Matthew 27:32, where it is related that Simon of Cyrene was compelled to bear the cross of Jesus.

Royal couriers and dispatch carriers in the ancient Persian Empire were privileged to impress both men and beasts of burden along cials had the authority to compel the services of citizens and animals to carry their baggage. The system was, apparently, a form of taxation, was one of the heavy burdens exactions imposed on the Jews by the Roman rulers. Hence the reference notice any Jewish subject of Rome might be called upon by any civil or official to become a common beast of burden.

Jesus undoubtedly alluded to this practice when he said, "whosoever shall compel thee to go a mile, go with him twain."

He had to be hitched his followers to pay their taxes, willingly and to bear their heavy burdens cheerfully; that is, to make their contributions to the kingdom of God rather than by doing more than was expected of them. He used another phase of "Render unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's."

The Merry Widow

(The following political history of "The Merry Widow" was written for a Chicago tribune column.)

Location: Vienna, first decade of this century. Floaters: Librettist Leo Stein, composer Franz Lehar, regimental band leader.

Purpose: To pick up some change for Stein and Lehar. Cashier: Crown Prince of Montenegro, man about town and "Merry Widow" admirer's night place. Launching technique: The gentleman greeting with free tickets.

Witness: That evening's show and but critical member of Lehar's and other choruses. Place: Vienna's Theater-an der Wien.

Precincts: Complete flop. Reasons: Deeper Danilo's popularity with the ingenuous and theatregoers' preference for operettas. Reference to the rescue: Good-for-nothing Danilo, Montenegro's playboy North German princess, was Crown Prince Danilo's fiancee. He was likely to be interested in the "Merry Widow" operetta. Lucky chance, "Merry Widow" modestly opened in Hamburg, Next step: "Command performance" in Berlin. Political and artistic success. Political influence in used "catchy" music. The "Widow" returns to Vienna triumphantly.

Edwards, London producer, takes option on Danilo's reality $50,000 bonus to acquire the rights for the world-speaking countries. Leon and Lebedeff, Broadway fan, the back, Edwards sells the American rights for a hundred times the purchase price to Harry W. Savage, famous impresario. Savage organizes touring American company. Runs for several years thereafter.

At that time Montenegro met Danilo, gave Romanian, in a New York night club, quiet honeymoon dining room job, reminiscing of Vienna. Meanwhile, Danilo and his kingdom disappeared.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

ENGAGEMENT NOTICE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall, Plainfield, wish to announce the engagement of their granddaughter, Phyllis Winnifred, to Donald Frank Hutchison, R.C.N.V.R., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dobbin of Bloomfield Rostin. The marriage will take place early in March.

Mrs. R. E. Collins, 17 Alexander Street, is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital.

Word has reached the city of the arrival in England of Mrs. F. H. Hughes and children, of Toronto.

Mrs. F. Meehan, (nee Doreen Tugnett), who is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital, received flowers from her husband, Pilot Officer Meehan, who is overseas.

Cpl. Flora Furnidge has been posted to R.C.A.F. Headquarters, Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Burnham Street, have returned home from Erie, Pa., Hamilton and Toronto, where they spent the last two weeks.

Mrs. John Langstone, Dominion Girls' Organizing Secretary for the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of England, is the guest of Mrs. T. J. Grant Sparling and Mrs. Sparling, at the Christ Church Rectory.

Mrs. John Hannah, West Huntingdon, who has been a patient in the General Hospital, is convalescing at the home of her brother, Mr. Joseph Waddell, at Foxboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Ketcheson, 2nd Cres., Sidney, have received a cable that their son, Flt.-Lieut. Jack Ketcheson, arrived safely in England on Feb. first, to LACW. Elsie Ketcheson of R.A.F. Women's Division.

Mrs. W. H. Doran, Mrs. T. V. Connell, Mrs. John Lynch, Mrs. Harry Sheridan, Mrs. Jas. Reardon, Mrs. Dan Whelan, Miss Mary Donovan, Jake Brennan, and Patrick Lynch, attended the funeral of the late Jas. Vincent Lynch in Toronto, on Friday.

On Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Soble, Annslaisdorf, relatives gathered in honor of their son, Allan, who has just returned from Italy, during the evening cards were played and an address was read by Miss Dorothy Lucas and Allan, was presented with a purse of money. Refreshments were served.

WEDDINGS

AUGER—COTTEN

The marriage took place at St. Peter-In-Chains Church at Trenton, on Wednesday morning, of Norma Irene Cotten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cotten, of Trenton, became the bride of Harold Joseph Auger, son of Mrs. Hannah Auger, of Marmora, and the late Hugh Auger. The ceremony was performed and the Nuptial Mass was said by Rev. Father O'Neill. Rev. Sister Mary Frances of Rome, played the wedding music and the children of Rt. Peter's School sang "On This Day, O Beautiful Mother" "Ave Maria" and "Panem Angelicus".

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was wearing a light navy tailored suit, pink blouse, black velvet hat, black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

The bridesmaid, Mrs. W. R. Wright, of Carrying Place, was wearing a lime green suit, with brown accessories, and a corsage of pink roses and white carnations.

The groomsman was James Crawford, of Marmora.

Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at Picturist Manor to the immediate relatives. The bride's mother wore a dark grey tailored suit, mauve hat and a corsage of mauve violets. The groom's mother wore a black crepe dress and a corsage of pink and white roses.

The couple left on a trip to Toronto and Detroit, the bride wearing a top coat of bottle green, with black hat and accessories and a corsage of purple violets. On their return they will take up residence in Marmora.

TRENTON

Valentine Tea Held by Guild

Trenton, Feb. 12. — Canterbury Hall, gaily decorated in keeping with St. Valentine's, was the scene of a delightful Valentine Tea on Friday afternoon, sponsored by the Parochial Group of the Women's Auxiliary of the Church of England, in the year of Mrs. J. Grant Sparling and Mrs. Sparling, at the Christ Church Rectory.

Mrs. John Hannah, West Huntingdon, who has been a patient in the General Hospital, is convalescing at the home of her brother, Mr. Joseph Waddell, at Foxboro.

Home cooking was sold by Mrs. Claude Graham, Mrs. Rickett, Mrs. O. Jones and Mrs. F. Hutchison and Apron by Mrs. J. Johnson and Mrs. Ed. Hall, Novelties by Mrs. Sheridan and Mrs. Silverthorne and Mrs. W. Miller.

One of the special attractions of the afternoon was the corner grocery with its dressed chickens, eggs, eggs, canned goods and groceries of all kinds, Mrs. Lake Brenner, and Mrs. Rick Lynch, attended the funeral of the late Jas. Vincent Lynch in Toronto, on Friday.

On Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Soble, Annslaisdorf, relatives gathered in honor of their son, Allan, who has just returned from Italy, during the evening cards were played and an address was read by Miss Dorothy Lucas and Allan, was presented with a purse of money. Refreshments were served.

Tea and Sale By W.M. Society Of St. Andrew's

The home of Mrs. R. Pigden, 220 Charles Street, was the scene of much activity Friday afternoon, Feb. 9th, on the occasion of the tea and sale of home cooking, arranged by the Women's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's Church.

The many guests were received by the hostess, Mrs. Pigden, and Mrs. C. Savage, president of the Women's Missionary Society, and were invited to the tea-room by Mrs. D. C. Fleming.

Centred with flowers, the tea-table was attractively arranged and tea was poured by Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Hayward, Mrs. A. R. Cameron and Mrs. J. L. Moore. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Mantle and Mrs. Spence. Conveners of the tea were Mrs. Bell and Miss Helen Kidd. In charge of the home cooking was Mrs. Mills and Mrs. Welr, and Mrs. Mills, Treasurer, and Mrs. Pinchbeck.

NOW HAVE CONSCRIPTION

London, Ont., Feb. 12 — (CP) — Ross Macdonald, Liberal member of Parliament for London in an address here Saturday night said Canada now has conscription and added that the remainder of the Dominion's home defence army will be sent overseas as soon as it is trained. "Never again will there be a shortage of reinforcements," he said in speaking to the Anfield meeting of Liberal subdivision chairmen.

CAR HAULED AWAY

Malden, Mass., Feb. 12 — (AP) — Residents of lower Malden were spared the possibility of evacuating their homes yesterday when a railroad tank car from which 20,000 gallons of deadly chlorine gas were slowly escaping was hauled by a railmasked crew to a chemical company in nearby Everett.

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Q. M. School And Home Club Holds Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Queen Mary Home and School Association was held on Thursday evening in the Public Auditorium.

A large number attended the meeting many of whom were new members.

The meeting was opened by singing the Home and School song. The President, Mrs. H. Croll welcomed the members and guests. The secretary's minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. B. Eberl and the treasurer's report was given.

Mrs. D. Ferguson, membership convener Mr. A. C. Coombe reported a steady increase in the membership. Mr. N. Bates, Radio convener, gave a very interesting talk and explanation regarding broadcasts sponsored by the Board of Education and suggested all parents tune in at the given time to these programs which the Public School Broadcasts at hours. Mr. A. Lennox, chairman of the School Improvement Committee reported on the recent visit the findings of the committee.

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Business being completed, pupils of the Grade 6 class of Miss Mills delighted the audience with their rendition of "Hiawatha's Lullaby" "Indian Love Call to Mr. Shepherd", (c) "There's Music in the Air", (c) "Now the Day is Over".

Miss Betty Moore a Grade 8 pupil also, Mrs. F. W. Johnson and Mrs. Dooley, the kitchen arrangements. Serving were Mrs. Mrs. F. Riley, Mrs. W. Murray, Mrs. Mantle, Mrs. E. Cook, Mrs. J. Taylor, Mrs. H. O'Rafka, Mrs. Wall and Mrs. E. Meyers.

Home cooking was sold by Mrs. Claude Graham, Mrs. Rickett, Mrs. O. Jones and Mrs. J. Johnson and Mrs. Apron by Mrs. J. Johnson and Mrs. Ed. Hall, Novelties by Mrs. Sheridan and Mrs. Silverthorne and Mrs. W. Miller.

February being the allotted time for the meeting of the founding of Home and School—this organization chose "The Lighting of the Candles" as the theme for decorance and rededication. Mrs. L. Buck gave a short history of Home and School, followed by the candle lighting ceremony. Mrs. Buck very splendidly presented by the following: Mrs. Mrs. A. Lennox and Mrs. D. Matthews, Mrs. Highlights; Mrs. W. J. Slavin read the 121st Psalm, Spirit of Home and School; Mrs. H. Bates. The 9 goals (1) Good health, Mrs. R. Boyd, (2) Sound health, Mrs. R. Godden, (3) Safety, Mrs. J. MacKenzie, (4) Equalized educational opportunities, Mrs. W. Phillips, (5) Conservation of human values and good citizenship, Mrs. M. Illlis, (6) Vocational Adjustment, Mrs. W. S. Underwood, (7) Constructive leisure time activities, Mrs. M. Tower, (8) Civic responsibility, Mrs. C. R. Kennedy, (9) Acspiritual faith, Mrs. H. C. Allens.

The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem. Refreshments were served by the Social Committee under its able convener Mrs. R. Wotten.

Kingston Road United Church W.A. Meets

The regular monthly meeting of the W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. E. Farnsworth, Bleecker Ave. Mrs. C. MacDonald presided and the meeting opened with a hymn followed by prayer by Mrs. Farnsworth. The minutes were read and approved. The Secretary, Mrs. Kennedy, read letters of thanks for cards and fruit sent to sick members and from Ernie Gasely, Douglas MacDonald, Mrtrin Donsldson and Harry Ridley, who are interned, for Christmas boxes. A quilt top donated by Mrs. N. Shaw was sold. Money received to be used for war work.

The quilt was chosen for study and discussion was "The Bible in the World Today". A contest conducted by Mrs. MacDonald was won by Mrs. E. Gasely. Roll Call was answered by a favorite verse from the Bible". There were nine members and four visitors present, Collection amounted to $4.42.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Farnsworth's group.

POLICE PRESS SEARCH

Hastings, Neb., Feb. 12 — (AP) — Police yesterday pressed a new search into two desperadoes, John Dillinger, 27, and Edgar Cook, 21, who, in a running gun battle here Saturday night, shot and killed their fourth escape since they broke a hole in the wall of Nebraska penitentiary Nov. 2.

Lowestoft, England, (CP)—Damages of £1,000 (about $4,500) from the German government were awarded a 12-year-old boy who lost a thumb and two fingers in an explosion while he was playing on crown land.

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By PRUNELLA WOOD

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Experts tell us that one's permanent wave is no longer a means to curl the season, rather a way of giving hair body.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

A Valentine's Day Dinner

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,—

1. My husband and I have invited six or our intimate friends for an informal dinner (perhaps "supper" would be a better word, as we want to have it very simple) on Valentine's Day at seven o'clock. As I say, I would like to have a simple menu, but Valentine's Day will you please suggest a menu that I myself can prepare without too much fuss? I would like to have the guests seated at table — not buffet service.

2. And would you please also suggest a centerpiece. I could make (I'm fairly ingenious about carrying out a theme), but I can't seem to hit on one now, and I find it impossible to buy the usual Valentine accessories.)

Thank you.

— E.M.B.

1. As the first course for your "valentine-y" menu, I suggest tomato bouillon or cream of tomato soup; or fruit cup with the topping cherry cut heart-shaped. Then chicken a la King or creamed chicken (decorated with some narrow strips of pimiento), served on heart-shaped toast; or cream chicken and peas on heart-shaped patty shells. For salad course: a colorful vegetable salad, featuring cooked beets, slivers of carrots, heart-shaped pieces of beet, and so forth (you might like to serve it on a bed of crisp white cabbage opened like a rose and topped with the centre). Your simple but gala-looking dessert might be ice cream with a red jelly sauce (or cherry sauce, or raspberry ice); and with it, heart-shaped cookies. Or a layer cake decorated with hearts cut out of candy pate!

2. For your centrepiece, you might make a large gold-fashioned valentine out of lace paper doilies, and decorate it with cut-out hearts, cupids, roses, and perhaps hearts cut from gilt paper pasted over cardboard. Or your centrepiece could charmingly be used to fashion a large, heart-shaped red-crêpe-paper-covered Art Horner pie, with narrow red ribbons extending in the individual places; and "when the pie is opened" it reveals a Valentine favor for each guest, no matter of a "romantic" kind. And perhaps make heart-shaped place cards and, for nut or mint containers, individual baskets with attractive red and white frills; and do, if possible, use red candles.

Why Not Send a Congratulatory Message?

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,—

A former business associate of mine has sent me an invitation to her wedding — the ceremony, that is, and not to the reception. When they were last together in the office, our relationship was pleasant but not cordial. I have never been to her home, and was surprised to receive the invitation. If I should attend the church wedding, would it be proper for me to send a gift? I am puzzled, because in all previous instances I have known the bride well and have attended both wedding and reception. If the sending of a gift would be improper, what would be the correct thing for me to do? And if I should not attend, is it proper to send a congratulatory message?

— B. M.

The general rule is that when one is invited to attend a wedding in the church ceremony only, there is no obligation to send a gift, whether or not we attend. In this case, this girl is such a casual acquaintance that you could find no reason for your sending her a gift, although of course it is not improper for you to send some simple remembrance if you wish. The invitation to the church ceremony does not require an acknowledgment, unless a reply is especially asked for on the invitation. And there is not compulsion for an acquaintance to send a congratulatory message; it is always a gracious gesture.

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

LIPS THAT ARE TULIP RED

One of the advantages of living in this era is that one enjoys the benefits of a portable complexion. You carry it around with you in your hand bag. You keep it in the beauty box. You put it on; you take it off. If your face doesn't please you at the moment, you make yourself a new one.

You young, be you middle aged, be you numbered among the grandmas, a bit of make-up, cleverly applied, imparts vitality and vividness or appearance by giving the perfumed calcimine and the counterfeit blush. Rouge is a universal practice. "And why not, if it makes the sisters happier, braver, better looking?

Those, one-time bright red apple splotches on the cheeks have retired to a faint rose. Lip coloring has also subdued. The poet wrote about "lips where rubies grew" and ruby is a good name for the flesh-lighting that goes on at the present moment. Tulip red, maybe you'll find in the little pencils on cosmetic counters. They make you look healthy and robust, as befits the capable woman that you are.

Lips require more attention than decorating if they are to display that moist, smooth, satiny perfection that is necessary to make them attractive to the eye. One reason for splotches and smears is that the fabric of the lip surfaces are not in condition. Harsh winds chap the lips, as they roughen the skin.

Lip-biting wrecks the pretty mouth portals, and this bad habit goes on to a considerable extent among women who are jittery, who tap their toes and fiddle with their locks.

If young girls were forced to take an examination in face-washing, show just how they do it half of them would divulge the hateful fact that they don't wash their lips at all. Spy on yourself, you teenagers. Do you wash your hands before your lips? Is there an application of the well-used washcloth? There should be. If the flesh is to be kept in a healthy state.

Fastidious women, bathing fough shaggy lips, baths their lips right and morning with paste of gauze or absorbent cotton dipped in rose water. This also lines, keeps the Cupid's bow as smooth as silk. And no doubt about it it stimulates the blood streams, creating health, natural coloring.

When removing rouge and powder with oil or cream—which you should do every night of your life before the face-washing—pass some of the lubricant over the lips to take away the red stain. You can put on a coating of cream afterwards, just for good beauty measure.

On cosmetic counters are displayed white lipsticks to be used when lips are chapped, but one is also recommended for this purpose.

Fashion Flashes

A CHANCE from the usual navy and white color scheme comes with the appearance of navy with rust or yellow for spring. Fine wool in a pebbly weave is used for a navy suit, the curved bolero combined with rust, with rust lining and rippled side drapery of the skirt.

Boy-tie blouse is white.

A BIG CHEER for the little sailor hat noticed everywhere these days. With a short-skirted dinner dress, one girl wears a perl little black felt sailor with crown band and two long streamers of white plaid satin and taffeta ribbon, sequin studded. Hat worn on back of head.

SPECIFICATIONS of the most popular fashions include surplice-closed bodice of squared neckline, wraparound skirt and cascading drapery. We noted these details in four out of every five new black navy or print dress now coming into the shops.

A WEALTH of new blouses is now ready for early Spring wear. Crepe is white and various colors makes a handsome blouse with self ruffles outlining a simulated bolero front. Ruffles down the long sleeves. Pearl button closing.

NO REASON for grumbling on the part of little Miss Sophisticate to see the smart suits being readied for them. A charming one is a paisley green with a crossbar overplaid in rose pink. The skirt is pleated in front and back and the capelet has a rounded shoulder yoke.

EVERYTHING goes for coats this Spring, ranging from full toppers with big flaring skirts to fluffy fun-in-the-rain coats with collarless neckline! In the letter group is a coat of navy with white dots, white collar and satin seaming forming a curved panel on each side from shoulder-line to curved, silk pockets.

SHANNONVILLE W.M.S.

The monthly meeting of the Shannonville W. M. S. was held on February first, at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Virtue.

The President, Mrs. H. Shetlor, opened the meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary and then the roll call to which thirteen members responded and five visitors.

Mrs. J. Sinclair read the Scripture lesson and offered prayer, after which a brief business period followed.

The Group Leader, Mrs. Arthur Bronson, then took charge of the devotional, assisted by Mrs. C. Boutwell.

Mrs. Stanley MacDonald gave a reading entitled "The Search-Light Out". Mrs. H. Shetlor and Mrs. C. Boutwell favored with a duet, "The Ninety and Nine". Readings were given by Mrs. (Rev.) Jarvis, "A Sharpened Tool" and Mrs. A. Houston, "Mrs. Brown and Her Children". After hymn "In Christ there is no East or West" the meeting was closed with the benediction.

The business and her assistants served refreshments, and a social time was enjoyed.

London. (CP)—An admiral's dress sword found in a Kentucky farm in Cardiff, was one of more than 100,- 000 articles left in London taxis last Property office here last year.

New York—Though they've never tasted southern fried chicken, Yankee bean soup or pumpkin pie, these American taste-tempters are a must, by heresay, to New Zealand brides of American servicemen.

From Down Under.

They've been learning by long distance what life is like in the land they've adopted by marriage through the monthly dispatches sent to their Eagle's Club paper by M/Dine Sgt. Walter Nye's New Zealander bride, who is living in Washington while her husband is attending officers' school at Quantico, Va.

The Eagle's Club, organized for wives and sweethearts of the Yanks by Mrs. Nye in May, 1943, in her home town of Wellington, now has some 286 members. Many of them came over with Mrs. Nye in the first boatload of brides which arrived in San Francisco several weeks ago. The others are eagerly waiting for passage and Mrs. Nye's dispatches to Americans.

Under here, this attractive ex-school teacher and daughter of a Wellington banker, lays no line in filling in her Eagle's Club friends on American cookery, which she learned while visiting her husband's folks in Boise, Idaho. "Hubby's" mother gave me an old family recipe for chicken, even to a diagram for carving it up," she beamed enthusiastically.

Interest in Clothes.

Next to cooking, clothes interest the girls back home most, young Mrs. Nye says. She warns them that typical New Zealand tweeds and sweaters aren't needed here because central heating keeps homes and hotels too hot for New Zealanders.

Her advice to them is not to waste money for large wardrobes because the American clothes slant is hard to get by remote control. What one person tells a bride to bring may be all wrong for the section of the country she may be visiting.

Mrs. Nye thinks New Zealand girls won't have to make violent changes to get along with people here. She says with her diary handed away she can't remember the things that seemed unusual at first, except little things, like tea, "At home," Mrs. Nye says, "I'd have tea at 7 o'clock in the morning, with my breakfast about 8 again at 10.30, then with lunch, and again at 3.30, then with dinner and later with supper. Restaurants here use tea-bags which I don't like, so I miss my tea. You see, we drink all day long, but we don't seem to eat as much as we do. I've put on pounds here."

Keep Up Club.

Mrs. Nye, housed precariously in Washington's seat although liked Boise's resemblance to an English village, and her husband don't know where they'll settle. She has lived in England, where her accent is which somewhat British, so led people to ask what part of Australia she was from. Though she may never return to Australia she expects her family over for a visit as soon as war's end makes it possible.

Meanwhile, she says, "we'll keep our Eagle's Club going now that we're in the States, for there's a want to be different, but we want to keep in touch with how we can visit when we travel." which sounds like a good old American custom.

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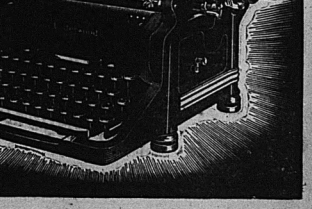
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Montreal Canadiens Out to Set More Records After Taking Stranglehold on N.H.L. Title

Defeat Red Wings on Saturday and Rangers on Sunday to Put Them Away Up

(By The Canadian Press)

With their grip on first place in the National Hockey League generally conceded as being in the stranglehold, Montreal Canadiens can concentrate for the remainder of the season on attempts to smash various league records, some of them established by themselves a year ago.

Most obvious record to be beaten is the individual goal mark, with Maurice Richard destined to do it barring accident. Richard ran his total to 42 Saturday night, equaling the modern mark but still one off the all-time high set by Joe Malone of Canadiens back in 1918. Elmer Lach, meanwhile, added two assists that left him just five off the record 68 set by Clint Smith of Chicago a year ago.

Canadiens as a team are aiming at their record 234 goals last year, but will have to average five a game to beat it. They have scored 183 so far. If they win nine and lose one of their remaining 11 games —no small chore—they can beat their own mark of 83 points in a season.

Toronto Beaten Twice.

The Canucks rolled along as expected over the weekend, beating Detroit Red Wings 4-3 Saturday night and New York Rangers 4-3 last night. The result was the same both times, Toronto Maple Leaf Gardens being the scene of the victories. Detroit moved out Boston 3-2 in the Motor City Saturday night in the only game that had a great deal of effect on the standings except for the hotly contested Rangers-Leafs game, the Rangers clinched to within a point of Rangers and within five points of Boston Bruins the fourth place spot.

Willie Field sparked the Hawk rise in the world. He scored the winner at Toronto Saturday night and set up the play of the goal that put the Hawks back into the fight last night Clint Smith fired the counter to offset Lorne Carr's earlier tally, and put Mosienko added the winning tally 12 minutes later. Two Year Mastery.

Canadiens maintained a two-year-old mastery over Detroit Saturday night with a 4-3 victory that gave them 16 victories and two ties in their last 20 games with the Wings. Richard let the Canuck attack with a pair of tallies while Buddy O'Connor, Ray Getliffe and Ken Blake collected one each. Carl Liscombe and Mud Bruneteau banged the Wings scores.

Canadiens came from behind a one-goal deficit to beat Rangers 4-3 last night. Elmer Lach, two goals, O'Connor and Ken Mosdell were the men for the winners, while Grant Warwick, Bill Dill and Hank Goldup did the scoring for the Rangers.

In the fifth game of the week-end, Detroit gained a stern split in their weekend games by whipping Boston Bruins 3-2 with the Bruins opening and closing the scoring and the Wings pushing in three in a row in between. Carl Liscombe was the big gun for the winners with two goals with the other going to Joe Carveth. Billy Cupolo and Bill Cowley did the scoring for the Bruins.

SEEK TO LAY BASIS

Cairo, Feb. 12 (AP)—Wilbur Forrest, Ralph McGill and Dean Carl W. Ackerman, representing the American Society of Newspaper Editors, arrived today from Greece. The group is seeking on the combined chiefs of staff...



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FIRST DECISION

Washington, Feb. 12 (AP)—The Washington, Post said yesterday that one of the first decisions of the Churchill-Roosevelt-Stalin conference was agreement on Russian representation on the combined chiefs of staff...

Harry Call

Sgt. Allen Lacombe, the best flight promoter in the Persian Gulf Command, is in town for a few days while waiting for a plane to Iran. . . . "We're having a big boxing card at the Rhoreem shamp pinch how, March 14 to 17" he reports. "We have the British, Indians, Russians, Egyptians and Iranians in the main go and champions fighting. . . . I don't know how many of my boys will be left; they may have been shipped while I was home."

Del's All Brothers

In Iowa they're talking about Navy Lieut. Bill Moore, former Waterloo Courier Sports Editor and Iowa Conference Commissioner, as successor to John L. Griffith as Big Ten Commissioner.

Americans Forced To Withdraw From Newly-Won Posts

Rome, Feb. 12 — (AP)—American troops of the 5th Army who drove to within 314 miles of Bologna in the Italian west coast are have withdrawn slightly in the face of increased German counter-attacks and heavy German artillery and mortar fire, Allied headquarters announced today.

The Americans consolidated their positions about a half mile south of Strettoia, which is three miles southeast of Massa, headquarters said.

The push of Massa negro troops of the 92nd Division repelled several counter-attacks about a mile north of the little stream, Fiume la Foce, and then withdrew to its south banks under heavy enemy fire.

Farther inland the Germans were reported making a determined effort to regain control of the road at Sotto ridge on the east side of the Serchio Valley.

From the British 8th Army front came reports that the Germans continued to dynamite Senio river flood banks so that a wide area adjoining the river will be inundated when the spring floods start.

Activity on this front was still limited to patrol clashes and artillery dueling.

Bombers Favorites Over "Flyers" As Series Gets Away

Finishing their regular 1944 Quinte O.H.A. Intermediate schedule all even and tied for first place with identical wins and losses each the Mountain City sextet and the Trenton "Flyers" open a best-of-three playoff series for the group championship and the Rome Area trophy. The winning team advances to the No. 13 R.C.A.F. Training Centre Intermediate O.H.A. series the Camp Borden "Frontiers".

At game time the Bombers held a slight edge in the betting, both in the "pull ring" on the grounds and with Jimmie McCaa's Mountain View squad having been noticeably strengthened with the addition of Goalie Williams, former Springfield defenceman in the American League who also handled goal for the Air Force champions in Sicily and overseas in 1944. Robertson, in the opposite end of the rink, also is an outstanding net-minder.

The Bombers will ice their Doucette-Boudreau-Auby line and Johnny Planck's Raymond - Ramsland - Gerrard forward unit. This gives the Bombers an edge when they has McMullen, Bombers' ace on their second line. When it comes to playing players like that, all was even as the Bombers' Gerrard and Trenton's scoring threat in the form of Mike Smirin, Orlando Wise the teams will be at full strength tonight.

What's Doing in Sport

By The Canadian Press

The reorganization of major league baseball into eastern and western divisions to save train mileage was mooted last night at Washington following a directors meeting of Group C. M. Johnson, Defense Transportation Director, said the clubs reduce travel requirements from 500,000 miles to 200,000 miles.

It was estimated that the regrouping of the 16 clubs would reduce the reduction of 1,960,910 passenger-miles. Even the present schedule division of schedules would not be a hardship on Johnson's operations, it was pointed out.

President Frank Sargent of the O.A.H.A. yesterday announced playoff arrangements for the Ontario Hockey provinces leading to the Memorial Cup championship. Finals to open at Toronto April 14. Western games get under way March 13 with the Manitoba champions at Port Arthur.

After a major-league career of 19 years during which his lifetime batting average was .316, Jimmy Foxx, 37, signed a contract for one year Monday to play with Philadelphia Nationals in an attempted comeback after one season in the minors. Foxx homered 58 times in 1934, while with the Philadelphia Athletics and hit the average of .360 in 134 games during 1936.

Five ticket scalpers were arrested outside Madison Square Garden, New York, Saturday night prior to the start of a basketball doubleheader featuring Notre Dame and New York University which had been sold out weeks in advance.

Because of an abnormal acid condition, Johny Greco, Montreal featherweight, was ordered yesterday to take a rest of four to six weeks and a special diet by his physician at Baltimore, Md. Greco was recently defeated by Bobby Ruffin in a New York bout.

Twelve hours of rain yesterday at New Orleans forced postponement of the final round of the $6,000 Open golf tournament until today when Harold (Jug) McSpaden holding the Sliferin lead three strokes better than Byron Nelson of Toledo.

Brooklyn Dodgers Saturday announced the sale to St. Paul of the American Association of southpaw Tom Sunkel, 30, who played part of last season with Montreal Royals in the International League.

Herbert A. (Hype) Igoe, 67, veteran boxing writer and cartoonist died last night at New York from a heart ailment. He was credited with having covered all the heavyweight championship bouts of the past 40 years.

CONNWALL WINS

Montreal, Feb. 12 (CP)—After suffering five set-backs at the hands of Lachine Rapides, Cornwall Flyers climbed back with a smashing 9-2 victory in an interprovincial league hockey game at neighboring Lachine yesterday.

The Flyers were in the driver's seat all the way, but they hit their highest peak in the third period when they slashed in five goals without reply. Eighteen penalties were handed out in the heavy-hitting game, with defenseman Brink Baltagale of Lachine drawing six of them.

DENIES REPORT

Winnipeg, Feb. 12 — (CP)—The Winnipeg Free Press said yesterday that Premier Stuart S. Garson of Manitoba had denied a report current in Ottawa that he would consider any proposal to enter the Dominion cabinet.

WANT TERMS RELAXED

Rome, Feb. 12 — (AP)—Premier Ivanoe Bonomi has telegraphed the "Big Three" conference asking that the Allied armistice terms for Italy be relaxed. It was learned authoritatively last night.

ST. MIKES COP 17TH GAME IN EIGHTEEN STARTS

Oshawa Generals Come From Behind to Beat Marlboros

By The Canadian Press

St. Michaels copped their 17th game in 18 starts in the O.H.A. "A" season Saturday night at Toronto coming from behind to win on the strength of a 5-3 decision at Oshawa, the Generals, Oshawa Generals scored in the third period to walk over Toronto Marlboros 8-1, at Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto and over St. Catharines in the race for 1st place. Another result was that Galt and Ottawa swept into a tie for 3rd place with 18 points apiece. For the Marlies, it was their 7th defeat in 18 games, to continue well behind Toronto Young Rangers.

Clark opened proceedings at Galt with two goals in succession but the students took command with a 3-2 edge before the first period terminated. Galt added the count 5-3 during the middle frame. Orsvelle and Clark added double scorers for St. Mikes but Galt Clark added their 4th with one goal and three assists, Orsvelle and Curik both scored twice for the losers.

The Flyers started at Oshawa minutes after the opening of the third period and in less than all-minutes had the count 4-0. The net-minding was all over with the lone Marlboro tally by Michaud, Oshawa's defence three counters by the cup defenders, Smith nabbed two of them, along with a brace by Daniels, and the other marksmen were Thaler, Shumski and Peirano.

Leaders Increase Margin in Their Respective Sections

By The Canadian Press

Montreal and western division leaders increased their margins in their respective sections of the American Hockey League in games played with Cleveland Barons scoring a pair of victories in the Eastern division.

Barons, western leaders, helped themselves by knocking off the 2nd-place Indianapolis Capitals 4-1 Sunday night. The night before Barons helped Bisons indirectly by defeating Hershey Bears 3-1. Bears are the Bisons' closest rivals in the eastern division.

The Bisons were idle Saturday night, but they ran their margin over Hershey to five points Sunday by edging out St. Louis Flyers 3-2. Philadelphia Rockets scored their 5th straight victory by trouncing Providence Reds 5-2 Saturday night but their streak was stopped last night when they ran into a 5-3 beating at the hands of Providence Reds.

Hockey Results

By The Canadian Press

(SATURDAY)

Alberta Junior League

Curtis 11; Navy 1

Northern Sask. Jr.

Saskatoon Falcons 7; Saskatoon Navy 7

Edmonton Junior

Canadians 3; Maple Leafs 4

Manitoba Senior-Service

Red Deer 7; Edmonton 2

Man. North Division Jr.

Winnipeg Recuires 6; Canadian Ukrainian Athletic Club 3

Thunder Bay Junior

Port Arthur Flyers 7; Port Arthur H.M.C.S. Griffon 6

Exhibition

Saskatoon Senior Royals 5; Pr. Albert Junior Black Hawks 2

Moose Jaw Canucks 14; Saskatoon R.C.A.F. Seniors 5

Saskatoon Senior Juniors 8; University of Minnesota 6

Hanley 8; Kelfield 2

H.M.C.S. Cornwallis 6; Halifax Navy 2

Interprovincial

Valleyfield Braves 6; Shawinigan Falls Cataracts 2

E.U.S.H.L.

Boston Olympics 5; Washington Lions 4

Philadelphia Falcons 6; Baltimore Blades 1

Sunday

E.U.S.H.L.

Baltimore Blades 6; Philadelphia Falcons 2

Interprovincial

Cornwall Cookies 9; Lachine Rapids 2

O.H.L.

Quebec 7; Ottawa 4

Ottawa 6; Hull 2.

LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Canadian Press)

Standings—Montreal, won 31, lost 9, drew 2, points 64.

Scoring—Goals: Richard, Montreal, 43 goals, 31 assists, 74 points. Goals—Richard, 43.

Assists—Elmer Lach, Montreal, 44. Penalties—Pat Egan, Boston, 60 minutes.

Shutouts—Frank McCool, Toronto, 4.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



CASUAL COMMENT

by R.J.C.

Marie Oberon, the actress, visiting the wounded in a hospital, asked one soldier: "Have you had a Nazi?" The soldier said he had. "With which hand?" Miss Oberon asked. She was told it was a Nazi with a kite.

Then she asked the next patient: "Did you kill a Nazi?"

"Well," came the ready answer. "I bit 'im to death!"

Difference in Opinion.

In the account of the Belleville Terriers' victory over the Oshawa Generals Feb. 9th, the Trenton press attacked the work of referees St. Louis and Hastings. Considering that the rough Belleville players got away with murder throughout the game, it is a degree he failed to score more than a single penalty was regarding Barney having his glasses broken. The Trenton reporter went on to say the game was poorly handled which tended to unnecessary roughness. However, the Trenton scribe neglected to tell his reading public that during the following Trenton at Norwood Junior game the next night, Joe Pile, classy Hastings defenceman, received serious injuries necessitating eleven stitches in his face. Joe was approached up when he appeared here Friday night, he resembled the masked marvel with strips of adhesive tape plastered all over and pass. But Joe wasn't letting on any great how! he merely remarked to Pete Gray, "It's all in the game."

There have been 31 games played in the Ontario Rec. Loop so far and the referees on the whole has been very fair. Considering the fact that the Quinte Skating Club's fantasy on Friday evening next.... Heads of the Quinte Skating Club have included Vi Vi Smith, of the Toronto Skating Club and Canadian figure skating champion, as their feature attraction, although Smith is not the only one of prominent in North America skating circles, including Susan Morrow and Montgomery Sweden. Other attractions, as well as other outstanding players.... However, tonight it is Mountain View and Trenton prying off the lid in the Quinte O.H.A. Intermediate series the winners meeting Cornwall Flyers in the next best-of-three series with the winners meeting Cornwall Flyers in the next week.... As the fans realize these two squads are evenly matched reserve seats are at a premium for the entire series. Pa Jimmie McCaa has issued strict orders to the Bombers to "stop Raymond Monday night.... However, maybe that's easier said than done.

This and That.

Delving in the records Windsor's Doug Vaughan comes up with some interesting copy on Lester "Lefty" Sewell, manager of the St. Louis Browns, is starting now that Gen. McQuinn was out at third base in the 11th in the second game of the 1944 World Series with the Cardinals, but it took him a long time to see the light.... He had insisted that Umpire Ziggy Sears had missed the play but after the pictures of the series were shown to a group of baseball writers and members of Sewell's U.S.O. troupe in a Washington theatre, Jim Kaasch, India....When Mel Ott, manager of the New York Giants, was asked after returning from a recent U.S.O. overseas tour what player the soldiers in the fighting lines were most interested in he replied that it was Pete Gray, the one-armed outfielder whom the Browns bought not so long ago.... Bill Carpenter, who supervises minor league baseball for that ex-ball players make the best athletic officials, according to air transport officials, Gunder Haegg, the Swedish running ace, forfeited a plane ride to America via the Southern route because he refused to be inoculated against Yellow Fever.... If Hank Borowy, former mound ace, resumes his career with the Yankees and their pitching next season he will start with the disjunction of being the only flipper with one or more years experience in the American League who has an edge on all rival clubs.... In three years under Manager Cartin, Borowy ha sracked up 46 victories while losing 26 games.... The Detroit Tigers are his pet club to date. He has beaten them nine times in 12 engagements.

Remember When.

Charlie Conacher was leading the National Hockey League scoring statistic column with 40 points when Lorne Chabot, goalie of the Toronto Maple Leafs, took a six-goal lead over Joe Primeau and was nine points out in front of Dupher Jackson, other member of Toronto's great "kid line" of 1934.

Last Only Fight.

Legends surrounding the life of John L. Sullivan are so fabulous that probably few present-day boxing fans realize that the Boston Strong Boy looked to successfully defend his heavyweight title.

Sullivan's fight career dated from 1878 when he failed to win the championship until 11 years later—in 1889—when he defeated Jake Kilrain in 75 rounds at Richburg, Miss.

Sullivan fought an occasional exhibition after gaining the title, but he didn't defend it until September 7, 1892, when he was knocked out by Jim Corbett in 21 rounds at New Orleans.

He appeared in the ring as a fighter only once after this defeat, meeting Tom Sharkey in a 10-round no-decision in New York in 1896.

WEEKEND STARS

ELMER LACH, CANADIENS—who drew two assists Saturday night, and added two goals Sunday night when Canadiens zoomed over New York Rangers 4-3.

CARL LISCOMBE, DETROIT—who scored three goals during the weekend to help down the Wings and defeated Boston Bruins 4-3 Sunday night.

WILF FIELD, CHICAGO—who scored the winning goal as the Hawks defeated Toronto Maple Leafs 2-1 Saturday night, and made the play for the tying goal that started them on their way to a repeat against leafs Sunday night.

LORNE CARR, TORONTO—who collected his team's only goal's Saturday and Sunday night.

WANTS TO RUN AGAIN

Washington, Feb. 12 — (AP)—Republican party leaders concluded today that Gov. Thomas E. Dewey is anxious to run again for the presidency of the United States. The only comment that grew out of Mr. Dewey's first post-campaign speech here Thursday night and subsequent bi-at-noon conferences he held with party leaders.

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LESSON NO. 604
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

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SOUTH
♠Q
♥8 5
♦A K J 10 8 5 4
♣Q 8
NORTH
♠A 10 8
♥A K 10 6 4
♦8 3 2
♣A 4 3

South opens with one diamond. North responds with one heart. South then bids three diamonds, a one-jump rebid signal that says the bidding should not stop short of a game in something.

What should North do next? As always he simply follows the normal order for the choice of bids: T-A-N. Takeout is first choice; notrump, second choice; no-trump last choice.

His first response had been a takeout in hearts. For another takeout, he first looks for another trump biddable suit. With none such, he looks to see if he can takeout again to his first named suit.

Since his suit has not been lengthened, when is it strong enough to takeout again? When it is jumpbiddable; that is, when it is an honor card longer than a biddable suit.

The A K 6 4 would be a biddable suit. The ten is an honor in addition thereto. So, his heart suit is rebiddable. Therefore, his second round response is a takeout to three hearts.

Should he have any doubts about bidding three hearts? Not since a one-jump game-going bid has been made by one member of his pair; it assures him at least one more chance to bid.

South must bid again, looking first for another takeout. He has a re-rebiddable suit that has been big only twice. He can takeout to that suit a third time. His bid is now four diamonds.

Four diamonds is not a game contract. North must bid again. But without confidence in partner, south might have bid five diamonds and shut out slam information.

Bids that keep open save you hopin.

Varied Pets of Fighting Britons

(By Vernon Noble, Royal Air Force Squadron Leader, in "Our Dumb Animals" Magazine.)

When British convoys of tanks, ammunition, supply wagons and other vehicles halt on the roads that lead to Germany, soldiers can be seen to leap out at intervals down the lines to exercise their dogs. There are large dogs and small dogs, of every color and variety. Of them, there is one that companied their owners from Britain, but took their own private way along the way, canine refugees of three or four nationalities. Wherever Allied armies have passed for France, Belgium and Holland, stray dogs have only to wander into camps or way their tails at a bent door to be given refuge and a name.

Men of Britain's Royal Air Force are fond of dogs, too, and there is not an airfield without its canine mascot. Several of these airfield mals have been trained to do a useful job, acting as watch dogs at night; others are just pets roaming around the flying fields and dispersals with a proprietary air.

A cook house at a group headquarters of R.A.F. Second Tactical Air Force has little mongrel as its mascot, a sharp-nosed dog with grizzly hair, found abut and smoked in the ruins of Caen. There is no sign of shell shock now, and the thin legs carry a plump, well-fed body.

The airfields have a profusion of pets other than dogs. There are pigs and goats, hens and ducks, lizards and horses. One of the pigs was also a shell shock case. It was found in the wreckage of farm buildings, wandering about in a stupor, its head jerking unpleasantly. Airmen took charge of it and nursed it back to health.

Three hens were given to Spitfire pilots in Picardy. They manufactured a coop out of a salvaged German ammunition box and fitted it on the fat bonnet of a jeep. And so the hens travelled all the way to the German frontier, occasionally laying an egg in return for their keep.

An equipment section has tethered its pet duck in fields and orchard canopies and all life was from France, providing it with a tank of water and feeding it on potatoes.

In the case of pigs, ducks and hens, their owners contended that they were fattening them up for Christmas, and everyone knows that these pets would never be sacrificed in this manner. Their owners had too great affection for them.

Typhoon squadron has a goat which would eat tins and steel when it pleases and drops contentedly in front of the store. It will eat anything that is offered, even captured German bicycle which we all the way as granite and fit only to pave a road; but it is also fond of cake carelessly left lying about, and even the seat of a pilot's trousers.

Two German shepherds owned by R.A.F. officers in Normandy, have formed the habit of all the way to Holland, but another German possession, a fine Alsatian dog, presented a problem. It had been left behind in Palsize, but was apparently as intractable as its Nazi masters. It would allow no one to approach it too closely. It responded to sharp words of command, but refused any affection for its new master.

The pilot tried to disregard it, yet the dog followed him, always at a distance, to the airfield. It took days of patient petting to win the dog's trust, and now the animal is apparently as friendly and docile as a household pet, but to his pilot-master, only.

Perhaps the strangest pets are those of an R.A.F. Group Headquarters administrative officer. He has collected a fox, a grizzly fox-cub, water snails and water beetles. They have been accommodated in buckets from camp to camp, fed on fish and weeds from French and Belgian streams and Dutch canals. Now they have a large glass bottles for his trophies in the mess of his officer's club, and they adorn the tables and desk of his office.

There is probably a psychological reason for the caring of the British Army and Air Force for pets. Perhaps it is something akin to the fondness others have for "pin-ups". Just a reminder of things other than war, a vehicle for affection.

United States and Canadian forces show a similar affection for animals. Many of the soldiers, Americans offering to buy Alsatians found pulling heavily-laden barrows along Belgian roads or harnessed under milk carts in Holland. The dog as a beast of burden is unfamiliar to most of the English-speaking peoples. The Belgians and Dutch, in the wayside villages, stare incredulously at the confusion of pets, and shake their heads and shrug their shoulders as if they think the British and Americans a strange race.

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TRENTON

Recently Released From Penitentiary Youth Again Held

Trenton (Special)—Gerald Francis Minifie, recently released from Kingston penitentiary was arrested early Friday morning by Constables O. Crawford and W. Browne, of the Trenton police force, near a store on Dundas St.

After questioning it is alleged he admitted having stolen three cars from Trenton during the past couple of weeks, in company with Russell B. Phillips, of Brighton township. All the cars had been recovered by Trenton police.

Phillips was arrested last week by Sergeant V. F. Taylor of the local force, on a charge of having stolen a letter containing cheques from the mail box of S. McQuoid, Brighton Township. He appeared in court on Tuesday last on five charges, and pleaded guilty to all five. He was remanded until Tuesday, February 13th., for sentence.

Minifie was remanded until Tuesday for sentence, by the local Justice of the Peace, on which date he will appear before the magistrate to answer to the car thefts.

G. N. Haggerman, of Peterborough, reported to Trenton Police on Friday that the license plate, 3-N-209, 1944, had been stolen from his car while it was parked on Front or between the two points.

Mrs. Hagerman, who had made several stops between the two points, in the course of her errands, said the plate was stolen as the nuts and bolts on the plate bracket had been loosened and then tightened again.

Heavy Property Damage

Considerable damage was done to a car owned and driven by Irving McCaughry, Trenton, late Friday afternoon when it was allegedly struck by a Dwight Transport driven by William McKibbon, of Toronto.

McCaughey is said to have been stopped at the intersection of Ontario and Dundas Streets waiting to enter Dundas when the transport backed out from the Bigge-Stinson service station into Dundas St. apparently without seeing that McCaughey's car was in the rear of the transport.

The grill, headlight and front of the car were considerably damaged but no damage was suffered by the transport.



AT THE CAPITOL — Billy Gilbert needs all of his several hundred expressions in "Crazy Knights," comedy, now at Capitol Theatre. On the same program "The Sullivans."

Claims of Death Of Nazi Officials To Be Checked

London, Feb. 12 — (CP) — Increasing skepticism over Berlin announcements of deaths of high Nazi officials has led to the conviction here that in the future Allied authorities should check thoroughly before accepting such German claims.

A flurry of synthetic death notices of Nazis high on the war criminal lists is anticipated as the German position becomes more acute.

Last week Berlin announced that Roland Freisler, president of the so-called People's Court, was killed in an American air raid on the German capital. Freisler sent hundreds of persons opposed to Hitlerism to the gallows.

The possibility exists that in this case, and other similar instances, there may have been a deliberate death report, followed by a state funeral, to allow Freisler to start a new life outside of Germany.

$85,000 FIRE LOSS

Oil Springs, Ont., Feb. 10 —(CP)— Fire of unknown origin, fed by chemicals from a drugstore basement, destroyed the Dewar Block here last night and disrupted telephone connections for several hours. Damage was unofficially estimated at $85,000. The fire swept through the Bell Telephone Company office, the Bank of Toronto, Surgis Drug Store and four apartments above these buildings.

London, (CP)—New officer commanding the R.C.A.F. City of London Spitfire squadron is Squadron Ldr. J. D. Mitchell, D.F.C., of 221-26th Ave., Saskatoon.

COMMODORE "D"



Cmdre. George W. G. Simpson, O.B.E., R.N., whose commodore "D" western approaches, controls the destiny of Canadian-bound seaboard in Londonderry. Before attaining his present post, Cmdre. Simpson was in command of a submarine flotilla which sank, in two years, half a million tons of enemy shipping in the Mediterranean.



AT THE McCARTHY — Comic Victor Moore, twinkle-toed Ann Miller and the "Ol' Professor," band-leader Kay Kyser, star in the new musical "Carolina Blues," currently at the McCarthy Theatre.

Shaggy Dog Stories

I don't remember just how long ago it was that we had an epidemic of Little Alice stories. All of them ended up with: "And that's Little Alice" laughed and laughed, because she knew so-and-so and so-and-so."

The so-and-so and so-and-so stands, of course, for the joke. V. V. M. writes in The Winnipeg Tribune:

Then there came a plethora of Little Moron stories—although they weren't really stories. They consisted of remarks such as: "Did you hear about the Little Moron who cut a hole in the rug to see the other floor?"

New Outlawry.

And now we have what looks like the start of an outbreak of Shaggy Dog stories.

It begins with I had better explain that a shaggy dog story has nothing to do with a shaggy dog.

A shaggy dog story is one that is absolutely incredible.

Its humor lies in its utter absurdity.

I've heard quite a few shaggy dog stories recently and I'm going to pass a couple of them along—just to show what they're like.

The first one concerns a young man who is trying for a circus manager for a job.

"You've got all the laborers I need, right now," the manager told him. "What I'm looking for is an artist who will do something unusual—something to give the crowd a thrill. Something that will make them gasp with amazement."

Often he sits.

The young man thought for a while or two and then said: "Supposing I dive 800 feet, landing on my head, on a solid brick of concrete—do you think that would thrill the crowd?"

"Of course it would. But you'll kill yourself."

"No sir," replied the young man, quite calmly. "You fix up the ladder, and the block of concrete, and I'll show you."

The manager went ahead as instructed. The time for the first performance arrived. The big top with the big moment—was packed—and a tense crowd as the young man climbed the long, long tights, climbed briskly up the 800-foot ladder.

Reaching the tiny platform at the top, he turned and bowed to all directions. Then he straightened up. The kettle drum in the band started a roll that reached a crescendo as the young man swept down in a perfect swan dive.

Lands on Head.

"Crash!" went the cymbals, as he struck the concrete block, landing square on his head.

Leaping quickly to his feet, he again bowed in all directions amidst a terrific ovation, and walked to the dressing tent. The manager rushed after him.

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The young man shook his head.

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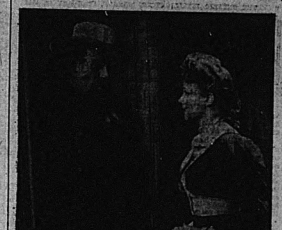
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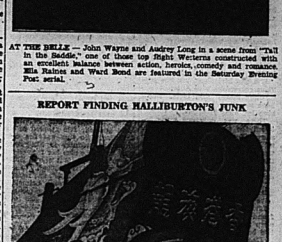
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REPORT FINDING HALLIBURTON'S JUNK



A skeleton boat washed up at suburban Pacific Beach, may be the long-missing junk Sanderson's Chinese junk, according to a report from San Diego, Calif. Halliburton and his crew of 14 have been missing since March 24, 1939, and presumably perished while attempting to sail Hong Kong to San Pfancisco. Pictured here is Halliburton and his junk.

MAY BE TERMINAL

Vancouver, Feb. 12 — (CP)—Vancouver may be the terminal for two trans-Pacific Air Lines to Australia and New Zealand, it was indicated in a letter from Munitions Minister Howe read to the Vancouver Board of Trade Saturday.

VATICAN ACCUSED

New York, Feb. 10 (CP) — The Russian Orthodox church, in a broadcast broadcast from Moscow radio last night, accused the Vatican of condoning Fascism by attempting to excuse Germany for its crimes. This statement was issued by churchmen gathered in Moscow to elect the new Patriarch, Alexei.

THEATRE FEATURE TIMES

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TALL IN THE SADDLE	CAROLINA BLUES	CRAZY KNIGHTS
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"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 14.

"Do you have a lot of extras in the pictures?" she asked him, but he was deep in his thoughts and didn't hear her at first.

When I came into pictures—in silent days, he told her, drunkenness was more overlaked than it is now. There was a guy I worked for—Jackson, Bert Jackson—he wouldn't know him. But he was the best director I ever had. And, ever, He drank—oh, my God, how he drank. What's that about extras? Are there many? No, why?

What did you say about Dixon? I was his assistant director—a long time ago."

"D'ye ever see him now?"

Sure, sometimes. I give him a job whenever I can, poor devil."

"Where is he now?"

"D'ye know him?"

"Oh, just curiosity."

"The last I heard of him—about a year ago—he was in jail."

He was just paying the check and didn't see the expression of anguish in Livia's face. He only heard the faint echo:

"In jail?"

The burden of her secret was too heavy for Livia to carry alone. She must tell someone that Dixon was in jail.

"When do you want me for rehearsal?" she asked Pordyce. He stared at her blankly.

"Come back at 4 o'clock. I'm testing white."

"Must I?" begged Livia.

She told him about her two previous encounters with Alice.

"She's mean," said Livia. "She'll have me fired, I know it. Please keep her away from me."

Then was only one song between the girls. It was a hospital story. Alice was a rich society girl in love with a doctor. Livia's role was small, but important. She was the nurse in the operating theatre through whose negligence Alice died.

"We'll use a dummy for Alice," grinned the director. "She won't have to see you."

Livia drove to Vera's house and found her putting the knot in her sash for her afternoon nap. She had been resting.

George is in trouble again. He has to appear before another committee."

"What'll he doing this time—doping the horses?"

"I wouldn't be surprised," said Vera wearily.

Livia's sister had aged considerably since her marriage to George Maxwell. She had grown lax about her appearance. Her hair was hair scrawled untidily across her fore head.

Livia hesitated—then said:

"I have something awful to tell you. But the help is bad there. Oh, she's so cute." Livia took the little girl's hand and patted into the sleepy half-closed eyes.

"She's like you, Livia," said Vera proudly. "She has your looks."

"They went into the living-room together.

"It's about father—he's alive," said Livia slowly and waited for Vera's exclamation of disbelief. But none came. "Vera, did you hear?" she asked wonderingly. Vera nodded.

"For quite a long time," she said, "Mother told me—but we didn't want you to know."

"He's in jail," said Livia.

"He was in jail." Vera corrected. He had a private check to a restaurant, and it had "bounced" the same time". he grinned, "I hear he's going to marry Countess Sashie."

"Really! How interesting," said Livia formally.

"When you finish excavating your past, we'll discuss work," said Pordyce.

Today Pordyce hated all women. He was tired of Livia, and had said and had only all-man roles in his pictures.

Terry had a visitor—the Countess Sashie.

"Talk of an angel and here she is," he said gaily to Livia and Pordyce.

Pordyce said the director annoyed him.

"I dropped by to see Alice", gushed the Countess. "But they tell me she's gone. I wanted to invite her to a party I'm giving in which everyone comes as themselves—original, don't you think?"

"Quiet everyone," yelled the assistant director. The Countess glared at him and started to speak, but Pordyce put a finger to his lips.

"Well—" muttered the Countess and subsided into a chair, with Miss Delaware" written on the canvas back in large black letters. Her presence made Livia nervous. It's strange she should how well she can act when I'm alone or rehearsing.

Livia" shouted Pordyce. "Do I have to tell you again not to look at the camera?"

Noting her tense face, the director changed tactics and tricked her into giving a good performance. He had seen too many newcomers frozen nervous when they thought it was the real thing. But in rehearsal, if they could act at all, they usually did. So for the first few days he usually pretended they were still rehearsing.

"Come on, Livia". He smiled at her. "I'll doesn't matter if you blow-up—then he love feith you and he likes you to be with him, and Schneider is rich, and we can rehearse for days, Livia, there's no hurry".

It was the slapping scene. Estaperated at the doctor's indifference, she had to apply comprehension. Did he know something new about her father?

"That you don't like me", asked him.

"That you don't like me", Carlotta Vale reproached him. "Don't quarrel with me now, we have a headache". He could have crushed her with his strong arms.

"I'm not quite that bad—or desperate", he said to himself. And aloud. "Good-night, then".

"Good-night". Her cool lips brushed his cheek.

(To be continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

MONDAY, FEB. 12.

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4.15 p.m.
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—4.40 p.m.
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CJBC—Horace Heidt.
WBNY-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
—7.15 p.m.
WKBW-CBS—Hedda Hopper.
—7.30 p.m.
CKEY—June Ellis.
CFRB—Can We Know.
WKBW-CBS—Thanks to Yanks.
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CJBC—Bulldog Drummond.
—8.00 p.m.
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WKBW-CBS—Burns and Allen.
—9.00 p.m.
CFRB, CKOC—Radio Theatre.
WGR-BLUE—Counter-Spy.
WBEN-NBC—Telephone Hour.
—9.30 p.m.
CJBC-NBC—Information Please.
CBL—Georgian Singers.
—10.00 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—CBC National News.
WGR-BLUE—Jerry Lonlands.
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—10.30 p.m.
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CFRB—News.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
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London, (CP)—Brig. F. D. Hoblit, X-ray therapy and physical fitness expert, gives this advice on how to get rid of worry: Forget other play fairies and start playing Mum yourself.

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Honey Prices Increased During The Past Year

An increase from 17.5 to 19.1 cents per pound for honey was among the changes in prices in 1944, was learned at the annual meeting of the Ontario Beekeepers Co-operative Association, Toronto, from H. B. O. Lott, director of the organization.

Mr. Lott, who has been a director of the Co-operative for the past eighteen years attended the annual meeting held in Toronto last week.

Inability to ship honey to the United Kingdom markets due to obvious reasons confined the 1944 crop to Canada, but it is felt that domestic consumers will handle the output. Three cars were shipped recently to British Columbia and other far western points.

The quality of honey was well below normal, Mr. Lott said, due to the cold winter, the poor fall of 1943 crop are good, insofar as deep freezing is concerned, but will be best in outside colonies.

Suggestions that the organization touch United States markets have been under consideration by the Ontario Beekeepers' Association, Mr. Lott said, but nothing definite has arrived at during the annual conclave.

Most Observers Expect Election At Earliest Date

Ottawa, Feb. 13 (—(CP)— After a week's appraisal of the political situation following the Grey-North by-election it is believed the government will probably make a decision on its course of action as to a general election and the timing of a general election.

The decision may have already been reached but if it has not yet been announced, it is understood that it will be made before the end of the month.

Political observers still are divided in their opinions as to whether the session of parliament will or should be held before the term runs out on April 17, with the election details to follow, or should be no session but an election at the earliest opportunity.

In determining this date the government will undoubtedly have to take into account the intensified fighting in which the Canadian forces are now engaged in against the German counter-offensive before the election as a time which would necessitate postponing the spring Victory Loan.

Three Sons Killed On Western Front

Brantford, Feb. 13 — (CP)—The war has deprived Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cooper, Tuscarora, of three sons, all killed in action on the western front.

Last killed Pte. Ivan Wagner, a former member of the Dufferin and Haldimand Rifles, was killed in action in France, and in August came word that Sgt. Harry Wagner had been killed while serving in France. He also was a former member of the Dufferin and Haldimand Rifles.

Sunday the third death message was received. It announced that Pte. Howard Wagner, their third son, had been killed in action while serving on the western front.

4 Church Officials Killed by V-Bomb In England Recently

London, Feb. 12 — (CP) — Four officials of the Presbyterian Church in England were killed by a V-bomb which destroyed part of a church hall recently.

Among them, Rev. W. T. Brodie, general secretary; W. H. Wright, financial secretary; Rev. T. W. Pearce, foreign secretary, emeritus secretary, and W. T. Stubbs, assistant general secretary.

An investigation is in progress to determine if there were other deaths. A conference of Presbyterian ministers and laymen from all parts of England was in progress.

The church moderator, Rt. Rev. A. A. Richardson, Edinburgh, Scotland, could not be reached the hall a few minutes later. Just as he approached, a good part of the building was blown to fragments.

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ASKS HARD PEACE BE IMPOSED ON GERMANY, JAPAN

Speakers at World's Labor Conference Demand "Justice"

London, Feb. 13 (Reuters)—Demands for hard peace for Germany and Japan were made today before the World's Trade Union Conference.

Jan Stanczyk, Polish representative, stressing that the peace proposals must not be left in the hands of diplomats alone, declared "I don't ask for revenge, I ask for justice".

"I believe in just punishment for the German aggressor and making him pay. We, the people of the countries who are neighbors of the German aggressor, have established the right to demand that the German crimes be severely punished.

Germany must be taught that it will get nothing anything does war and that it will never be master of masters, Stanczyk emphasized.

Similar views by a Japan.

Trial of the Emperor of Japan as a war criminal was called for by a Chinese delegate, Chu Hsueh Fan. The whole property of the Mikado must be rooted out.

Japan must be deprived of the territories she had stolen from her neighbors, which must be restored to their rightful owners, and she should be stripped of all islands in the Pacific which she has seized and occupied, he declared.

Japan should be deprived of her industries useful for war, and Japanese labor must be transformed and used to produce for the rehabilitation of China.

Japanese militarism must also be made to make reparations to the United States, Great Britain and the other allies.

Greek Issue Raised

The Greek issue was raised at the conference for the first time by a delegate from Cyprus, A. Zlatides, who declared that the crimes against all we have fought for will be useless that the first people now to be relieved is Hitler and his fascist collaborators, but freedom fighters of the R.L.A.S. movement".

The E.L.A.S. is the militia of the E.A.M.— National Liberation Front Left-Wing Party which has good government and British troops in Greece.)

The trade unionists and people of Cyprus desired the application of the principles of the Atlantic Charter and the Teheran Conference to their own case, he declared. "We have refused the right to democratic freedom. The people of Cyprus demand to be united again with their Mother Country, Greece. . . .

Women and Girls Made Liable For Auxiliary Service

London, Feb. 13 — (CP)—Every woman and girl in Germany could be made liable for auxiliary service with the Volkssturm (People Army) under a decree, broadcast by the Nazi thus bringing the entire German nation within the grip of Heinrich Chief Heinrich Himmler, commander of the home army.

The Germans had lied at conscription of women in Britain and prided themselves upon their "total voluntary system" of their women's efforts.

D.N.B. said the new decree was signed by the "Chief of the Nazi Party."

The Berlin radio also announced the innovation of "Werwolf" radio telegraph," reporting that this was designed "particularly to help those of the Atlantic strongpoints who have no other means of communications."

Under this plan German soldiers trapped in Atlantic ports can be married in absentia by merely signing a declaration of intention in the presence of their commanding officer.

Bulldozer on Scene, Roc d'Or Being Obliterated Now

Roc D'Or, Que., Feb. 13 (CP)— This once pleasure resort, situated in the Northern Quebec mining belt, where small shacks used to rent for $75 a month, six-months payable in advance, is being obliterated. In the last of the same high-rent shacks going down before bulldozers.

For Roc D'Or was just a prelude to the town of Malartic, one mile away. When Malartic, with a present population of more than 2,000 was incorporated in 1936, huge people moved there, but some 1,200 remained in Roc D'Or pending the boo gouvernment decided two years ago to make them move.

A few people are still here and it is understood court proceedings may be taken against them.

Some of the better residences have been moved to other parts but for the rest demolition has been going on from time to time; trucks and bulldozers rippling through the old walls of abandoned shacks by the dilapidated settlement, which boasted neither church, school nor water system.

Plymouth, Scotland, (CP)— Six of the crew of a fishing boat were drowned when the vessel struck a rock after the engine failed and 30 yards from the harbor mouth in this Berwickshire town.

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NEW YORK

Market closed. Lincoln's birthday.

MONTREAL LIVESTOCK

Montreal, Feb. 12 —(CP)— Prices were steady to 25 cents lower in spots, at the close of division today on the livestock market. Receipts: cattle 1,186, calves 866, sheep 367, hogs 1,000.

Good quality steers fairly active $12.50 with an odd cattle a shade higher; medium to good steers $11.50-12.50; fair to medium quality offerings mostly $10-$12.50; heifers $12-$13; good cows mostly $8.75-$9 with a few at $9.25; bulls for common butchers $6.50-$7.25. Bulls slow $7-$8.

Calves in good demand and active, $14-$15; medium quality veals $12.50-$16.50 with the bulk of choice grades $14-$15; grasers $7-$8.50.

Lambs mostly bucks $11-$12; sheep steady, catering to quality. Hogs firm $15-$16.25 by Grade A, mostly $16, down $13.50-$14.

TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, Feb. 12 — (CP)— Golds, Base Metals and Western Oils posted small gains this afternoon on Thursday Exchange. Industrials were lower. Turnover was 694,050 shares.

Transcontinental resources holding at sharply to a new high at $2.10, up 30 cents over night, trading in heavy volume. Lowerfoot gained about ten cents and other strong golds were Negus, Kerr-Addison, Pamour, Preston, Wasa Lake, Provincial Base Metals, Lake, Producers, Steep Rock; Ventures and Noranda were unchanged.

Small gains were netted in industrials by the Food, Steel and Paper Stocks.

LIVESTOCK

Toronto, Feb. 12 — (CP) — Cattle trade was slow with prices about steady in the early session of the livestock market here today. Calves were firm. Hogs were 15 cents cwt. higher. No good lambs were offered and common to medium sold steady. Sheep were steady.

Receipts reported by the Dominion Marketing Service were: cattle 2,400; calves: 260; hogs 600; sheep and lambs 800. Receipts from last week were 300 head of cattle.

Prices in the trade included:

Cattle: Steers, choice, $11-$12.50, butcher steers $10-11.50, heifers $10-$11.50, butcher heifers $9-$10.50, canners downward to $5.50, bulls $7-$8.25, fed yearlings $7.50-$10.50.

Calves: $15.50-$16.50 for choice, common vealers downward to $10, grasers $6.50-$8.

Lambs: common to medium $6-$11.50.

Sheep: $3-$6.

Hogs: dressed, Grade A $17.50; grade 2s $17.50, sows $13.25 dressed.

HOGS

Toronto, Feb. 12. (CP)—Prices were unchanged to 15 cents lower on Thursday's reporting early today. Dressed hogs: Toronto basis, Grade A $17.50; Hamilton $17.65; Barrie $17.75; Stratford, to Farmers $17.50, to truckers $17.65.

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Five Survivors Spend Nine Hours On a Liferaft

Halifax, Feb. 12. (CP)—Five survivors of the 43-man crew of a Canadian ship torpedoed off the Atlantic seaboard told a story here yesterday of spending nine hours on a liferaft after their ship had gone down. The other 37 members of the crew perished while making a futile attempt to launch lifeboats.

The five survivors—Elmer Cossman, Halifax; John Boffitt, New Glasgow, N.S.; Jimmy Bonner, Florence, N.S.; Steve Lesage, St. Hyacinthe, Que., and John Christensen, Denmark—said they were asleep at the time and were awakened by the blast of the torpedo, which struck around six a.m.

As dawn two days before the ship was sunk had washed away the shadows on the liferafts and the occupants were unable to help fellow crew members in the water. Every man said: "We saw lights bobbing in the water as heard their fellows calling all around us, but we were unable to help them".

Thirty-year-old John Boffitt spent 20 minutes in the water before he was pulled aboard. Commander for it, Christensen and Bonner had already reached it. The three huddled on the raft until they were picked up by a flier force crash boat late in the afternoon.

Birkenhead, England (CP) — William Henry McMenemy, the man responsible for the installation of machinery for Britain's fastest warships, has retired after 57 years with Cammell Laird and Co. Ltd., which now the new Mauretania. He will retain his seat on the board.

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Battle Sidelights

By DOUGLAS AMARON
Canadian Press War Correspondent

With the 1st Canadian Army in Germany, Feb. 13 (CP Cable) — Battle sidelights:

German prisoners taken by the Canadians in their advance east from Nijmegen have been just as fanatical in their opposition as the Canadians have encountered since the fighting in Normandy last summer.

Most of them have fallen into the Canadian hands between the ages of 40 and 56 and teen-aged boys of the Hitler Youth. Enough to form 20 to gain battle experience. They refused strongly brought briefly in some place but until Sunday's stiffer fighting northwest of Kleve they surrendered in droves.

1. Cpl. Cliff Bolin f Kitchener, Ont., and rifleman Len Eatringer of Hamilton, Ont. John Nichols of Driffield, Alta., and Robert Higgs of North Battleford, Sask., routed 23 Germans, defiading two officers, from one house.

The men with grenades after three plat bombs had been fired into the house, Bolin said. "When we kicked in the cellar window they started hollering and when one German stuck his rifle out of the window Eatringer pulled it out of his hands."

The two officers stayed behind clouds.

KEEP THEM OFF THE CROP



Austrian Munitions Manufacturer, Fritz Mandl Now Lives in Argentina

Down in Argentina, behind the smoke screen of diplomatic double talk, one of the most sinister figures of the western hemisphere is at work. He name is Fritz Mandl.

He is a munitions maker in Austria, (divorced husband of movie actress Hedy Lamarr). At the armistice No. 1 to the peace of the world, Van Paassen, friend of royalty pet, described Mussolini as "the greatest salesman" in the world. Mandl, Jockey Club, Fritz Mandl could give Mussolini cards and spades and still beat him hollow.

He vehmly insists at times that he is a friend of the Allies, yet he boasted publicly after Anschluss of his excellent relationship with the Nazis. He calls himself a refugee from the Gestapo, but all Buenos Aires saw him arrive a chief official from Germany to help him set up a munitions plant in Argentina. Right now he is paying Austrian prisoners the princely sum of 1,500 pesos a month.

Before he was 30 his father had given him the management of the family munitions plant in Vienna the great Hirtenberger works. Only where money and munitions are concerned are there no limits about Fritz Mandl.

He was born rich in 1900. The Hirtenberger workers, founded in 1803, sucked him. European war fattened him. At the height of the Spanish civil war Franco was in his debt. Il Duce decorated him for help to Italy in the Abyssinian war.

Armaments have netted him over $60,000,000 during his lifetime.

As a result of this harvest, weapons of destruction have always fascinated him.

"Toy Soldiers"

Fifteen years ago, Mandl married Hedy Lamarr in Argentina. He invested enormous sums in Argentine factories, mines and a steel plant—the Pilcaniyeu project. Mandl's munitions plant was built by the Austrian Hirtenberger works, of which Mandl was the owner. Mandl also had other holdings in the country. He is the moving force behind the ally and confidant of the notorious Nazi agent, Baron Fritz Von Thyssen, "the iron baron" of Germany. Thyssen's "iron baron" of Germany. Thyssen's "iron baron" of Germany. Thyssen's "

Probabilities

Lower Lake Region—Strong winds with a moderate snowfall today and Wednesday with drifting, probably part later near Lake Erie.

The Ontario Intelligencer

Temperatures

	Max.	Min.
Today	17	16
Year ago	34	16
Cloudy.		

BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1945

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ALLIED WORLD HAILS RESULTS OF CRIMEA PARLEY
CANADIANS DRIVE FOR WESEL, YANKS TAKE PRUEM

Northern Flank Of Nazi Defences Bent by Canadians

Troops Advance Within 20 Miles of Ruhr City of Wesel

By JAMES M. LONG
(Associated Press Staff Writer).

Paris, Feb. 13 — (AP) — From Canadian Army forces driving through the ruins of Xieve advanced today to within 20 miles of the Ruhr city of Wesel and within two miles of the Rhine-Industrial centre of Emmerich against resistance subdued by the punishment of seven drack German divisions. Both Wesel and Emmerich are on the opposite side of the Rhine from the Canadians.

In the centre, the United States 3rd Army mopped up the road centre of Prum, recently capture placed 3rd Army men within 45 miles of the Rhine city of Cobienz.

The loss of Prum and its arterial highways to Cobienz, Cologne, 35 miles northeast, and Saarbrucken, 73 miles south, weakened the whole German defence system in the Kifel mountains where 10 armies have been crashed from the Siegfried Line.

Heads Navy Arms Inspectn

Continuing floods on the Roer River kept the United States 1st and 9th and the British 2nd Armies quiet along the central 30-mile sector where the Germans trumpeted repeatedly that Gen. Eisenhower was massing men and tanks for an offensive to the Rhine.

"From hour to hour we expect the full scale allied offensive to roll into the Rhine plain," the German Army radio said today. "Superb divisions from massed west of Duesseldorf and Juelich are to carry our enemies to the Rhine. Twelve pioneer battalions are along and huge quantities of bridge construction equipment as well as fresh and reconditioned infantry forces are awaiting the signal to strike."

Already 78 combat divisions composed of more than 1,000,000 troops have been identified on the western front.

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U.S. Division Severely Mauled On Italian Front

Rome, Feb. 13 (AP)—The United States infantry division and its supporting armor were mauled severely in weekend fighting attendant upon their withdrawal in the Ligurian coastal sector 165th army group headquarters announced today.

A special report from Lt.-Gen. Mark W. Clark's headquarters concerning the attack of the ragged division, which official dispatches earlier had tended to discount as minor action, said:

"Casualties and tank losses were relatively high and no set gains in terrain were made."

Sharp German counter-attacks supported by artillery and dive bombers repulsed the negro infantry after they had gained as much as a mile on a five-mile front.

On Po battle front, a strong German raid on the east bank of the Senio river forced British and Polish troops to withdraw from one outpost.

A front dispatch last night reported routine patrol, and sniper activities along the Canadian 8th corps' mid-bound Senio river sector near the Adriatic.

Weather Forecast

Lake Superior—Fresh to strong winds with a slight to moderate snowfall tonight and Wednesday.

Kenora and Rainy River—Strong winds with light or moderate snow Wednesday — Fresh winds; cloudy and moderately cold with light snowfalls or flurries.

Manitoba—Fresh to strong winds with occasional light snowfalls today Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

SKIPPER OF "HOWE"



Capt. Henry William Urquhart McNeil, D.S.C. (Bowyer), in command of H.M.S. Howe, battleship of the British Pacific Fleet. One of the British Empire's most powerful warships, the 36,000-ton Howe carries a complement of 1,865 officers and men.

Possible Invasion Of Formosa Says Japanese Radio

San Francisco, Feb. 12 — (AP)— Tokyo radio today cautioned the home front against possibility of a United Invasion of Formosa (Taiwan.)

The broadcast, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, described the island as not only "the vanguard for the defence of our homeland," but as "the central strong point for the defence of the G.E.A. (Greater East Asia) sphere."

"The strategical worth or the Philippines is in the fact that it lies but a short distance from the Taiwan (Formosa) fortress divided only by the waters of the Bashi channel and is then connected with the Okinawa and Ryukyu chain islands," the radio continued.

This broadcast said: "The battle for the Philippines is a strategical climax in the present G.E.A. war."

'Sacred Obligation' of Unity Among Big Powers Feature of Conference

London, Feb. 13 (Reuters)—The "sacred obligation" of unity which the three big powers imposed upon themselves in the Crimea, compulsion which was regarded by The Times today as the most important feature of this "great and heartening document".

This sums up the general British Press opinion, which was in the most pressed terms.

THE TIMES said: "The world will sense at once upon the hope which it offers that the threat of all stumbling blocks to inter-Allied understanding is rolled away by the unanimity reached between the three great powers on Poland."

It is emphasized that by any agreement final collapse of Nazi tyranny may indeed come, United Nations for which these voices pre-eminent have fought with the power to mould anew for good or ill, the whole structure of international society.

In this wide domain, where the United Nations Organization will have great powers will be continuously tested. Consequences to come, the emphasis of statement is everywhere upon the evolutionary aspect of the agreement.

THE MANCHESTER GUARDIAN said the results of the Malta meeting "justify reality" on our bows. Certainly on immediate political questions of the war, Russia has been shown herself willing to move a long way toward meeting the western Allies' point of view. It is a great step that she should have agreed to the enlargement of the Lublin government.

THE DAILY TELEGRAPH said: "Nothing has been shirked. No difficulties have been ignored. In the long communique there is no loose ends. . . Such hopes of discord as Berlin may have had evidently clings to, can hardly survive".

THE DAILY HERALD said: "The clear reasoning of the document may necessitate criticism or at least the search for explanation. But it is safe to say already that the main anxieties have been met and relieved."

Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express said: "The Crimea declaration is the work of practical men. Its discussions made by each of the Allies, and its statesmanship of the highest prove that it is the work of high-minded men devoted to the future of people everywhere. Problems have not been solved, but quite clearly, the world has been shown the manner in which they might be solved".

THE DAILY MAIL said the eight days of conference were "eight days that will remould the European world".

BRITAIN WELCOMES 'CRIMEA CHARTER' MEETING ADOPTS

Pledges Big Three Co-operation in The Post-War Reformation Of Europe

London, Feb. 13 — (AP) — The new "Crimea Charter" was welcomed in Britain today as a pledge of the participation of the United States in the re-shaping of Europe's political and geographical future.

The feeling in London was that the United States hardly could have been more firmly committed to a part in the post-war reformation of Europe than by the claims pledging joint assistance to any liberated or former axis satellite country in forming "interim governments of distribution."

Part of this joint assistance will be to determine that these interim governments represent all democratic elements.

The promise of United States participation was welcomed immediately in London because of the storm stirred here and abroad by Britain's intervention in Greece, Italy and Yugoslavia, and Russia's independent recognition of a Polish government which was nurtured in the Soviet diplomatic garden.

Press comment in London virtually was unanimous in praise of the charter, which was described as the "most hopeful document that has been produced in the present century" and "a landmark in human history."

Attention was focused on the new Polish problem, a compromise of Russian and British views which apparently went more space in the agreement than any other single subject. The attitude here was that the London Polish government must be dissolved since it is no longer representative of Poles inside Poland.

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24 Passengers, Crew Members Killed in Crash

San Francisco, Feb. 13 — (AP) — Twenty-four passengers and crew members were killed today in the crash of a United Airlines transport in Alameda on San Francisco Bay, Governor Earl Warren announced here.

The big ship crashed 12 minutes after it left the Alameda airport. Just missing land, it hit the waters of the bay by hard that nearby residents were shaken.

Several persons said the plane's engines stopped just before the sound of the crash.

Russians Smashing Germans' Bober River Line Sliced To Within 70 Miles of Dresden

(By RICHARD KASISCHKE)
(Associated Press Staff Writer).

London, Feb. 13. (AP) — Russian troops smashing the Germans' Bober River line have driven to within 70 miles of Dresden, and farther north six battalions have fought Sorau-merfeld, only 17 miles from Berlin, in action with Marshal Georgy Zhukov's army fighting before Berlin, German broadcasts declared today.

The Berlin radio also reported evacuation of Budapest, Hungarian capital far to the southeast.

A D.N.B. broadcast said troops of Marshal Ivan Konev north of Sagan on the Bober River were beating toward Sommerfeld, 17 miles south of the Oder-Berlin railway bank where Zhukov's 1st White Russian army is fighting. Sommerfeld is 70 miles southeast of Berlin.

The German High Command communique said Konev's troops farther south had burst over the Bober River line at the Quais River sector, five to ten miles from Forst, Five Miles West of Sorau.

The Quais is five miles west of the Bober at Bunslau, captured by Yugoslavia, and Russia's independent recognition of a Polish government which was nurtured in the Soviet diplomatic garden.

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BERLIN DECLARES BUDAPEST HAS BEEN EVACUATED

Radio Broadcast Says Germans Will Continue Fight Outside Capital

London, Feb. 13 — (CP) — The Berlin radio declared Budapest had been evacuated today by the Germans and their Hungarian associates, but that the fight would be continued.

Budapest is the 15th capital taken by the Allies since June 4, when Rome fell.

Bloody street fighting has raged for weeks in the city, the one-time "jewel of the Danube," with its defence supplied by air.

Moscow has announced capture of more than 112,000 enemy troops in Budapest and the fight declared the core of organized resistance had been broken with seizure of the Royal Palace and ancient fortress on the west bank of the Danube.

Italian-Based Planes Smash Vienna Yards

London, Feb. 13 —(CP)— Heavy United States bombers, from Italy, operating for the first time in five days smashed at railyards in Vienna and Graz in Austria and Munich in Yugoslavia today after a night in which the R.A.F. heavily struck Stuttgart in Germany.

The British blow on the big industrial city and attacks on unspecified targets were made without loss.

The night raids came after a day in which bad weather brought Allied air activity to a halt.

Germans said Budapest indicated Allied planes were striking new blows at the enemy homeland today.

the eastern tip of Silesia, to the Rhine. Russian is 74 miles from that important German arsenal city.

The German communique made no mention of Budapest, but British broadcasts said the decimated garrison had evacuated the Danube City by a dawn attack intended to break the strong Soviet siege lines.

It May Read Rhine

Bunslau, a 13-way road hub on the east bank of the stream 74 miles northeast of Dresden, was captured yesterday at the climax of a swift 15-mile advance, Glessmannsdorf, 15 miles to the north, also fell.

Moscow announcements contained no hint that the Germans had massed strength sufficient even to delay Konev. At the Bober, some Berlin reports already, however, lies the Niesse River, by some reports almost the strength fortified as the Oder. The Niesse, like the Bober, flows north to the Oder.

An even greater flanking threat to Berlin than this thrust toward Dresden was launched by the Germans declared Marshal Konev had sent into the Sudentenland district, forty miles northwest of fallen Breslau and 91 miles southeast of the German capital.

Between the Bober and Niesse Rivers from the Naumberg region west past Glogau Russian forces around the scene of attack of unnamed mans who have been holding up Marshal Konev's drive, and the White Russian army along the Oder to the north.

If Konev has troops at Naumberg they are only 37 miles from Berlin.

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JAPANESE SUICIDE TROOPS IN MANILA BEING LIQUIDATED

Possible Havens of Refuge, Corregidor and Bataan, Smoulder From Raids

Manila, Feb. 13 — (AP) — Japanese suicide troops, cornered in the ruins of their shrinking battle pit by a juncture of three American divisions, were being compressed today and today as their only possible havens of refuge, Corregidor and Bataan, smoldered from a record 1,000-plane bombing.

The final phase of the battle for the Philippine capital was mopping up in ferocity as Americans of the 37th Infantry, 1st Cavalry and 11th Airborne Divisions converged to pin the Japanese against Manila Bay and the Pasig River mouth.

While 6th Division armored units 40 to 60 miles to the north of Pasig cut Luzon in two, the three divisions in Manila's shell-wrecked downtown area, being met by tanks, heavy artillery, machine-gun fire and infantry attacks in their drive to finish off the enemy garrison now confined to less than five square miles.

Across Manila Bay, American bombers dropped more than 700 tons of bombs on the southern end of Bataan peninsula and more than 200 tons on Corregidor fortress during a 45-hour period up to Sunday night.

Sink 35 Barges

The headquarters communique reported that American fighter planes and warships destroyed 2,500 enemy troops, off Bataan on Sunday.

An Associated Press war correspondent, C. Yates McDaniel, reported the Japanese in Manila are never had any hope of escaping from their self-laid trap. He wrote:

"There is not a last-minute flurry of desperation, but apparently a carefully-calculated plan to set the city afire in as many as 30 places high in lives and property as their contribution to what was to be it."

Fifth Division armored units of Maj.-Gen. Edwin D. Patrick reached Luzon's Pacific coast at Dingalan Bay, seizing quantities of enemy supplies and equipment.

This severed Luzon from coast to coast on a line about seventy miles south of Lingayen Gulf. The bulk of the island's Japanese are believed to be in the northeastern corner.

GERMAN U-BOAT SUNK, ANOTHER IS PROBABLY SUNK

Other Nazi Undersea Raiders Attacked By Canadian Ships In Ocean Battles

Ottawa, Feb. 13 (CP)—Sinking of a German U-boat, probable sinking of another and attacks on other raiders in North Atlantic convoy battles in which speeding torpedoes were launched at Canadian ships were announced here today by Navy Minister Macdonald.

Exact location and dates of the battles were withheld for security reasons, but Mr. Macdonald gave a few details at his first formal press conference since returning last week from a tour of Canadian naval establishments in Britain.

He said the sinking of the Nonsuch, in command of Lt.-Cmdr. L. F. Moser and crew of 60, was the first sank a U-boat in the North Atlantic.

He was not able to supply details on the St. Thomas kill, saying the story had not yet been passed by security. He was able, however, to give some information on another battle against submarines that developed a period of events and occurred "some months ago".

Credit for the "Probable" was divided between two Canadian ships, the frigate Dunver, 16 boatmand of Lt.-Cmdr. W. Dempsey, Victoria, and the Corvette Shediac, boatmand of Lt.-Cmdr. Neville, S. O. Dickinson, Montreal and Shediac, and an R.A.F. Sunderland Flying Boat.

The Dunver and Hespeler were credited with the destruction of a Cmdr. George Stephen of Montreal and Ottawa, and the frigate Mene, in command of Lt.-Cmdr. Thomas Shaw of Victoria, took part in another action with a submarine with a U-boat.

Mr. Macdonald said he had recently read criticism in which convoy battles were described as "routine TA" and not able to match faster actions.

"This sinking and the probable attacks I announce today are proof that the routine is not the inadequate means of combatting the foe," he said.

Flanked by Vice-Admiral George Nelles, Chief of the Naval Staff, and several high-ranking officers, Mr. Macdonald told reporters of recent developments in U-boat warfare.

U-Boat Activity.

British Closer To Mandalay

Kandy, Ceylon, Feb. 13. (CP) — British Army troops pushing down from the Irrawaddy have captured Singuze, forty miles from Mandalay, it was official communique announced today.

Mandalay remained the last major city in the southern outskirts of the Burma communications city, 20 miles west of the city, in the peninsula between the Irrawaddy and the Chindwin and Irrawaddy Rivers, British troops seized a village after a sharp action.

In North Burma, Chinese 1st Army troops have reached the Burma Road southward to within 61 miles of the key city of Lashio.

Scots Wade to Chins Across Stream, Carrying Undersized on Shoulders

By ROGER D. GREENE
(AP War Correspondent).

With the 1st Canadian Army in Germany, Feb. 13 — (AP) — The legendary Russian method of crossing a river — with the strongest on the shoulders of comrades patiently standing waist deep in the water — was emulated to some degree by heroic British troops on this blazing northern front.

Vanguards of a famous Scottish division stormed down on the Niers River town of Gennep, three miles from the western edge of the Reichswald, and saw a vital bridge blown up and burned in their faces.

They had no edge of rafts. Some couldn't swim, but they had orders.

"All right, boys," came the command, "in ye go — and don't be sloppin' to fish!"

Wading up to their chins, the Scots gingerly crossed the stream without a single mishap. Undersized members of the outfit were carried across on the shoulders of taller comrades.

This time, the German garrison at Gennep thinking the destruction of the bridge had discouraged the attackers, made no move for a night's sleep.

The Scots weren't sleeping. They were on the south bank, soaked to the skin and shivering in a windwhipped sleet storm.

They slipped through the darkness into the western side of town and caught the Germans napping.

Violent, house-to-house fighting erupted. Within a few hours engineers were building a bridge across the river, providing a new route into the Reich.

Big Three Doom Nazis and Pledge To Work Together

8-Day Meeting at Czarist Palace Near Yalta Ended

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
(Associated Press Staff Writer.)

Washington, Feb. 13 (AP)—Allied armies already pivoting toward the heart of Germany massed men and materials for one more powerful offensive today in the wake of the Big-Three Crimean plan to hasten the end of the war and the beginning of a secure peace.

The picture of the peace—the Dumbarton Oaks proposal for a new league—is to be laid before a United Nations conference to be called at San Francisco April 25.

Those are the two overall results of the eight-day meeting at an old Czarist palace in the Crimea of Premier Stalin, Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt.

By their own word it offers "the hope of lasting peace after many years of unconditional surrender, for generations of international security in which all nations can live their lives in freedom from want and fear."

The dark curtains of secrecy were drawn around the conference late yesterday. This revealed the Big Three had agreed not only on mighty new blows to smash Hitlerism and permanently disarm Germany, but also on seven points of specific peace machinery to guarantee independence and self-determination to the small countries of Europe.

A formula for creating a new government in Poland, which will be acceptable to all three powers, is included.

Covers Nine Major Points

The Three-Power Announcement, covering nine major points, was hailed at the capital by both Republicans and Democrats.

In contrast, the United States in a new and active role in the settlement of European political affairs is now departing its American foreign policy. To consider these problems as they arise, President Roosevelt and American foreign secretaries plan to meet every three or four months, and later the first of the San Francisco conference.

On his way home from the Crimea, Edward Stettinius, United States Secretary of State, has gone to Moscow for a brief visit with ambassadors of Messrs. Stalin, Churchill and Roosevelt, it was announced. Presumably Premier Stalin has assured the Soviet Government of the vast commander in chief and the other two are homeward bound.

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Large Plane Plants For Some Islands Partially Dismantled

Washington, Feb. 13 —(AP)— Aerial reconnaissance during the last three days has revealed that some of the largest aircraft plants in the Japanese home islands are being at least partially dismantled, Gen. Lauris Norstad, chief of staff to Gen. Arnold, has said today.

It has been known for some time that the Japanese were transferring some heavy industries to Manchuria, but this is the first indication that home island aircraft plants are being moved.

ARMY SURGEON



Maj. Barbara Stimson (above) American woman surgeon serving with the Royal Army Medical Corps and a cousin of Secretary of War Stimson, D.C., is shown letting the operating table at one of the orthopedic ward at the 104th British general hospital in Rimini, Italy, where he is based. Maj. Stimson was one of 23 American women doctors who volunteered to go to Britain to work on a lend-lease arrangement to help overcome medical personnel in the treatment of Nazi wounded. She was given the rank of major in the British army.

Tornadoes Take Forty-Three Lives In Alabama, Miss.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 13 — (AP) — Tornadoes swirling over Mississippi and Alabama left a known death toll of at least 43 dead, 300 injured and property damage running into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Worst hit was a crescent shaped area on the southern and western outskirts of Montgomery, Ala., where more than 100 box cars of a freight were ripped and scattered around the switch boxes.

Montgomery police counted its dead at 26, and its injured at more than 75. Two hundred homes or houses were levelled and in Chilton county, south of Montgomery, 35 homes were demolished and many others damaged.

Eight known dead at Livingstone, 125 miles west of Montgomery, and one at York, nine miles from Livingston.

The storm first hit Meridian Miss., before turning eastward into Alabama. The dead in the Meridian area were placed unofficially at 7. More than 50 persons were injured there.

Coming Events

AFTERNOON TEA, SALE HOMEcooking, Thursday, February 15, from five-thirty, home of Mrs. Allan Lawson, 80 Highland Ave. Auspices Holloway St. W.A. P12

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES, Christ Church Cathedral: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10.30 a.m. Holy Communion; 7.30 p.m. Litany; 8 p.m. Evensong and address. F13

RESERVE FRIDAY, FEB. 16th, for "Quinte Skating Club" brilliant Ice Show, starring Canadian figure skating champions of Toronto Skating Club and University Club. Reserved seats Bill Cook's Cigar Store, 70c. F12-M

BINGO TONIGHT, 8.30 — SACO Hall, Bonnycastle St. Auspices Women of the Moose. 25 cents. Three door prizes and specialties. M12tf

City and District News

GAME WARDEN PLANS TO FEED PHEASANTS

That provincial authorities are planning a "big" pheasant feeding this abnormally deep snow this winter which makes it difficult for wild life to obtain sufficient food from feeding trays throughout the province, Game Warden Fay Lewis said this week. Mr. Lewis who visited his wife in this district over the week-end, reports that pheasants in their search for food are being forced from their natural haunts and are coming into the vicinity of farm yards, apparently in search of something to eat.

Game Warden Lewis stated Brown has arranged for feeding of the pheasants in Prince Edward County and Mr. McDonald for those in Hastings, famous for communities Hastings Point-Some wondering the game birds will find it. The hope that the arrangements may be made for feeding them.

DELEGATES ATTEND ANGLERS' CONVENTION

Four members of the local Anglers' and Hunters' Association are expected to attend the annual meeting of the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters which is being held in the King Edward Hotel, in Toronto on Saturday and Sunday of this week. Expected to attend the meeting are J. E. Sherrit, Fred Croft, Arthur Baker and Bruce Mitchell.

Included on the two-day program of the annual meeting will be the election of executive officers, the discussion of matters of interest to anglers and hunters, and the meeting the program will be devoted to fishing and anglers, with on the concluding day a motion picture on hunting to hunting will have their say.

CAR IS DAMAGED WHILE MAKING TURN

Considerable property damage, reported as being attributed only to a motor car driven, by John Bush, 167 West Bridge Street, on Tuesday afternoon during a two-car collision. Police investigated and were informed that Mr. Bush was about to make a left-hand turn into his private driveway off West Bridge Street and at the same time Harold Fraser, 32 Rae Boss Street, who was proceeding in the same direction, attempted to pass the Bush car. Extensive damage resulted to the car, doors and left fenders of Mr. Fraser's police reported.

DELIVERY WAGONS WARNED NOT TO IMPEDE TRAFFIC

City Police have received numerous complaints from motorists regarding traffic and local delivery wagons being left parked on city streets in such a manner as to impede the progress of traffic and to cause traffic congestions. Yesterday Sergt. O. C. Armour issued all bread and milk firms in the city regarding such practices, which are contrary to city ordinances. With regard banks on the west side of the street deliverymen say they find it necessary to park on the side of the street, while making deliveries to residences, however, Police suggest that some arrangement be given the matter in the future.

Stalin Likely To Take Part In War Against Japs

By JACK BELL
(AP Staff Writer)

Washington, Feb. 13 — (AP) — The belief gained headway in Congress today that President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill and Marshal Stalin may have reached an agreement with Premier Stalin for eventual Russian participation in the war with Japan.

This belief was based partly on the announcement that a "very close working partnership" had been established among the British, American and Russian general staffs at the "Big Three" conference in Crimea. There the political leaders undertook the terms of a "crushing decision" for co-operative action on war and peace.

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April 25 — when diplomats of the United Nations will meet in San Francisco to begin the formation of a world organization to succeed the final date upon which either Russia or Japan can, by giving one year's notice — denounce their non-aggression treaty.

Could Read—Can't Vote

If the treaty is not denounced by then it will automatically be renewed. This Russian position in regard to the Japanese treaty was disclosed clearly at the time of Premier Stalin's meeting. However, some diplomats believe that the discussion this significance of the Russian position.

The Russians refused to sit down with the Chinese at the non-aggression treaty Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek has arranged for feeding of the peasants in Prince Edward County and Mr. McDonald those in Hastings famous for communities Hastings Point-Some wondering the game birds will find it. The hope that the arrangements may be made for feeding them.

No Information

While these signposts might conceivably point in another direction, chairman Tom Connally of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee thought strongly that Marshal Stalin may have told Messrs. Churchill and Roosevelt that he will join in the fight against Japan.

Senator Connally, a Texas democrat, told reporters, "I have no information, but I think that I maybe in my heart that Russia is going to go into the war with Japan."

Former President Herbert Hoover called the Big Three agreement a foundation on which to rebuild the world.

"I believe it comprises a strong foundation on which to rebuild the world," Mr. Hoover said in New York yesterday night. "If its agreements and promises and ideals expressed shall be implemented it will open a great hope to the world."

The pledge for joint assistance to peoples of Yugoslavia, Greece and Axis satellites, in setting up a government of their choice, was hailed generally as reaffirming the Atlantic Charter principles.

Diplomats Believe Big Three Filled Missing Chapter

By FLORA LEWIS.
(AP Staff Writer)

Washington, Feb. 13 — (AP) — Washington diplomats believe the Big Three filled the missing chapter in the Dumbarton Oaks plan with a compromise.

Prime Minister Churchill, Prime Minister Churchill and Marshal Stalin at Crimea, it was believed, must have decided on the voting question, and the faith was left unsettled, questions which the Big Three worked out their solution along the lines of the British suggestion.

Related In Two Parts

It divided consideration of questions involving major powers into 2 parts, in the first of which the council was deciding whether peace and security were threatened by the aggressor and whether anything should be done, who would be out.

But when the last question arose on whether international force should be called out to stop the dispute — Russia, Britain, the United States, China or France could quash an affirmative vote and they were accused of breaking the peace.

The idea behind this was that if the major powers got to the point of wanting to send their armies against one another, that would mean another world war and the failure of peace machinery.

Council Considers Estimates To Strike Rate After Completing Regular Business of Council

Several Reports of Special Committees Discussed by the Members

After completing the business brought before them at the regular meeting on Monday evening, the members of the committee of the whole for the consideration of the estimates for a special meeting of the council which was held in the council chamber of this week at which time the estimates will be adopted and the rate of taxation for the year 1945 struck. There were no delegations appearing before the council and there was little discussion on the estimates before they were finally adopted.

The committee appointed to investigate the advisability of putting the floor of the City Hall on different floor and making other changes, reported made an interim report to the council at the last meeting that the report be sent back and the committee be given power to investigate the matter further. The report was adopted and the committee given in full at the next regular meeting. Ald. Thompson did not vote on the matter. It was decided that the Board of Health should be consulted before any patients are put in the hospital. The clerk has been given a cheque for $500 and it cannot see the use of the Board of Health being consulted, Ald. Thompson contended. Mayor Follwell stated, there had been a lot of patients put in the hospital as an interim measure, and that they had to buy a house, and possibly having the consultation with Board will eliminate this trouble. He was not in favor of the hospital each year for indigent and that those who can afford it be protected," said the Mayor.

Ambulance Authority

Ald. Thompson: "I think you are taking authority away from the Clerk."

Ald. Butler: "I think it is a good idea to have the Board check."

The Comptroller: "Having the Clerk's name on the cheque is to check we can get a case history of the patient."

Ald. Thompson: "The Clerk can still get all the information." The motion carried.

H. B. Stock, city treasurer reported to the council on a question asked at the last meeting by Ald. Ald. Follwell stating that he did not collect a Trailaire Trailer for the Toledo Scale Company because he had been told the steel was to be a manufacturer's agents and that the Toledo Scale Co. had changed the licence fee. A legal opinion was received from the City Solicitor and he explained the law governing licences and the matter was referred back to the committee of the whole by the band committee showing the Toledo Scale Company Band to be in a sound financial condition. The report was received.

Then an inquiry be sent to the Belleville Hospital Board asking them for a statement in respect to the corporation owns in respect to the hospital, the assets arising from purchase made some time ago, which assets the City has time and also what city official is the trustee for the profits of the electrical system.

Want Member on Board

The University Club asked that a member of their organization be appointed a member of the library Board and Ald. Clapp suggested that the members to be elected from the City Council make a report on the advisability of the Library Board being sent out of the city. This was received and further discussion when it was tabled.

Fire Report.

The report was as follows:

REPORT.

Belleville, February 7, 1945

The Special Committee appointed for the purpose of investigating the question and advisability of transferring Department's leaving the City for the purpose of providing property outside the City Limits beg to report as follows:

Your Committee held its first meeting in the City Hall on January 19th, at which all members of the Committees were present including Chief Lloyd, at which a general discussion of the question was had, and it was decided by the Committee that in order to properly consider the proposition for which the Committee was appointed they should have additional powers, namely: to find all existing conditions as to the firehall relating to personnel, heating and condition of the property and amount of equipment, and that a further meeting of Council held on January 29th, 1945, additional authority was given to your Committee, which authority is set out in the list of Surveys and considered the last meeting before it.

It was indicated by the Committee that a certain binding agreement existed between the property owned by the late Col. W. N. Ponton and the City Industrial protection from the Fire Department of the City of Belleville. Your Committee received a report from the City Solicitor give a legal opinion upon the validity of such agreement and the same is of record, and assuming that the same is of legal effect your Committee recommends as follows: Your Committee finds that the Corporation being obligated, to protect the Ponton property, to protect the Hoods of Sarnia, the Ontario School for the Deaf, Ministry of Education and Canton Airports, there is a definite shortage of efficient men in the Department, together with equipment and other equipment to adequately protect the property of the City and all property within the Municipal Limits of the City of Belleville.

We therefore recommend that further action on the question of the Department leaving the City be deferred an agreement be prepared between the Corporation of the City of Belleville with the Township of Thurlow providing for the protection of all real property adjacent to the City within the following limits: that part that is bounded by Herchimer Avenue, Donald Street and to the west by the Canadian Legion Park Dear, the fee to be $10.00 per annum and $60.00 for each additional hour. That the following additional equipment is present during a fire, to give adequate protection as required by the City Solicitor and to enable the Department to do the above boundaries and to be at other points necessary of such covenants and other undertakings as may be necessary for the City's interests deems advisable.

We further recommend that if an agreement cannot be drawn up with the above Township and for the above amounts that we confine our equipment within the City Limits and for the purpose of attending fires outside the City Limits, to such legal obligations to points and the above points enumerated above as the Committee may deem fit.

Your Committee further finds that the Building housing the Department is almost impossible to heat, because the building is a dilapidated one, to give adequate heat to the Department, and we would not recommend that any expenditure of a major nature be made on the present building whatsoever, as the building is not capable of being made warm and fast would practically have to be torn down and rebuilt.

We further recommend that in view of the fact that the Department is not adequately manned so far as numbers of employees are concerned as well as the amount of equipment, that it is essential that the Fire By-law be revised so as to give to the Assistant Chief more strictly lived up to by the party or parties concerned as the Fire By-law concerned is as follows:

"There shall be an Assistant Chief of Department who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by the Chief, and in absence of the Chief shall perform all the duties and shall have all the powers thereby save and except personnel appointments, transfers and promotions from the Department."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. G. Woodley, Chairman,
Chas. I. Hyde.

Lengthy Discussion

Ald. Clapp: "I say leave the pumper in Bridge."

Ald. Woodley: "There are a number of people adjacent to our city who do business in the city all the time and we should help them in the event of a fire if possible."

Ald. Butler: "The people that the report will affect are only a stone's throw from those in the city limits to protect."

Ald. Armstrong: "Have we enough equipment?"

Mayor Follwell: "I am opposed to the equipment going out although we should help as much as possible but I am certain the equipment because if two fires happened one house after the other side the city at the same time I would not like to say that we did not fulfill our agreement."

Ald. McDougall: "Some Insurance Companies grant special rates to those in the county living five miles from a fire department but I do not think they will pay the rate if the fire is outside unless I think we have a moral obligation to those residents."

Mayor Follwell: "We have not met him as the township yet and I move that the matter be held back until the township have been approached."

Ald. Woodley: "You must remember that the pumper is the Chairman of Fire under the By-law has the right to grant permission to the aerial truck by the city to fight a fire adjacent to the city."

Wanted By-Law Amended.

Under the headings of enquiries, Ald. Butler asked when the garbage by-law was going to be amended to rescind the clause calling for tenders, because in the present time the city is making a purchase satisfactory.

Ald. Clapp: "I think we should ask for tenders according to the cost of our present system."

Ald. Trudeau: "I have the cost for last year on my desk."

Ald. Thompson: "Yes I have seen that but the depreciation of the equipment is not provided into account."

Ald. McDougall: "When is the Owen Sound committee going to meet?"

Ald. Butler: "I think the committee is ready to meet. They are agreed that a truck and a sprayer should be purchased but not agreed as to the type of truck to purchase. The committee will report at the next meeting."

Ald. Thompson: "What about the girl who was discharged by the O.A.A.?"

Mayor Follwell: "I have not been able to see Mr. Ruston back but not forgotten the matter and you will get a report."

Ald. Thompson: "Will you obtain from the Utilities Commission the cost of the reservoir and if there the cost we were paid?"

Mayor Follwell: "I will have that information for you at the next meeting."

Ald. Clapp: "Has anything been done on the special assessments?"

Mayor Follwell: "The committee is working on that and I will say we will complete that investigation before the next meeting."

Ald. Williams: "Has the traffic committee any duty work as yet?"

Ald. Butler: "Yes, we have had a meeting and I am going to ask the Chief to attend the next meeting of the city where complaints have been made."

Ald. Woodley: "Have any steps been taken to prevent a flood this year?"

Ald. Trudeau: "The amount has been included in the estimates and information has been given to city Hall."

A by-law was passed outlining the duties of the Industrial Commission and its functions and powers and appointing the various pages.

Ald. Butler moved, seconded by Ald. Clapp that the resolutions to be placed before the Industrial convention be drafted and that the council be empowered to act on the resolutions being sent to the secretary. Ald Clapp moved, seconded by Ald. Butler that not money comes out of the treasury for any trip from the delegations that attend the convention and that Mayor Follwell disagreed believing that if the delegates go to the convention that the organization is one of the most important in the country. Ald Armstrong stated that the Kiwanis Club is the only organization where action could be taken.

Members Invited to Meeting.

Mayor Follwell invited all the members of the council and assessment department staff to be present at a banquet on Tuesday (This evening) at 6.30 p.m. in the room the Riverside Drive will be discussed under the leadership of Ald. Clapp.

Fire Chief's Report.

The fire chief's report was submitted to the council, as follows:

Gentlemen:

I beg to submit herewith a report of the activities of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31st, 1944.

During the year this Department responded to 74 fire alarms, classified as follows: Dwellings 45, business 24, factories 4, churches 1, poultry houses and pigs 2, city dump 4, calls out of city 18, grass 62, electric stoves and wiring 2, chimney fires 5, garages 3, electric motors 2, electric heaters 2, electric fans 2, drownings 2. Only one call for false alarm during the year.

There were 416 inspections made of all classes of buildings, this was considerably less than other years as ears are short handed.

There were 115 complaints answered during the year, all of which members were recharged for setback valves and traps.

There were five fire drills held in all during the year, the shortest time on said drills was 2 minutes, 30 seconds with the exception of the Collegiate which was a three story building, time being one minute, 45 seconds.

Equipment used at fires: 16,450 feet of 2½ inch hose, forty rotary hose nozzles, 500 feet of rubber hose, 1,000 feet of factory raised; tarpaulins used, 3; ladders used, 3; hand pumps used, 20; ...

There were 1,000 gallons of water used from hand pumps. The booster pump of which there is only one is generally used for booster hose.

There were 36 first aid classes held during the year and 26 hose and ladder drills.

The men were detailed to theatres, dances and other entertainments during the year for public protection.

The health of the men on the Department has been fair, with the exception of three men who were off days lost time.

Reports were called from the Department for the Army in July, 1944, as follows: Water used; Foam, 30 gallons; pyrene, 5 gallons. For the purpose of comparison the following figures are herewith presented:

In 1943 256 value of property $2,292,843.00, loss $41,295.66, insurance $1,875,607.70, 1942, 241 value of property $534,940.00, loss $6,030.74, insurance $490,958.00; 1942, calls 256, value of property $4,485,695.00, loss $28,582.00, insurance $661,340.00.

For your information we would like to point out our three largest losses in 1944:

Smith Hardware Co.	$14,461.00
Belleville Lumber Co.	3,900.00
Blue's Grocery and Mrs. Hageman	3,932.00
	$21,193.00

I would recommend the following equipment and repairs for the year 1945:

1 new ladder truck, 1 chassis for A.E.F. pumper, 500 feet of 2½ inch hose, 3 Siamese fronts for 2½ inch hose, 3 gas masks, 1 10 inch electric saw, 3 gallons of foam, 3 fire extinguishers for the new men's homes, four men to be added to the Department for efficiency, four sets of rubber coats and a heating plant installed at the hall. As I cannot keep the equipment from freezing.

There are some hydrants in the City Water, are low and I would request that they be raised.

The Police Department gave full co-operation whenever assistance was required.

In conclusion I would like to express my appreciation to all city officials and residents of Belleville for the help and co-operation with the Fire Department during the past year.

Yours respectfully,
Chief Lloyd,
Fire Chief.

Report of Meeting.

A report of the conservation conference held in Queen's University by Ald. McDougall and was as follows:

Report on Eastern Ontario Conservation Conference Held at Queen's University February 9th and 10th, 1945.

By W. J. McDougall.

The Conservation Conference at Queen's University was a very pleasant and instructive one. It was held over the 10th and 11th, 1945, the topics dealt with were: Agriculture, Forestry and conservation of dead brushy with the above subject from a slightly different angle, namely Flood Control, Water, Soil and Forest Conservation. The latter was closely related that any study of Conservation must embrace them all.

There were many speakers covering a variety of subjects such as Children's Camps, Soil Conservation Council, Need for Urban and Rural Planning, Wild Life Conservation, Forest Regions in Southern Ontario, Forestry and Flood Control, Forestry Natural Regions in eastern Ontario and Special River Valley Development, etc. All the addresses are arranged by the Ontario Conservation Council, Development with the Minister, Hon. T. L. Kennedy, K.C. presiding.

The findings of experts from the Province of Quebec, U.S.A. are reviewed in papers given by various delegates present. It appears that much is being done and much more will be of great benefit in the future.

It is urged that all Municipal Councils, Boards of Trade, Service clubs, townships—as well as individuals—embark on a program of reforestation. Many farmers have woodlot areas in the safe minimum area of 25 acres, but with poor, low water levels, pits and forests. Farmers are urged to plant trees, shrubs, vines and fence them off from cattle. Many have found irreparable damage to the small trees and shrubs will soon prevents growth altogether. A classified directory with the proper direction will provide much employment for many men, especially those of wood and lumber.

Many thousands of abandoned farms are now increasing one. Many more have been too greedy in the past and have cut down all the land without putting anything back. Many farms have been left to go back to nature. Many more are left for unproductive acreages in every county. Many of the farms there is a waste land. Every acre has its purpose and should not under cultivation should be planted to trees. Soil erosion is prevented by proper cultivation, contour strip fertilizing, planting trees and strip cropping.

The County of Russell has been selected for a demonstration program for a period of years. The county itself has 3600 acres of forest, 1,000 acres of which is being replanted. The annual cut is now 1,000 cords, but it is estimated that at present rates it will take 100 years to cut it. Planting up to what it should be is going to be as great in every county and there is a great deal of planting every year to be done.

Proper supply and sewage are so related that they should be handled by the same department. Pollution has crept into our water supply and water system and today we are beginning to realize the value of pure water but to add quantities of chlorine. Many cities have been necessary to treat our sewage in an effort to purify our water supplies and it should be treated so that the water will not be polluted beyond the point where it can be safely used for drinking purposes. Some municipalities have their sewage flow to their water in such quantities that it is impossible to purify sufficiently for drinking purposes. Some municipalities have their sewage flow into the Great Lakes.

Ontario has changed from a fuel shortage to a fuel surplus and in the spring and low flow in the rivers, there is flooding in many districts which can only be remedied by building dams to create reservoirs, planting trees in the upper regions to prevent quick spring run-off and contour ploughing to prevent run-off on farm lands. The results of these conservative measures will also be evident in the increase in water table throughout the whole area which in itself would prevent many wells from drying up and being depleted necessary of hauling water.

Arrangements have been made for the completion of River Valley Projects and the Conservation and Ontario Department of Planning Development will proceed to make the necessary plans for the whole. As the Moira River will get the first attention it is hoped it be recommended that every attention be given to preserve as many acres as possible. A comprehensive survey will be made of the Moira River on the basis of the Canaraska project will show what it has been decided to protect the future of the Moira River.

Before closing the council Ald. Butler congratulated Mayor Follwell on obtain for the fine job done on the pictures of the South African war veterans.

EXTRA LIGHTING

London (CP) — Sign of the times: Extra lighting is being installed in London buses and the conductor's job is spread thinly over the country, except perhaps for some coastal areas.

Obituary

LATE MRS. ELEANOR E. BAILEY

The funeral of Mrs. Eleanor Elizabeth (Thrasher) Bailey, widow of Abraham Bailey, who died at residence 3 Centre Street, took place from the Funeral Home, 208 North Front Street, on Monday afternoon. The service there and at Pinnbro Cemetery was conducted by the Rev. Canon Sparling, rector of Christ Church.

Pallbearers were Messrs. Harry Bailey, Bruce Bailey, Percy Bailey, Lester Bailey, Newton Thompson and Mervin Mitchell.

WILLIAM A. (BERT) DUNKLEY (Stirling Township)

Stirling, Feb. 13 — (Special) — William Albert (Bert) Dunkley, died at his home after suffering on Monday evening, Feb. 12th, 1945, in his 65th year.

The late Mr. Dunkley, who was in his 65th year, was born in Rawdon Township and was a son of the late Joseph Dunkley and his wife Caroline Dunkley. All his life was passed in the district where he was born and during his active years he was actively engaged in the manufacture of a machine agent. For the past few years his health has been extremely poor owing to a severe stroke of paralysis which he suffered on Monday evening, Feb. 12th, 1945. He was a member of the United Church and fraternally he was a member of the Orange Order.

Surviving him are his wife, the former Jane Ann Thompson, three sons, Roy Dunkley, Earl Dunkley, Rawdon Township, and Clifford Dunkley, eight grandchildren, seven great grandchildren, one brother, Mrs. Alexander Lawrence, Rawdon; Mrs. Henry Bronson, Mrs. George Welch, Glen Miller; Mrs. Percy Smith, Toronto; Mrs. John Hoffman, Tweed; Mrs. Charles Bay Pearman, Rochester, N.Y.; Mrs. Alexander Lawrence, Rawdon; Mrs. Fred Taylor, Rawdon and one sister, Mrs. Thomas Hoffman, Rawdon.

The funeral announcement is made in this issue.

HARRY SIMPSON
(Marmora Township)

Trenton, Feb. 13 —(Special)— Harry Simpson, formerly of Trenton, died suddenly at his home in Marmora Township, Northumberland County, on Monday, Feb. 12th. He was born in Trenton 67 years ago to the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Simpson. The greater part of his life was spent in Trenton and recently he moved to a farm in Marmora Township.

Surviving him is his wife, the former Mary Ally of Murray Township.

The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 15th, from his late residence at two o'clock.

MRS. EVELYN MAY MATTHEWS
(Stirling)

Stirling, Feb. 12 —(Special)— Mrs. Evelyn May Matthews, wife of Mr. Walter Matthews, died at her home here on Sunday, Feb. 11th, after a illness of four months duration.

Besides Mrs. Matthews, who was in her 53rd year, she is survived by one son-in-Tyne, England, and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson and his wife, Mary Jane Thompson, who for many years were she lived in Stirling and was highly respected in the community. In religion she was a member of the Church's Presbyterian Church and fraternally was a member of the L.O.B.A. No. 606, Stirling.

Surviving her are her husband, Vernon B. Matthews; one daughter, Mrs. Ernest Hall, Toronto; one sister, Mrs. Clifford Thompson.

The funeral announcement is made in this issue.

LATE MRS. A. T. CLIFTON
(Campbellford)

Campbellford, Feb. 13 —(CP)— Funeral services were held at Christ Church cemetery today for Mrs. Madeline Baker Clifton, 77, of Campbellford, who died last Thursday. Service was conducted by the Rev. W. J. Lennox with interment in the English Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Clifton, a daughter of the late Alderman and Mrs. W. J. Baker, was born in Belleville. She was a former resident of Calgary where she was Vice Regent of Military Chapter, I.O.D.E., during the First Great War.

Besides her husband she is survived by three sons.

AWARDED M.B.E.



Capt. Joan Proctor (above) of Victoria, B.C., a member of the Canadian Women's Army Corps is decorated shortly after she was awarded the M.B.E. for devotion to duty on King George VI. at an investiture at Buckingham Palace.

BIRTH

KEENE—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Keene, 4 Wall Street, Belleville are happy to announce the birth of their son —(Arthur Daniel) in Belleville Hospital on Feb. 9, 1945. A brother for Nancy. P13

FREEMAN — At the Belleville General Hospital, on Tuesday, 13th, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Freeman, of Marysville, a daughter.

DEATHS

WAY — Suddenly in Belleville at the residence of her daughter, Miss Phoebe Way 116 Pinnacle Street, on Sunday, February 11th, 1945, Sarah Way, widow of David Benjamin Way, and the late Mr. Way, in her 87th year. Funeral service will take place on Wednesday afternoon, February 14th. Service in the chapel at 1.30 o'clock. Interment Belleville Cemetery. P13-2t

FARNHAM — In the Belleville General Hospital, on Tuesday, 13th, Percy Roy (Jack) Farnham, aged 51 years, 1 Front Street, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farnham, Camelton.

Funeral from the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbellford on Thursday, the 15th. Service will take place at Wesleyan Methodist Church, Campbellford at 2.30 o'clock. Interment Belleville Cemetery. P13-2t

BROWNSON — In the Prince Edward County Memorial Hospital, on Monday evening, February 12th, 1945, Fred Brownson, M.D., in his 46th year.

Service at the late residence, King Street, Picton, on Wednesday noon, February 19th, then at the chapel at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Toronto, where service will be conducted at graveside at two o'clock. Entombment Glenwood Cemetery, Picton. P13-2t

DUNKLEY — In Rawdon Township, on Monday, February 12, 1945, William (Bert) Dunkley, beloved husband of Jane Ann Thompson, in his 65th year.

The funeral will be held from his late residence, Stirling, R.R. 3, on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 15th, to Mount Pleasant United Church for service at 2.30 p.m. Interment Stirling Cemetery. P13

IN MEMORIAM

NAYLES — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, George James Nayles, who passed away suddenly February 13th, 1944.

Years roll on—memories last.
Sadly missed by Wife, Children and Grandchildren.

RUSSIANS

(Continued From Page One.

Zhukov's forces at Corsaen, on the Baltic sea in the North.

Knorr's westward thrust across Northern Poland to the Oder threatened the German garrison at Breslau in ever increasing danger. The Nazi forces there remained open to the southwest, however, and in the most recent battle procedure, it seemed nearly certain Germans would avail themselves of it. Breslau is 30 miles from and die inside the city.

Farther to the south, Petrov's 4th Ukrainian Army, thrusting through the mountains of Slovakia, in the German uniforms, speared within 70 miles of Bratislava, key to Nazi Czechoslovakia's third city, by capturing Strumien in a seven-mile advance.

By German account, other Russian forces had penetrated Nazi territor in Silesia, 16 miles north of Czechoslovakia.

Petrov's troops in southwestern Poland also captured Jablunkau, 12 miles from Cieszyn (Teschen), big German fortress, and toppled Skalka (Skelka) by way of junction.

Head to Cut off Danzig.

In a fresh drive that Berlin said threatened the entire mouth of Danzig, the Russians yesterday captured Pelplin, 20 miles southeast of the Polish Corridor, industrial city on the Vistula River west bank city of Swiecie (Schwetz), 12 miles northeast of captured Bydgoszcz.

Strongpoints remained in Grudziadz and Torun, the Nazis announced last night, but Moscow declared the Germans were blasting and building 'em all up streaming up the Oder River the immediate of Lodzes-Berlin.

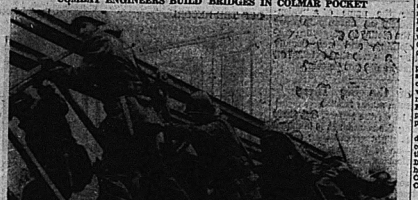
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CANUCKS IN NEW OFFENSIVE



The new offensive by the Canadian First Army has penetrated into Germany, and captured Klein (1), northern terminal of the Siegfried Line. To the south, American First Army troops have reached the huge Schwammenauel dam (2), one of the barriers to the Ruhr and Cologne plain. Third Army troops have captured Prum, the eighth miles inside the Reich. At the southern end of the long front, the French First Army (4) broke the last Nazi opposition before Strasbourg and have drawn up to the Rhine banks on a 90-mile front.

COMBAT ENGINEERS BUILD BRIDGES IN COLMAR POCKET



Allied combat engineers are shown putting a Bailey bridge across the Ill river near Neidersbergheim, France, while armor and infantry wait. He completion to finish the mopping up operations in the Colmar pocket.

GAVE DOG PRIORITY



Col. Ray W. Ireland, at Washington, D.C., assistant chief of staff for priorities in the air transport command, who was named by a senate subcommittee Feb. 10, as the man who granted an "A" priority to Col. Elliott Roosevelt's dog Blaze. The senate committee has been investigating the granting the high priority was an unfamiliar mistake. No mention of a priority was made in the conversation in which Mrs. Anna Roosevelt Boettiger asked for "a ride" to the coast for the dog.

School Inspector Advocates Greater Use of Rural Schools

Urging stronger links between the home and education through the media of the schools, Mr. Roy Macklem, Public school inspector for South Hastings and Lennox, yesterday advocated a greater use of rural schools by the community as a whole.

Speaking to the Rotary club augmented by the members of the Belleville Board of Education public school principals, and other educational officials, he stated that it would not be a case of renting school buildings to groups with no sense of responsibility but rather to those with educational problems in mind.

A perennial rural problem, Mr. Macklem declared, was that of its young people leaving to live in urban centres where more attractions to youth were available. "If rural communities established centres with attractions equivalent to that of city neighbors, the greater part of this problem would be solved."

"In addition," he said, there is the rehabilitation of rural young people after the war. These young men and women will not return to a social blackout in rural Canada after seeing and experiencing the bright lights of European centres. We must provide attractions for them in rural centres, and part of the answer is community schools. The places should not be confined alone to five hours of child education during the day, but should house adults in the evening with the same purpose in view.

Increased Money Grants

The government has increased money grants for education, the speaker pointed out. "There need be no worry about getting money for this purpose if the government sees that it is getting dollar for dollar value."

"As long as there is a deep abyss between trustees, the teacher and the residents of the community, not much advancement in anything will be made."

Referring to the "teen-age" movement recently gotten under way in this city, as well as others, Mr. Macklem pointed out that its purpose was not merely to give pleasure, or to keep young people away from unsupervised places of amusement, nor to "keep up with the Joneses" in other cities, but to develop in these young people a sense of responsibility and a sense of duty and co-operation.

Help to Develop Sense

"The difference between a good student and a poor one is often attributed and rightly so to his or her sense of responsibility. This movement will develop this sense also the youth's ability to co-operate. It will help him or her to take his position in the post war world and work with others for the common purpose."

He deplored the fact that the cessation of rural school fairs due to the discontinuance of governments grants in 1940, had affected the ties between the school and the home." A link between these two, was broken and took away the opportunity of children working for themselves." He warned his listeners not to confuse material efficiency with that of spiritual and educational phases.

"If we can get people to go to the schools, many problems will be solved which will go a long way toward winning the peace."

James Sherman To Head Fishermen

Commercial fishermen of the Bay of Quinte district from Kingston to Brighton met in Belleville over the weekend to re-organize their Great Lakes Fisherman's Association branch, which had been dormant for the past 11 years. Ninety-two fishermen were present at the meeting, which was held in the Wharf Street Debating Club rooms here.

James Sherman of Deseronto was elected president of the organization with Everett Collins of Belleville being named as vice president. Twelve men were elected to the board of directors, members drawn from the area ranging Brighton to Kingston.

Matters pertaining to the commercial fishing industry as a whole were discussed although reviving of the old union was foremost on the agenda. Interest in organization of 485 commercial fishermen and their helpers in the district will be served by the union.

Cruiser Uganda To Join British Pacific Fleet

Ottawa, Feb. 13 —(CP)— The Canadian cruiser Uganda will shortly be in action with the British Pacific Fleet, Navy Minister Macdonald announced today at a press conference.

Mr. Macdonald said that two light fleet aircraft carriers being acquired from the British, and Canadian Tribal Class destroyers also would probably go to the Pacific along with other units of the Canadian Navy.

The Navy's Pacific effort was not likely to be as large as its Atlantic effort, but "it would send against the Japanese "certainly more than a token force," said Mr. Macdonald. The Uganda is in command of Capt. E. B. Mainguy of Chemainus, B.C.

A second cruiser, the Ontario, now building at Belfast, will probably be ready to take part in European action before going to the Pacific. This ship will be in command of Capt. H. T. W. Grant of Halifax.

Many Training Stations Will Become Permanent

Ottawa, Feb. 13 (CP)—The H.M.C.S. Cataraqui training station at Kingston, Ont., and a score of unidentified stations will become permanent naval training stations after the war, it was learned here today.

However, with the navy's new over-all recruiting figure set at only 300 men a month, activities at Cataraqui and other naval training establishments in Canada will be on a greatly reduced scale this year.

"We have reached our required total complement—some 90,000 men —and need only enough recruits to maintain that level," a naval official said. He added that the small monthly intake could be spread through various centres throughout the Dominion and the activities of each would "very naturally be curtained."

Expenditures incurred in establishing the Cataraqui had been made in the knowledge that the station would be part of a post-war training scheme, with the R.C.N. V.R. using the facilities.

JOE E. SHORTT HEADS ANGLERS' ASSOCIATION

For the twelfth consecutive time J. E. Shortt, local Y.M.C.A. secretary, was chosen as president of the Belleville District Anglers' Association when the executive of that body met recently to choose officers for the coming year. Mr. Shortt was chosen president of the organization at its inception and has since acted in that capacity.

Vice chairmen appointed were J. H. Lewis and Dr. Van Blaklee, with Mr. Arthur M. Bishop named as secretary treasurer. The following committee chairmen were named: Membership, "Cap" Bottum; Restocking, Dr. Van Blaklee; Contests, Fred Croft; Hunting Contests, Elmer Sandercock; Reforestation, Byron Lott. George Walbridge and "Sandy" Lummiss were named as contact men for the the association's extension work.

Sentence Upheld By Appeal Court But Boy Released

A Court of Appeal consisting of Chief Justice Rose, Mr. Justices Laidlaw and Roach, hearing an appeal from sentence of Floyd Antrobus, youthful Belleville jail breaker, upheld the sentence of two years less one day in the Ontario Reformatory imposed by Magistrate T. Y. Wills, but changed it to suspended sentence and a recognizance entered into by Andrews with his father as surety for the sum of $1,000.

The judgment of the court was: "In this case which is standing for judgment, the sentence imposed is not interfered with except in this respect that with the consent of the Attorney General, the sentence, except insofar as it had already been served will be suspended and a recognizance be entered into by the appellant with his father as surety, in the sum of $1,000 that he will keep the peace and will appear for sentence when ever called upon and upon these terms he will be released from custody."

Antrobus was a member of a quintette of youths who conducted a successful break from the Hastings County Jail some time ago in which jail officials suffered severe injuries when attacked by the youths prior to making their getaway.

Provincial Police Continue Search For Stolen Money

Provincial Police are still continuing their search for the motorist who robbed Mrs. Thos. Clayton, Foxboro Road, of $82 after giving the elderly woman a ride part way home on the night of Feb. 3rd last. "We have recovered all of the goods stolen in Mrs. Clayton's shopping bag, as well as her ration books, but the money is still missing," Provincial Constable J. E. Scobbiere revealed today. The shopping bag and minor contents were found beneath a culvert on the Foxboro Road, while more recently a new shirt and the Clayton ration books were found cached beneath the C.N.R. railway bridge in the city over the Moira river.

Prov. Con. Scobbiere added the police were endeavoring to locate a 1936 or 30 model black four door coupe, believed to be the car in which Mrs. Clayton was given a ride towards home on the night of Feb. 3 when she was later forcibly pushed from the car and her shopping bag and money stolen.

"Mrs. Clayton informs us the door on the driver's side of the coupe was hard to close and also that the engine was quite noisy. Information regarding such a vehicle should be communicated to O.P.P. headquarters here," urged Constable Scobbiere today.

Riverside Drive To Be Discussed At Public Meeting

The proposed Riverside Drive along the east bank of the Moira River between Bridge Street and upper Front Street will be thoroughly discussed this evening at the city hall where a meeting of ratepayers has been called by Alderman C. H. Clapp, chairman of the Recreational Planning Committee.

City Engineer Charles Mott will exhibit plans of the proposed drive and point out the details of the intended construction and indicate the buildings, which will have to be removed to effect an entrance from Bridge Street and from Front Street at the Belvedere Hotel driveway.

Not only ratepayers, whose property will be affected by the building of the driveway are invited, but all tax-payers are urged to attend the meeting. In addition to the Recreational Planning Committee, the Mayor and all members of the council will be present and will be prepared to answer questions pertaining to the undertaking.

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Frenzied Hun Propagandists

German propagandists are concentrating their effort upon the German civilian public to hold their morale and make them fight on to the finish under the threat of dire consequences which they say will follow if Germany should be defeated. Now there are disturbances reported from within the Reich and at the same time the Allied armies are pressing with more and more strength against the sagging walls of the Reich. The pincers are working effectively to the defeat and end of Hitlerite Germany.

Germans looked with a forlorn hope some time ago that they might be able to stir rifts in the harmony of the United Nations, that they might effect failure, unity is seen on the battlefields of the world and in the conferences of the United Nations leaders, the latest of which is now just been held.

Well might the enemy become frantic as the relentless pressure of Allied power continues to drive back the Huns in from both borders to lead ultimately to the fall of Berlin. Germany, sore pressed on the east and noting the United Nations strength and the new offensive of Allied power in the west, tried to withdraw some troops from the east to put them into the Siegfried defences but the efforts proved vain and the projected relief of troops and materials was battered and hammered by the eye of the Allied forces, the air squadrons.

Between the advance of the Allied armies, the feverish excitement in Berlin and in Germany at large and the frantic endeavors of the propagandists of Germany the Germans must fully realize that they are in bad plight with imminent defeat and collapse facing them.

The United Nations are showing everywhere their mastery in power and however long the Germans fight on, the Allied forces will maintain their offensive and dictate the course of future military events in Germany and Germany's end.

Valentine's Day

Wednesday is St. Valentine's Day. Traditionally, that is the day when moon-eyed maidens and big-eyed swains, swear undying fealty—until a new love pops over the horizon.

The father, listening to the exclamations of delight or disgust when the members of the household look over the mail, will light his pipe, and recall the day he courted Mother to the altar, glance quickly in her direction, and mentally remark upon the vagaries of time and its changing hands.

Mother, on the other hand, will likely recall the big day too, sigh a deep sigh, and wonder why he hasn't come across with a box of candy for the past ten years.

Junior will wonder how that new redhead next door reacted to the valentine card on which he spent his last two-bits, and what she sees in the stuffed shirt on the hockey squad who sits in the next seat in school.

Sis will giggle and blush over her quota of the cupid-crested cards, and spend the rest of the day guessing "who."

To young married couples and those who figure the honeymoon is not over when the bride drops cigarette ashes in the bacon, the day will likely be one of happy memories, not to be swapped as yet by the old gent with the scythe and whiskers.

And to those grand girls, who restrained their tears until the bridegroom, clad in khaki, navy or air force blue, waved his final good-bye, let us hope that 1945's St. Valentine's Day will be one of happy reunion.

These reaffirmations of love, fealty and exchange of letters and cards date away "back when." The ancient Romans used to inscribe their message of love on parchment scrolls and send slaves over to the baths where the current heart-throb was laving her body in scented water and not worrying about the scarcity of nylons.

The idea is said to have been born in southern Europe where, historian naturalists say, the birds used to pair and mate in mid-February.

St. Valentine himself was a bishop of Rome in the 3rd century. He is reported to have been a man of most amiable nature and remarkable gifts of eloquence, and was very successful in converting the pagan Romans to Christianity.

He that as it may. What this corner would like to know, is who invented the satirical monstrosity that formerly masqueraded under the name of a "Valentine," was printed on cheap pulp paper and pictured the victim in gargoylian features and clothing, and was usually accompanied by a verse that extolled all the virtues that he did not possess?

Fable of the Big Three

(Christian Science Monitor)

It may not be on the square, but there is a story going the rounds: It is rumored that one night recently, or maybe it was lately—an eagle and a swifty from his nest overlooking the Potomac, and proceeded on silent wing to meet his mates-mates somewhere in the great unknown. No trees rustled with the news of his passing. No little breezes whispered the tale. The stars just blinked, and the man in the moon closed his eye, for the big white house had decreed it so.

Across the shining big sea water, it is reported that a lion rose, stretched himself —or perhaps he just rose—and set out on softly padding feet to the same unconfirmed destination. Though no roar announced his going, and the Isles eyed his journey in confidence, the news of the trip was bound to spread abroad via the English Channel, for even Military Secret couldn't shut that up.

Further north, it is hinted that a great bear, who already had defied all the story-tellers of the past by refusing to sleep through the winter, shook himself and lumbered forth to the unmentionable rendezvous. Folks surmised that he did not go any too far from his lair, for though his cubs can prove a worry, and far when occasion warrants, Papa Bear—or so the gossip runs—prefers home territory.

You know, of course, this is just a fable. At least Washington won't confirm it.

New Type of House

The name of Mr. Arthur Greenwood has been given to a new type of house devised to meet the housing shortage. Mr. Greenwood has adopted it because its design fits in with "prefabs" formed when minister in charge of post-war reconstruction that temporary houses were wasteful of labor and material and that bungalows were the wasteful kind.

It starts as a flat-roofed bungalow accommodating a family of three, but it has domestic outhouses connected with the house by a covered way. At first convenient opportunity the bungalow is converted into a three-bedroomed house with kitchen and living-room by adding an upper storey.

Cars Stuck

(Gravenhurst Plain Dealer)

Railroads' snow troubles are by no means confined to main lines, not even in the western mountains, where it seems snowplows do heroic tasks every winter. Cars standing for freight yards, waiting to be unloaded, have been snowed in recently by thousands. Lack of manpower generally made it impossible to move them quickly, and either they had stood through a few days of alternate thawing and freezing it seemed impossible to move them by any means. If Nature does not send a general thaw, and send it soon, the roads may need a few tons of salt.

Two Generations

(London Spectator)

In a casual discussion on longevity a day or two ago someone mentioned that the father of the present Earl of Stradbroke rode at the head of his company at the Battle of Vittoria, which took place in 1813. It seemed hardly credible, but investigation shows it to be true. Lord Stradbroke himself is 82. The late earl was born in 1794.

Time! the corrector where our judgments err; the test of truth and love; the sole philosopher, for all beside are sophists.—Byron.

Thinking is the talking of the soul with itself.—Plato.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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LOST GENERATION

When the final wave has rolled,
We, who were the standers-by,
Will be those Who were too old
To be ordered out to die.

When the world at last is free
And the fields are cleaned of hate,
We, the "stay-at-homes," will be
Spared the humblest soldier's fate.

Pride of service us denied,
Fleet or squadron or platoon!
Boys for God and country died!
We were sent to earth too soon.

Ours the generation lost,
Barred to land and sea and sky!
Money's all we paid in cost.
We were thought too old to die.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"He thinks just because he's a big executive he has to use every telephone in the place!"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

February 13th, 1925.

The Rev. R. B. Kenny has been invited by the Official Board of the Tabernacle to remain as pastor for another year and has accepted the invitation subject to the approval of the Conference.

Mr. John Hatfield has returned to his home on Bluff's Island after spending three months at his former home in the Old Country.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Anderson, Bluff's Island, spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. J. A. McMath of Peterborough was in town today.

The annual banquet tendered to the members of the choir of St. Thomas' church took place in the Parish House last evening and was an enjoyable affair.

At a meeting of the Canadian Rooster Club of Belleville the following officers were elected: President, J. J. C. Mosley; First Vice President, Jas. Wilson; Second Vice President, Walter Turner; Secretary, L. A. Russell; Treasurer, George Lee; Directors, George Griffin, Alf. J. O. Manley, Harold Hinton, Edward Kelly, James Boyle, James Moon and Sol. Britton.

30 YEARS AGO

February 13th, 1915.

Messrs. Johnson & Bolton, proprietors of the New Ashwood Hotel, have dissolved partnership.

The Palace Theatre has found more commodious quarters at the city hall.

Mrs. M. James, Albert Street, sang a very pleasing solo at the Tabernacle on Sunday evening.

Mr. J. Newton Allen, Montreal, son of Mr. Walter Allen, is home to spend a few days.

Bloomsbury Street Methodist Church requires the services of a organist, and applications should be addressed to Mr. Charles L. Walker.

The Lord Bishop of the Diocese of Ontario has appointed the Rev. John Lyons, rector of Roslin, to be the first rector of the newly formed parish of Burnt's Rapids.

The Rev. A. R. Sanderson of this city was at Hallowey last evening and delivered a lecture on "Experiences in the War Zone."

40 YEARS AGO

February 13th, 1905.

His Grace Archbishop Gauthier of Kingston will arrive here this evening.

Dr. J. McDonnell of Pueblo, Colorado, is visiting friends here.

The rolls in this section of the country are at present blocked with snow. The fall of snow was very great and accompanied by a strong wind the roads soon became blocked and drifts over six feet high in many places. The stage are unable to get through and the railway trains are hours behind time.

The Rev. O. C. Elliott, pastor of the Bridge Church, took part in an induction service as a sacrificial on Sunday.

Mr. W. J. Megrath is in the western part of the province on business.

50 YEARS AGO

February 13th, 1895.

A horse owned by McCoy Bros., liverymen, ran away on Front Street last evening and caused some excitement before it was stopped. No damage resulted.

A car load of cheese was shipped to Montreal today from Warrington's cheese warehouse.

The country roads are gradually becoming impassable and our friends from the country, who have been shut in for some time, are flocking to town in large numbers. We are glad to see them.

Mr. Sidney Mills of Toronto is spending a few days in the city.

Preparations for the opening of Hotel Quinte are being pushed forward as fast as possible.

Mr. H. M. Sherwin, barrister, Madoc, was in town today.

All their conclusions were not made public. The solution for the split between the Soviet Union and Russia over the issues of a world organization for the preservation of peace, and the dissolving that power in the world security organization it is to be given, only after Finland and China are consulted.

Fires Unrevealed

The plans for joint military action to be taken by the United Nations Group are unrevealed and there is no hint as to the duration of the war against Japan, which is not unchanged by the mounting predictions that after the defeat of war Russia will become an ally in the struggle for mastery of the Pacific strategic.

The decisions which were reported fall into three main categories and may be summed up thus:

Defeating and Pacifying Germany

Military Plans: Strategic, American and Russian High Commands are drawn together for the first time and planned in detail "the timing, scope and co-ordination of new and even more powerful blows" to crush the enemy. The staffs will confirm what is already necessary. "The German people," it was said, "will be forced to pay the cost of their defeat heavier to themselves than the necessary to continue a hopeless resistance."

Occupation and Control

France was asked to make a fourth power in the control of post-war Germany with the proviso that the country would be split into three zones of occupation instead of three, and ruled by a control commission of the American, British commanders in Berlin. In addition to having France's armies disarmed and demilitarized the Russian and Americans wiped out, the Germans will have all their real or potential war industries eliminated or controlled.

Said the Allied leaders: "It is not our purpose to destroy the people of Germany, but only when Nazism and militarism have been extirpated will there be any hope for a decent life for Germans, and a place for them in the comity of nations."

Reparations—

A commission will be established in Moscow to "work out organization in kind" by Germany to the Allied Countries. This probably means using German labor, plants and machinery, wealth and raw materials for the rehabilitation of the people.

Bringing Order Out of Chaos)

General Policy—Messrs. Churchill, Roosevelt and Stalin agreed—and expressed the hope that France would join them—on a plan for joint control of the liberated and former satellite peoples of Europe to "help them to solve by democratic means" with a guarantee of free elections as soon as possible. They said they would "concert" with Italy internal peace in disturbed countries, "relief of distress" and interim governments pending elections and facilitate the holding of elections. As a reassurance to the smaller nations the Big Three promised to consult them on matters of mutual concern.

NORTHERN

(Continued From Page One)

Luxemburg Cleared.

The last of Luxembourg was cleared of the Nazis by capture of Vianden by the 3rd Army, giving Gen. Patton power a continuous 145-mile front from Luxembourg to Germany's Saarbrucken.

Field Marshal Sir Bernard Montgomery's British troops in the north had plunged clear through the Siegfried line Reichswald's thick masses of fir.

Weather was foul. Rains and mud-

Canadians, called "water rats" because they operate as an amphibian, are wreaking vengeance of water in the lowlands, drove to Griekenland on the north bank of the Rhine and two from Emmerich. The latter is 10 1-2 miles inside Germany and close to the bridge from Krive to Emmerich Pioneers passed 8,000-

Elements of the 116th Panzer (tank) division and the whole 15th Panzer Grenadier division are reported on Field Marshal Model-

mounted counter-attacks all the way from Kleve to south of the Reichswald.

These enemy units joined the severely mauled 84th infantry in the 2nd, 5th and 7th parachute divisions and the 180th infantry. All suffered heavy losses in counter-attacks which failed to relieve the slow but steady progress of the Allied forces and elements of the 6th parachute division were routed in Holland. The others were moved to the Roer river front in western

Die Water is Hall Invaders.

Where his troops failed, the foe used water in vain efforts to hold the onslaught. Dykes were blown up on the Issel at Millingen and north of Nijmegen.

British troops on the Canadian south flank, threatening eastward along the highway to Gooh (11,900) from captured Cleves hit a wall of German resistance near Kessel. Four miles northeast, a devastated centre of 11 highways and rail tracks, Allied units, however, were reported less than three miles from Gooh.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

WE SHOULD SAY WHAT WE THINK AND THINK WHAT WE SAY

I attended a lecture delivered by [illegible] in Lincoln, Nebraska, years ago, and have been a follower of your column ever since . . . I remember that we were just a little [illegible] when you said at the opening of your lectures that you would always say what you thought. Lincoln friends — we, you [illegible] lecturer, you said, what I say, I am convinced that what Dr. Brady says one cannot catch cold from a draft, and test, etc., he is referring to normal, healthy people, people free from chronic infections, and not, for instance, to people who have chronic sinus infection.

(D. D.)

At first blush, Sir, I'm inclined to deny I said wined. One of the pleasantest recollections I have of that visit to Lincoln is that nobody offered me or, so far as I can remember, ever served me any kind of alcoholic beverage in Lincoln. That was in the era of Prohibition. I have always retained the impression that the people of Lincoln found life endurable without the narcotic influence of alcohol. On second thought, I'm inclined to say "stewed and dished" . . . just as I might say column and dished. But I will try and attribute, although I'd prefer to say, something to the beer.

No, if I meant that the normal, healthy people cannot suffer any illness in consequence of a draft, wet feet, etc., I'd make that perfectly clear. I say one cannot catch cold from a draft, wet feet, etc. and one means nobody, no matter whether one is normal or healthy or abnormal or unhealthy or weak or tired or overworked or "run down" or in "resistance"—if that means anything to me—can catch cold from anything to me.

The fact that I expect any old fossil reading this will change his views in the slightest even if he happens to be a physician or a health officer.

But I have always in mind the younger folks who read this column. I want to make certain they shall not have any doubt as to what I mean when I say nobody can get any illness from cold, dampness, draft, sudden change, insufficient clothing, chilling, exposure, wet feet, temporary discomfort, and so on, even chilblain or frostbite, but never any illness such as coryza, sore throat, measles, pneumonia, bronchitis, flu, acute appendicitis or your exposure with equanimity.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

INFORMATION ROUNDUP

Of all the countries in the New World that were once Spanish colonies, Mexico has the largest population.

Mexico now has more than 20,000,000 inhabitants, while Argentina has about 25,000,000.

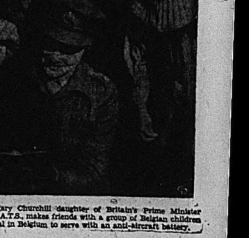
Mexico's flag is all calling a "turkey." This may have been suggested by the colors of the flag, green, white and red, which are the same colors of cotton goods. Practically all cotton goods are called "turkeys" because they at that one time used to turkey red bandana.

Milford Haven, a town near Liverpool, England, is the world's greatest iron, the staple food crop of this country. In a valley where the Peiping is located, the people eat Indian meal. Rice is the staple of China people great, one another, "Have you eaten your rice?" is equivalent to our, "How are you?"

"Chung-Hun Min-Kuo," signifying "Republic of China," is the official name of the country.

"Stuffed shirt" in the slang sense of a pompous person who doesn't amount to much originated in 1916 when the American actress Fay Templeton first used the term as an epithet at a "tremendous nobody"

CHURCHILL'S DAUGHTER IN BELGIUM



Junior Cmdr. Mary Churchill, daughter of Britain's Prime Minister and serving in the A.T.S., makes friends with a group of Belgian children following her arrival in Belgium to serve with an anti-aircraft battery.

MARMORA

rter Century Club Inaugurated At Deloro Plant

Marmora — The inauguration of the Quarter Century Club at Deloro on Friday evening, February 9th, proved to be one of the most interesting functions in the history of Deloro Smelting and Refining Company. The only regrettable feature was the absence of two of the twenty members now constituting the club. J. A. O'Brien, managing director, president and chairman of the Board could not attend because of illness, and J. A. Paquet, manager of Sinclite operations, is away at the present time. Alan Scott, assistant to the president, presided in the latter's absence and H. J. Green, secretary treasurer of M. J. O'Brien, Limited, was also an honored guest.

The inaugural dinner took place in the staff dining room where an excellent meal was served on artistically decorated tables by Mrs. John Rogers and her staff to the members and their wives at the conclusion, two toasts were submitted, "The King" and "Quarter Century Club". The address to have been given by Mr. O'Brien in proposing the latter toast was read by Mr. Scott. In it, Mr. O'Brien stated his appreciation in being instrumental in launching the Quarter Century Club. He referred to the fact that it was 38 years since the company was formed and that from humble beginnings, the enterprise had grown to its present gratifying proportions.

Employees Praised.

"This was due in no small measure to the vision, mutual understanding, respect and loyalty of the men and women who have worked for the company. We formulated it a club of this nature," Mr. O'Brien added, "to create an esprit de corps, a harmony between employer and employee which is of great significance and promote the general welfare of all concerned."

He said "each charter member has given 25 to 38 years of devoted service to the company and I think it is very appropriate that I should record the name and length of service of each man. It was a hard one I need not say for a decision whether Mr. S. B. Wright or Mr. J. P. Crisp held the distinction of the longest service but as Mr. Wright retired on December 31st, 1944, he has been given the honor and award on the West Coast and Mr. Crisp, because of his many friends is still going strong, the palm goes to Mr. Wright." And the length of service of each man. It was a "neck and neck" race for a decision whether Mr. S. B. Wright or Mr. J. P. Crisp held the distinction of the longest service but as Mr. Wright retired on December 31st, 1944, he has been given the honor and award on the West Coast and Mr. Crisp, because of his many friends is still going strong, the palm goes to Mr. Wright." And the length of service of each man, as read by the secretary-treasurer, is as follows, up to the September 1944 issue of that interesting publication "The Plain Bulletin" from which you will note that 'Johnny' was working with the Canadian Goldfields (Deloro Subsidiary company) before, so to speak—he "Wright was born."

The list of members in order of length of service was then read with a short characteristic comment being made on each member by reason of his many friends) is still going strong, the palm goes to Mr. Wright." And the length of service of each man, as read by the secretary-treasurer, is as follows, up to the September 1944 issue of that interesting publication "The Plain Bulletin" from which you will note that 'Johnny' was working with the Canadian Goldfields (Deloro Subsidiary company) before, so to speak—he "Wright was born."

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Names and Years of Service.

Edward John Cross, 38 years; Sidney Bridlow Wright, 38 years; Robert Alfred Harris, 35 years; Harry Orval Loveless, 34 years; Floyd Gray, 33 years; Dr. Arthur Hamilton Crawford, 33 years, association as "The Doctor"; Arthur Volhmann Yates, 31 years; Henry Augustine McNally, 30 years; Charles Joseph Judge, 30 years; Charles McIlmoyl, 30 years; George Franklin O'Neill, 30 years; Charles Henry Bushard, 30 years; John Alfred Paquet, 29 years; Herbert Clinton Barlow, 29 years; William Francis Pownall, 27 years; Peter Patrick Brawley, 25 years; Charles Leslie Fleming, 26 years.

26 Aggregate 623 Years.

The chairman's address as it continued gave further interesting figures. It showed that the accumulated length of service of the twenty chartered members is 623 years, an average of 31.15 years and that almost every department in the organization was represented. Mr. O'Brien added that although the following ten members of the Deloro organization are no longer actively connected with the company, they have joined the club as honorary members in the club—Frederick Alexander Saplin 29 years; Malcolmson Cadney, 29 years; Archibald Dennis, 28 years; William George Kerr, 28 years; Alexander Wilson, 28 years; Wilfrid Addison Hall, 27 years; "Our years of past friendship and devotion to the O'Brien policies be counted with that remembering those of our colleagues who have gone to their final reward: Dr. Stafford Frederick Kirkpatrick, 30 years; Jacob Brady, 32 years; William Clarke Bourne, Sigg, 32 years; Harry Smith, 31 years; Michael John O'Brien (who formed the Company), 31 years; George Mantle, 30 years; Robert Andrew Elliott, 29 years; Alexander Kennedy, 23 years.

Impressive Record.

"The grand total of the years of the 32 men named, either actively engaged in the business of the company, retired or deceased, is 975 years or an average of 60.9 years each, an impressive record by any measure, and one of which we are rightly proud. Further evidence of consolidation for the club members for their past service and the statement that future prospects for the Quarter Century Club were very bright finished the address proper."

Medals and Gifts of Money.

Speaking then on behalf of Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Scott said it had been decided to present each new member of the club as he or she qualified for the "Quarter Century" distinction with a badge and membership scroll as well as a cheque for twenty-five dollars. Unfortunately the delivery of the badges (which will be of Ontario blue and gray color) had not been in time for presentation that night but would be distributed at a later date. The distribution of the scrolls and cheques having been carried out the toast to the charter members of the Royal Hotel on Friday, Feb. 9th when District Governor C. O. (Ory) Rooks of Kingston was guest of honor. Following a sinata Drew occupied the chair and after the Royal Toast had been submitted the guest of the evening gave an historical sketch of the foundation and progress of the Kinsmen movement. One new member was initiated into the club.

Marmora

Marmora — Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Kesat of Copper Cliff were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Shannon.

Ishel McNally of the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) Ottawa and Sgt. Tom McNally of Kingston spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McNally.

Miss Maurine Maloney, Reg. N. of Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston, spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. M. J. Maloney.

Miss Eileen Mantle, Reg. N. of Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jones.

L/Cpl. Gus Leonard of Ottawa spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. William Leonard.

George Cheeseman of Westboro spent the weekend with relatives here.

J. Callery of Kingston spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Callery.

Mrs. William Sweet is quite ill at her home here.

Sergt. William Prentice of Kingston spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Prentice.

Private Edward MacFaul of Brantford spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McFaul.

Miss Velma Armstrong of Glanmire spent the weekend with relatives here.

The staff and pupils of Marmora High School held an enjoyable dance in the town hall on Friday evening. Aces orchestra furnished the music.

Week night Lenten services at St. Paul's will be on Wednesday commencing Ash Wednesday. Each week there will be a children's service at 5 p.m. and the regular evening service at 7.30 p.m.

Mrs Jack Grant of Toronto is visiting her relatives Mr. and Mrs. R. Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Crawford, Mrs. Catherine Crawford, Mrs. Charles Crawford and Mr. James Crawford, attended the funeral of the late Miss Jane Tate at Trenton on Thursday.

Read

Read — Mrs. O'Reilly of Wolfe Island is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Coffey and Mr. Coffey and baby this week.

A shower was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hanley on Thursday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lalley who were married recently. Many beautiful gifts were received and an enjoyable evening spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Powers celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Tuesday evening. A large number of their friends and neighbors gathered at their home and presented them with a lovely studio couch. An appropriate address was read by Rev. Fr. Buckley, P. P. of Plinton.

London, (CP)—The ministry of information plans to make a 50-minute movie based on the government white paper on the United Kingdom's war effort. Actual pages will be shown on the screen, bolstered with some of the ministry's 5,000,000 photographs.

BANCROFT

Twenty-One Days In January Below Zero Weather

Bancroft — The weather at Bancroft for the month of January was all that will please one, extreme temperatures for that period. During the 31-day period 21 days carried a below-zero temperature varying from 1 below to 32 degrees below, while the remaining 10 days somewhat warmer varied from 3 above zero to 22 above zero as the whole month there was no above-freezing temperature recorded as the Department of Lands and Forests from which this information was secured. There was fourteen inches of snowfall during the month, which along with the 11-inch fall in November, 34-inch fall in December and 9¼-inch fall to-date in February brings the season's total snowfall to 84½ inches. Such a cold and dry winter with no rain so far has accounted for a large percentage of wells and creeks throughout the district going dry. Farmers are hauling their stock in many areas to larger bodies of water when their own sources of supply on their farms has failed. Here in the village private water wells are going some of the village homes have defaulted and many villagers are drawing water to fill their cisterns.

Mr. W. R. Wiggins left Sunday afternoon for Belleville where he expects to spend a week visiting in the home of his son, Mr. D. C. Wiggins.

The Girls' League of St. Paul's United Church, Bancroft, held an afternoon tea in the church basement Saturday afternoon which tea was well patronized by the ladies of the village.

Mr. Earle Carpenter left Friday afternoon for Peterborough in attend the annual Normal School "At Home" being held in that city.

Held Successful Euchre.

Members of L.O.L. No. 624 Bancroft held a bridge, euchre and dance in the community hall Friday evening at which a very good attendance was present. The fore part of the evening was spent in cards, there being thirteen tables. At the conclusion of the cards the prizes were awarded the winners which were as follows: Ladies' high bridge, Miss Gertrude Gregory; Gentlemen's high bridge, Mr. W. A. Davy; Ladies' high euchre, Mrs. J. Vance; Gentlemen's high euchre, Mr. Harold Thompson. Mr. B. Ferguson won the prize for the lone hands and Mr. Frank Sprung and Miss Marie McAlpine won the low prizes awarded. The local orchestra composed of Misses, E. G. Hemstock, E. Mather, G. Power and J. Cowle, supplied the music for the young folk to dance to, which dance terminated at two o'clock with the playing of the National Anthem. The ladies of L.O.B.A. Oakwood Lodge No. 798 of Bancroft catered for the lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hopper and Mrs. H. J. Moore spent Friday and Saturday on business in Peterborough.

Mr. Robert Robinson who is at home on furlough spent the past week visiting with relatives in Belleville.

LOST - FIVE SHIPS

London (CP) — The Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co lost five ships through enemy action during the Mediterranean campaign, the company's annual meeting was told. The vessels were the ships of the late's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Fuller. Miss Dorothy Fuller returned to Bancroft Friday evening having spent several days visiting with her sister, Mrs. Wiggins.

Mr. Rhes Plumley of the Ordnance Corps at Ottawa is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Plumley of Bancroft.

Mrs. W. H. Smith of Maynooth is a patient in the Lockwood Clinic at Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McDonald of Hyde motored to Toronto Saturday evening to see the latter's mother, Mrs. Wilcox, who is seriously ill in St. Joseph's Hospital.

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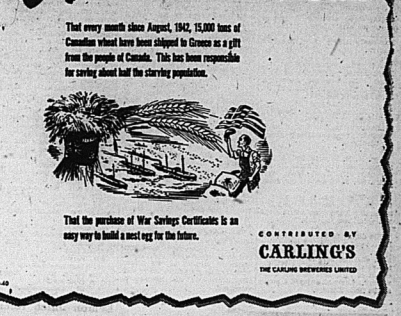
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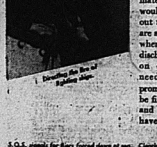
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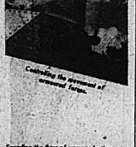
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The decision to extend the use of the present permits will effect a substantial saving in paper and printing costs, and is in keeping with present day conservation policies.

WILLIAM G. WEBSTER
Chief Commissioner

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

ENGAGEMENT NOTICE

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas R. Atkins wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris Helena, to Russell Thomas Bolitho, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bolitho, sr., and the late Mr. Bolitho, all of Picton. The marriage to take place in February, at the Tabernacle United Church, Belleville.

Mrs. Frank Short, 94 East Moira Street, is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital.

Flying Officer F. F. Wrath, of Upland Air Station, was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coleman, Geddes Street.

Mrs. Margeson of Hillier, has returned home after spending the past week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. Madore, Cannifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Morrissey, and Sharon, Kingston, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Whelan and attended the Windover—Brenda wedding.

Mrs. Webb and Mrs. Kidd were among those assisting in serving at the tea at the home of Mrs. F. Ogden arranged by the Women's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's Church.

Mrs. Ella Mathers, 209 1-3 Front Street, Belleville, received a cable from her son, James, "A Birthday greeting. Well and fit. Somewhere in Holland".

Mr. Ranee Bush, 255 Sidney St., who recently underwent an appendectomy in Bellefield Hospital, Belleville, is reported to be progressing favorably.

Mrs. R. E. Bunnett, Holloway, is recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Smith, West Moira St., following an operation.

Miss Bloss Mills, of the staff of the Bank of Montreal, left last night for Toronto, where she will spend her vacation.

The dining room of the Queen's Hotel was the scene of a quiz chicken party, Monday evening, when the staff of Mills and Stewart, entertained their employers at the occasion of their first business anniversary. After all enjoyed a movie at the Belle Theatre.

WEDDINGS

WINDOVER—BRENDA

The Tabernacle United Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Saturday evening, February 10, 8 o'clock, when Joan Genevieve, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Brenda of Stirling, became the bride of Flying Officer Thomas Bolitho Windover, Rockcliffe Airport, Ottawa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Windover, of Belleville.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Lloyd Sargent, the church against a background of colorful mums. Wedding music was played by Mrs. M. F. Dutt and Miss Marion Dodge.

Mr. T. J. Smith, "The Lords Prayer", following the procession and the signing of the register.

The bride, given in marriage by her mother, was lovely in a white brocaded satin gown, made with long scalloped tone, pointed sleeves, sweetheart neckline, with strand of pearls. She wore a cape length veil caught to her hair with a wreath of orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of Betty Bess roses.

Miss Doreen Morrissey, of Kingston, as maid of honor, wore floor length chartreuse crepe, with long torso, sweetheart neckline, bracelet length sleeves and a bouquet of pearls and pearl earrings.

Miss Eileen Bradshaw, of Peterborough, as bridesmaid, was gowned in floor length gown of rose taffeta with net overskirt, long torso, sweetheart neckline and short sleeves and matching accessories and earrings of pearl.

Miss James Morrissey, a bridesmaid, wore floor length teal blue, long torso, sweetheart neckline, bracelet sleeves with matching shoes and carrings to match. All attendants carried bouquets of carnations and sweetpeas and wore pearls, gifts of the bridegroom.

Mr. Jack Bradshaw, of Peterborough, as bridesmaid, was groomsman and Mr. Harold Bailey and children, and Mrs. Girdwood Hayton and children of Concord; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Graham and family, of Cooper; Mrs. Reg. Scott, of Roblin, Ont.; Mrs. R. Rollins and Allan, of Queensboro.

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Mrs. Bailey received many cards present for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey are both in remarkably good health.

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Following the reception Flying Officer and Mrs. Windover left on a wedding trip to eastern points, the bride travelling in a grey and stripe suit, blue camel hair coat and accessories.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. W. and Miss Ruth Brenda and Lloyd, Agnes and Doreen Morrissey and Mrs. Jack Bradshaw, Peterborough; Miss Dorothy Sharron, of Kingston; Miss Dorothy Dunlop, Gananoque; Miss Eileen Bradshaw, Peterborough, and Mrs. Gene Bailey, Mrs. Jessie Rose, Stirling; Mrs. James Bailey, Frankford; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Charlton, Port Colborne; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown, Consecon; Cpl. Vivian Charlton, R.C.A.F., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allan, Chas. Cook, R.C.A.F., Montreal; Mrs. Jas. Allan, Mrs. Cliff Watson, Oshawa.

For travelling wear the bride wore a navy blue suit, with shoulder length veil, fitted navy hat with veiling and navy accessories and a corsage of sweetpeas.

Mrs. Windover is a graduate of Stirling High School and has been employed in the office of the Belleville Public Utilities Commission.

Flying Officer Windover is a graduate of Queen's University, Kingston, and prior to enlisting was employed with the Bell Telephone Company.

Following their honeymoon they will take up residence on Trent Road, Belleville.

Mrs. Jane Bailey Celebrates Her 93rd Birthday

On Saturday, February third, the family of Mrs. Jane Bailey, Cooper, gathered at the home of Mrs. Gideon Bailey Cooper, to celebrate her 93rd birthday.

Seven of a family of eight were present for lunch and supper. They were Mrs. Tha. Bailey of McLeod, Alberta; Mrs. Gideon Bailey, of Marlbank, and Mrs. Murray Rollins (Gertie) of Roslamy Manitoba, became many times for the occasion.

Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Bailey, Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey, of Roslin, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rollins, of Queensboro, and a number her family of seven children present.

The youngest son Mr. Fred Bailey, of Oakville, Manitoba, was unable to be with her.

Grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bailey and children, and Mrs. Girdwood Hayton and children of Concord; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Graham and family, of Cooper; Mrs. Reg. Scott, of Roblin, Ont.; Mrs. R. Rollins and Allan, of Queensboro.

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Daintiness Imperative for A Higher Social Standing



Jinx Falkenburg enjoys a refreshing bath after a hard day's work.

By HELEN FOLLETT

CUTE little bobby-hose's must beware of the baneful B.O. that spells social ruin, by the simple expedient of using a cake laundry soap and a wash cloth.

Those ever so pretty wool sweaters are no help either, for the perfumed soap leaves the sweet glands to a decided degree. A girl can't have a high rating in her social circle if she smells.

She can wear Pa's old shirt with the tails stuck in and the sleeves in patches on her blue jeans, and it doesn't matter how dirty her shoes are. But she must be clean, completely and entirely free of unpleasant body odors.

Her body won't rush her and the telephone will stop ringing.

Frequent Bathing

Frequent bathing is imperative since bathing removes existing perspiration odor, but the decomposition of the deposits of the sweat glands takes place so rapidly that additional deodorants is necessary. A good liquid anti-perspirant will check both moisture and odor, and is almost as necessary as the daily scrubbing.

And now it seems a good time to explain that a "deodorant" means that the odor of decomposition is neutralized. An "anti-perspirant" checks the flow of moisture. There are preparations to be had that will furnish these purposes. They should be applied to the armpits where the clothing is close to the skin. Where the air has little opportunity to penetrate.

Many Preparations

Odor may develop when moisture is not present, and that is why one should be fastidious.

Some of the old-fa-hards among us insist that it is injurious to the health to check perspiration. There are those who say the glands on the body; if those under the arms are healthy, the flow is sent elsewhere. Ask any doctor.

Many a girl has lost a good job because of B.O. that is an insult to the public nose as well as the noses near by.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

Bringing Home the Bride

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

My brother is in the service, and two months ago he married a girl who lives in the city in which he is stationed.

The bride, but both my mother and I wrote her letters welcoming her into the family, sent her wedding gifts and generally made Mrs. Jones written us friendly letters, and seems like a fine girl.

Now my brother is to have a furlough next month and is bringing his bride home. How should we go about introducing my sister-in-law to relatives and friends in a manner that will make her feel "at home"? Since they are already married, would it be permissible for us to have a reception for her. Or should we just have a social gathering, perhaps a buffet supper?

E. J.

I suggest that your mother, as hostess, and you, as daughter, have a late-afternoon party on a Sunday, in honor of your brother and his bride, inviting as many guests as your home can accommodate. Your notes of invitation could be informally worded: "Tom and his bride are coming to visit us for a few days, and we want to give them a royal welcome at a party at our house on Sunday afternoon, March 15th. Won't you and Jim come at sometime between four and seven this spring; the party?"

To make your brother's bride feel "at home" and an important part of your family, your mother can warm-heartedly say in her introductions, "... this is our new wife, and my dear new daughter", and you, "my sister" (this avoiding the "in-law").

Of course a buffet supper would be proper too, but this is the more expensive, and undoubtedly you couldn't accommodate as many people as for a tea, at which a simple menu is suitable: sandwiches, tea or coffee (and other drinks, if you wish), and small cakes or cookies, nuts, candy.

Your party ready to shouldn't be a shower . . . not because the people are already married, but because (1) it isn't considered good taste for a member of the bride's or groom's family to give a shower, and (2) because the guests will not have met the bride before the party.

Wedding Should Be a Quiet One.

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

Last September my mother died, and then recently, in November, my father. I am planning to be married in the very near future, and although a formal wedding is my preference, I am wondering if it would be out-of-order under the circumstances. Do you think a more simple wedding would be advisable?

I would appreciate your advice as to the proper dress to wear, the number of attendants, and the invitations to have.

Lois

If you loved your mother and father, and therefore revere their memory, you realize that a wedding would certainly have reason to frown and is unwise at your lack of respect should you decide to have a large formal wedding and reception. With the loss of your mother and father, so recently, your wedding should be very quiet one. It would show best taste for you to have either your mother's or the chapel of your church, or in your own home; to dress informally, either in floor-length or street-length dress with harmonizing small hat, and corsage; to have only one attendant (or none); to invite only the closest of your groom's relatives and perhaps a very few intimate friends; and to have either no reception (definitely no formal one), or one for the small group that would follow the ceremony if your wedding is a house wedding. If your heart is set on a reception, do have it in your home, and you think this would have been the wish of your parents, this might be permissible, if your dress is of simple design, luncheon, your veil of finger-tip length, your bouquet small and simply-designed (or carry a white prayer Book), and if you invite only relatives and perhaps a very few friends of your most intimate friends, and if the wedding is in church, have no reception.

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

Treatment For Winter-Worn Hands

Many a woman's hopes for pretty hands were once her pride and joy discovers, to her dismay, that they have become pretty awful. In the peaceful, leisurely past they didn't have to wash dishes and do laundry work. Taking on household duties hasn't hurt her looks, but exercise has probably been good for her health and figure. But the housework has taken a toll of hand loveliness. The skin is dry, the nails are brittle, knuckles seem to be larger.

Beauty shops give hand and arm treatments that work miracles. But not many of us can spare time for these delightful services; it is all we can do to snatch an hour and a half for a shampoo, wave and manicure—attentions that are necessary if we are to endure our own society. So, today, we are outlining a manicure treatment that can be self-administered. Try it out some time. You'll be delighted with the results.

Begin with a rousing old scrubbing with warm soap suds and a brush. Rinsing in the finish will have a good soaking and the cuticle surrounding the fingernails will be softened. Rinse and dry; apply a heavy massage cream or toilet lanoline. A thin cream isn't suitable for massaging.

While the flesh is soft and yielding the cleaning of the orangewood stick under the cuticle surrounding the nails, freeing it from the nail fibre; by doing this frequently you will never suffer from hangnails which are more of a menace than many women realize since they invite infection.

Placing the thumb of the right hand on the left wrist, work in the emollient by moving the thumb in small circles. Sweep from wrist to tip of the fingers, making a separate movement of circles each time so that the back of the hand is fully treated. Unlike facial treatments, when all movements are upward, hand treatment consists of downward strokes. Massage the palms of the hands with rotary motions directed toward the center. Then massage the finger ends. Keep using more lanoline as the hands dry up.

Do not wash away the cream or lanoline. Give yourself the treatment at bed time, then slip on loose cotton gloves. In the morning you will notice a decided improvement in the texture and colorful of the skin.

Don't forget that protection is the chief factor in preserving good-looking hands. Avoid extremely hot and extremely cold water. Be fussy about the soap you use for housework dishes. If you must hang out the wash on wash days, wear cotton gloves. Cold winds on wet skin raises the chapping.

Use a hand lotion every day. No skipping. No stop-and-go business.

It's About Time



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Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Returning Soldier Can't Understand

Dear Miss Fairfax:

Since I went overseas I've been in England, Italy and North Africa, and have been wounded twice. I can't tell you how I've longed to come home to my wife and the little fellow aged two. But even on furlough we've had nothing but quarrelling. She found some girls' clothes in my pocket one day. They didn't really mean anything, but I couldn't explain. She just hit the ceiling and stayed home.

Everything seems to get on her nerves. She says bitter, sarcastic things to me, and I retaliate. That isn't another woman in the world for me, and never will be. How can this horrible misunderstanding, accusations, wrangling stop? A few kids would seem peaceful in comparison.

L. M. C.

The golden remedy to keep from quarreling is so simple that no one takes it. It's just—to stop. Imagine you're engaged instead of married. Imagine that the pursuit of this girl to whom you are devoted is still on, and that every time she speaks you may lose her. Besides, there is nothing to be gained by a quarrel as we've learned. Always gets the best of it.

Doesn't Like to Give Up Her Long Slim Figure

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I am 31 years old, 5 ft. 7 in. tall,



Mrs. Francis of Regina, Saskatchewan, exclaims: "When my girl, Marion Marie, was a tot of two and a half, she was seized with convulsions. I couldn't get a doctor quickly and had to act at once. I thought of mustard. I made up a hot bath with 3 tablespoonfuls of mustard and held the child in it, with the water coming well up over her chest. When I had put her in this bath three times the convulsions ceased."

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Friends Entertain Bride and Groom

Mrs. Kempson, West Bridge St., entertained about fifteen ladies on Thursday afternoon at her home in honor of Mrs. A. Everett, a recent bride. After a social time they were invited to another room where the table laden with beautiful gifts was arranged under pink streamers falling from three large silver bells. The bride united the girls reading the verses accompanying each and thanked the donors. All returned to the living room where a dainty lunch was served by the hostess and her two daughters, Mrs. Blaker and Mrs. Hall.

Thursday evening about twelve members of the Horseshoe Pitching Club of which Mr. Everett is a member, met at 266 Coleman St., for a social evening with the groom and his bride. After games and chatting along with other guests, they were all fed ice cream and cake provided by the club. Then F. E. Oartley speaking for the Club expounder an address to the bride and groom and William Leslie as Mr. and Mrs. Everett them with a beautiful tea service.



Where Big Three Conferences Have Been Meeting In Crimea



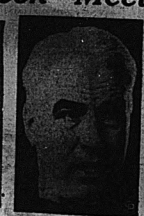
The location of Yalta, the Russian resort near which the "Big Three" conference was held in the past eight days, is seen near the southeast corner of the Crimea.



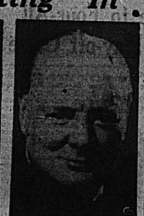
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The conference, it was believed, would lay the groundwork for the anticipated World Security League, confined to the United Nations.

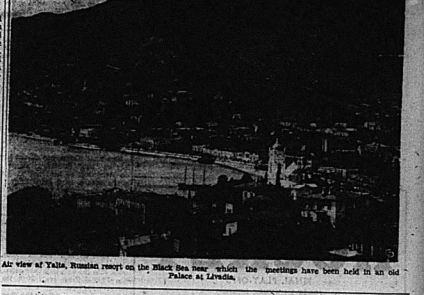
Put on Probation

This would place both neutral and enemy countries on probation until such time when they would be willing and able to assume active roles toward preserving world peace.

It seemed certain that the United States would oppose the admission of Argentina until the present policies and regimes of the South American country have been revised. Russia was expected to take a similar attitude toward Spain.

If future security policies actually were laid at Yalta, it was considered that Spain and Argentina might be the primary targets for probationary action among the neutrals, leaving the states of Turkey, Sweden, Portugal, Switzerland and Eire in doubt.

Such a decision, it was believed probable here, would result in giving a wide berth to those seven countries, plus Finland, Italy and Hitler's Balkan satellites, until they proved themselves worthy of a place in the family of nations.



Air view of Yalta, Russian resort on the Black Sea near which the meetings have been held in an old Palace at Livadia.

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Gloomy Life in Bombed Nazi Cities

(By Noel Panter, Writing From Zurich, in The London Daily Telegraph.)

Air bombardment and other hardships of war have made the people of Munich callous to defeat which is almost unbelievable. That is one conclusion come to by a Swiss woman traveller who has just returned from the Bavarian capital.

She recounts how she spent 12 hours interviewing churlish officials and sullen workmen in endeavor to buy a coffin in which to bury an acquaintance who had been killed at her side in Munich as the result of the explosion of a time bomb.

She describes how she sat on the pavement beside the body and how no one took any notice of her. This is a quite usual state of affairs, for "death may overtake one at any moment and everyone loves his own life too much to worry about the fate of others."

Eventually she managed to bribe a lorry driver to carry the body away in his open vehicle. In his lorry she went from place to place till a coffin could be bought.

Those with whom she had to deal left nothing undone to exploit the situation. "I had to argue and barter so much to obtain what I wanted that I felt like some unprincipled dealer. But at least my friend will not be buried in her own grave instead of a pit".

Describing her arrival in Munich at dusk one evening, the visitor states: "We stopped slowly on a one-track railway line into the wrecked main station. It is not necessary to search for the exit. One just follows the crowd till one is outside the tumble-down precincts. Many streets are cordoned off and there are trams only to the outer suburbs.

"An indescribable coat of red mud coats one's shoes. One walks laboriously as over a freshly ploughed field.

"Two days previously, I was told, Munich had its latest attack. It was cold and snow mingled with the rain. Suddenly I stood still and realized that I had reached the upper end of the Theatinerstrasse. There was nothing but heaps of ruins, dirt and people grimy and unkempt.

"Beautiful Michael's Church is a heap of debris in an open street. The towers of the Frauenkirche are still proudly outlined against the sky, but the church is battered to pieces". (The visitor does not mention that the Michaelkirche is less than a stone's throw from the Gestapo headquarters, while the Frauenkirche is close by.)

The whole surroundings of Marienplatz (the Town Hall square), are pulverized. Everywhere there is the same picture of destruction.

The journey to Munich was a series of emergency halts owing to air raids and detours which would not be mentioned in the time-table, if it were possible to buy such a thing.

Stuttgart, which this traveller had visited a short while before, she found almost unrecognizable. The station lower is still standing, but the mighty entrance building is destroyed. Between wooden fences at the northern extremity one gains the street. It is most time before midnight and the night is pitch-black. There is nobody to fetch me, for who in Germany today knows when and where a train will arrive?

"So quite alone I walk through the rain with only the fading light of my torch to guide me. There is one heap of ruins after another and it is eerie to be walking alone thus in the darkness of this dead city".

Here is her picture of the station waiting-room at Augsburg:

"We sit for hours in the familiar half-demolished third-class restaurant, which has been patched up with boards. There is no hot food available. We drink German ersatz tea, which tastes disgusting but at least warms one. Everywhere there are soldiers. They, too, drink this concoction and take a pill at a cigarette which is handed round from man to man".

After describing the hazards and delays of the return journey to Switzerland she mentions the last meal in Germany, which "consisted of a kind of thin sauce with boiled cabbage". Most inhabitants of the Reich today, she considers have become apathetic, and she suggests that even foreigners who have lived for a period in Germany cease to feel indignation at the manifold hardships. A kind of fatalism and nervous insensibility seems to take hold of people.

There is a different side to the picture. From another traveller just returned from Germany, we have received a reliable account of conditions prevailing in Hamburg. Details differ little from much that has already been published, but there is one incident I heard of which deserves to be placed on record.

After one severe bombing of Brunswick my informant emerged from the public shelter helping along as best he could a woman who seemed on the verge of a nervous breakdown. She spoke in disjointed tones and was, for present conditions, quietly dressed.

Suddenly a Gestapo official requested identity cards. The Swiss traveller was able to produce his but his companion pointed truthfully to the fact that she had no bag with her and thought she must have lost it in the general rush to take cover.

She explained that she felt very ill and could not even recall her own name or where she lived. She was thereupon taken prisoner and dragged into a courtyard nearby.

When she again truthfully asserted that she had lost her memory she was beaten on the temples. When she recovered the same procedure was repeated. This continued intermittently till, 14 days later, after suffering from agony of mind and body, she died.

BRITAIN WELCOMES

(Continued From Page One)

No Immediate Reaction

There was no immediate reaction from the Polish group to the Charter's decisions nor was there from the Royal Yugoslav government to the British-American-Soviet decree which left young King Peter in an awkward spot.

It was assumed here that, just as at the Teheran conference, the Yalta meetings had arrived at many more decisions than those disclosed in the charter.

It was believed the major power decisions on policing of the peace would not be published until after Germany's defeat.

Hon. N. McLarty, Federal Sec'y Of State, to Retire

Windsor, Feb. 13 — (CP)—Hon. Norman McLarty, Federal Secretary of State who has just returned from a trip to England, announced today that he will not stand for re-election to the House of Commons at the next Federal election.

Mr. McLarty, who will be 56 years of age next Sunday said in a statement that he was retiring because of ill-health. "It is with utmost regret that I advise you that I will be unable to be your candidate in the forthcoming election," said the statement to his supporters in Essex west, which first elected him to parliament as Liberal member in 1935. He was re-elected in 1940.

Mr. McLarty explained he had recently undergone a medical checkup, and found that rest and continued medical care was imperative for a time.

To Hold Nomination

The Essex West Liberal Association will hold a nominating convention March 2 to choose a new candidate.

A native of St. Thomas, Mr. McLarty was educated at the University of Toronto and Osgoode Hall. In 1932, four years after his election to parliament, he became Postmaster-General in Prime Minister Mackenzie King's cabinet and later the same year became Minister of Labor. He became Secretary of State in 1942.

In the last general election he was re-elected with 14,133 votes to 13,940 for Reginald Pregerson, Conservative, and 2,036 for F. J. Joyce, C.C.F.

It was learned that Mr. McLarty intends to retain his cabinet post until the Dominion general election expected this year. It is considered possible he may be appointed to the Senate in a possible re-election cabinet shift. He and Mrs. McLarty will continue to make their home in Ottawa.

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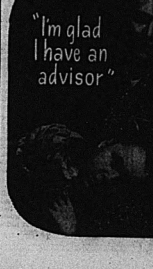


Members of Field Marshal Sir Bernard Montgomery's Canadian and British troops bring in the first German prisoners caught in the new British offensive southwest of Nijmegen, Holland.

CANADIAN-BRITISH DRIVE TOWARDS THE RHINE



Infantry troops of the Canadian First Army advance behind tanks in their drive towards the Rhine in the new offensive of Marshal Montgomery south and east of Nijmegen, Holland.



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Goalies Star as 'Bombers', 'Flyers' Battle to Four-All Draw in First Play-off Game

Fastest Game of Season Sees Game Tied Up Twice as Flyers Rally; Late-to-Gain Draw; Second Game Wednesday

Playing all-out hockey for 60 minutes, the Trenton "Flyers" and Mountain View "Bombers" battled to a four-all draw in the first game of the Quinte R.C.A.F. service league finals before 2,000 fans at the Hume Arena Monday night. There was no overtime permitted and the same two clubs continue the best-in-three series for the league title on Wednesday night.

Trenton dominated the territorial play and led at the end of the initial frame by a 2-1 count. Matters completely reversed in the middle session with Fit. Jimmie McCaskill's Bombers carrying the play in two-to-two and lead 3-2 at the end of the second. It looked like the Bombers all the way when they made it 4-3 early in the last period, but a Flyers goal and Raymond's opportune counter evened the count again as the Flyers finished stronger.

Goalies Stand Out

Off the night's play the two goalenders, Williams for the Bombers, and Rainsford for the Flyers, stood out as the stars in an all-out offensive game, that saw continued sustained speed and fast passing that made the fastest game of the year. Rasmiusky, Reichardt and Raymond scored for Trenton, with Pilgeon getting credit for the fourth Flyer goal, when Brock accidentally shot the puck into his own Bomber net goal, while attempting to clear on a gangup play. Cowley, Brock, McMullen and Boudreau flashed the net-laurels for the Bombers.

With Swanson, their ace defenceman, unable to play owing to injuries, the Bombers saw two of the fastest goals scored against them that have been registered this year when Rasminsky Rasminsky tallied on a solo rush past Jack Robertson, but the latter saved Cowley scored a knee puck past Robertson after Wilson and Fuger had carried out of the corner. Lou Boudreau looked his best when he relieved Robertson mood him in front of the Flyers' nets. Both goalies were sensational this night, as also was the entire game with continual saves, that bordered on the sensational.

Tide of Battle Turns

"In the second period the tide of battle turned in favor of the Bombers, whose combination plays began to show results, with Brock sinking home a shot after 1:45 of the session, following a face-off inside Trenton's blue line. Following a sensational face-off Cowley passed to McMullen and the Bombers moved ahead for the first time. Second after, the Flyers' chief play-maker and ace scorer, was twice beaten by Wilson.

goal-tending in the Bombers' nets in this stanza.

The final stanza saw all-out hockey as "God" Boudreau swept in on Robertson to beat the Trenton goalie with a hard drive after intercepting the rubber from Duquette on a face-off. Trailing 4-3 the Flyers moved fire to the attack, and literally carried the play from that point in, but it was William's night. Time and again the Flyers and victory, although they did beat him for two, Raymond passed to Pigeon, who shot on net, but in clearing Brock accidentally whipped the puck into his own net, that counted the Flyers' tying goal. Paul Rasmond tipped Marshall's long shot into the Bombers' net for the Flyers' fourth and tying goal. The game ended in a fight between Sam Rasminsky and Dan Cowley.

The line-ups — Mountain View: goal, Williams; defence, Brock and Dinnie; centre, Cowley; wings, Wilson and McMullen; subs, Duquette, Aube, Boudreau, Fuger, Beresford, Goring and Mantin.

Trenton "Flyers" — goal, Robertson; defence, Currie and Reinhardt; centre, Raymond; wings, Rasminsky and Gingras; subs, Serpaw, Pigeon, Perras, Marshall, Ray, Thompson and Dutcher.

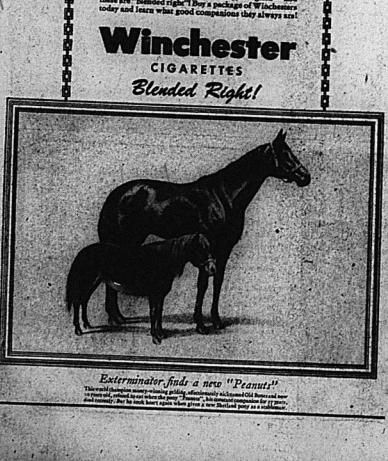
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SUMMARY

1st Period—
1. Trenton—
1. Rasminsky (Raymond) .5
2. Trenton—Reinhardt: 1.01
2. Bombers—
Cowley (Fuger, Wilson) 14.19
Penalty: Wilson.
2nd Period—
4. Bombers—
Brock (Cowley, Wilson) 2.23
5. Bombers—
McMullen (Cowley) 14.08
Penalties: none.
3rd Period—
6. Bombers—
Boudreau (Duquette) .41
7. Trenton—
Pigeon (Raymond) 3.00
8. Trenton—
Raymond (Marshall) 13.44
Penalties: Cowley and Rasminsky.

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NEW YANK BOSS — By Jack Sords



CHICAGO BLACK HAWKS BACK IN N.H.L. CONTENTION

Revamped Hawks Tangle With Boston Hoping for Fourth Place

(By The Canadian Press)

The fourth of Chicago Black Hawks in the place of contention in the standings has all the National Hockey League worried.

Several weeks ago, Hawks had been in the cellar, but they've since left the cellar of the league to the rest of the second and N.H.L. representatives of Boston Bruins, Detroit Red Wings, New York Rangers and Montreal Canadiens for the fourth playoff slot in the league.

Meanwhile, Chicago, Toronto Maple Leafs on their heels from a recent slump, everything suddenly changed. The Hawks were back and threatening the positions of both Detroit and Boston.

When the revamped Hawks tangle tonight with Bruins at Boston they'll be aiming at a fifth article slot. Should they hope will start them in fourth place and perhaps come play-off time.

Two factors combined to spark the determination of the club management to improve the team and the loyalty of the Chicago hockey fans.

Tommy Gorman, engineered a trade with Montreal Canadiens which gave them Dunc Groom, Cully Simon and Bob Maitland in exchange for Earl Siebert and Pete Peppar. Groom contributed a goal and an assist in their 4-3 victory over Toronto. McDonald scored one goal.

When Hawks were at their lowest ebb, Manager Paul Thompson, the fans turned out in only moderate numbers, but in the first 14 home games 192,664 paid customers attended.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

If this year's Kentucky Derby is cancelled under the U.S. war ban it would be the only break in the continuity of the classic since the first running in 1875. In any event, turf writers are already talking about the prospective starter with John Marshall's Pyrr for All, winner of all five races last season, as a popular choice. Support is also being given Wesley Ward's Yankee O'Lock which captured the Pimlico Futurity and Chesapeake Stakes. William Zingle's Esteem, winner of the Wakefield stakes, may also go to the post—if there is a race.

Rain prevented the staging of the final round of the New Orleans $6,000 open golf tournament Sunday and yesterday the postponed competition failed to reach a decision when Harold (Jug) McSpaden and Byron Nelson ended up with a tie for first place with 284 totals. The leaders are playing one 18-hole round this afternoon to break the deadlock.

Paul Courtenay of Providence Reds continued to lead the scoring race in the American Hockey League with a 7-point total, according to figures released last night. Courtenay's nearest rivals are off at New Haven. Bob Gracie of Philadelphia Ramblers was close second, however, with 66 points while he owned a three-point lead over third in the standing with 63.

In his first bout since he was given a two-months suspension by the Ontario Athletic Board of Control, Danny Webb, Montreal featherweight, earned the decision in a 10-round battle with Johnny Davies of Wales at Nottingham, England, last night.

EXTRA SESSIONS

Douglas, Isle of Man (CP) —Isle of Man residents get extra margarine, cheese and meat through a Christmas relaxation of rationing.

Many Features For Ice Show By Skating Club

Colorful costumes, rhythmic and graceful routines of fancy and figure skating will be a few of the features at the Quinte Skating Club's annual Ice Fantasy at the Hume Arena Friday night. An ice pageantry never before attempted in this city will open the show with colorful costumes and a galaxy of skaters.

This year's pageant presented by the Quinte Skating Club is the story of Peter Pan and the Mythical Journey to the Never, Never Land. Throughout the pageant fierce pirates threaten the happy children. However, Peter Pan comes to their aid and the picturesque pageant comes to a glorious end with a tropical paradise background scene. The pageant is undoubtedly the most unique ever attempted by the Quinte Skating Club and will have a full 40-piece orchestra, directed by George Mayhee, in the background to provide the music.

In the fancy and figure skating part of the program, however, the show will be featured by Vi Smith of the Toronto Skating Club, Miss Roberta Wilcox, of Winnipeg and champion of Manitoba, by Anne Nothing of Mimico Board of Control, Danny Webb, Montreal featherweight, earned the decision in a 10-round battle with Johnny Davies of Wales at Nottingham, England, last night.

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Watson's Rink Well on Way To Win Aggregate

Winnipeg, Feb. 13—(CP)—Ken Watson's Winnipeg Strathcona curling club rink was well on the way to winning its fourth consecutive grand aggregate title of the Manitoba Curling Association, posting victory No. 11 last night in British Consols play to remain the only undefeated quartet in the 97th annual bonspiel.

Watson, who skipped his Strathcona rink to the Dominion championship in 1936 and '42 and won the British Consols Provincial crown in '43, advanced in Consols play with a 25-8 win over Jack Donnelly of Brandon, Man., Watson's Strathcona rink tinked out Donnelly's counter and left the Winnipeg rink tying four.

Gordon Hudson, also a former Dominion champion from the Strathcona Club, defeated his first foe, 7-5, to Jack Caldwell of Hamiida, Man.

Watson leads the aggregate with 11 wins and is still in the three prairie events while Hudson and Billy McLeod, of Winnipeg, each with nine victories, remain in two major competitions. Caldwell has eight wins and one defeat.

Portsmouth, England, (CP)—Education Minister R. A. Butler said Britain's technical colleges have produced 300,000 men and women trained for the services and industry during the past five years.





CASUAL COMMENT
by K.J.C.

The magistrate was deaf, but certainly not dumb when he looked before him. The first man leaned forward.

"Sir", he exclaimed, "this man owes me a grocery bill amounting to twenty dollars and refuses to pay it!"

The second deaf man sprang up. "That's a lie" he cried indignantly. "My dog didn't bite him."

There was a pause while the magistrate received this situation, then he announced this decision. "Gentlemen," he said, "I fully appreciate your feelings, but I can see no reason why you should not combine to support your mother."

All-Out Hockey.

The largest gallery of puck fans to grace the Hume Arena in many a year saw the Bombers and Flyers battle to a four-all draw in the R.C.A.F. finals last night. League officials announced that only in a third and final game would overtime be played and then the game must be played "to a finish."

When the Flyers grabbed off two goals in the first minute of play it looked like curtains for the Bombers, but thanks to the good work of Williams, in the Bomber nets, the latter were able to battle back and early in the second period it looked like the Bombers in a walk. Robertson, in the Flyers' cage, turned in some high and mighty net-plaving as Paul Raymond and company went to work to even up the score. It was a thrilling game with Trenton outskating in the first and third frames, while the Mountain View in the middle stanza. The features of the game where he worked as a turnover of the goalies, although the fans are satisfied speed and the fastest game in years. The pace was so hot the players were sobbing on the fly and happy to get a rest. Trenton did a lot of fore-checking, but Brewer's Kid Mantin passing plays began to function the champs got back that. It was a case of stop Raymond and you can stop Trenton, however they didn't halt Paul in the third but claim they'll stop him Wednesday night when the rink should be filled for the second game!

Trenton Wins.

As goes Barney Leaperance, so goes Trenton, is an old saying and apparently a true one. At least Leaperance was very much to the fore when Trenton shellacked the Stirling Combines' 9 to 1 in their first "Little Big Show" Junior O.H.A. semi-final at Trenton last night. Barney was the principal marksman for the homesters, followed in line by Jack Scott. It was a bitter pill for the "combines", who were expecting to win for Doug Patterson who is now in the R.C.A.F. navy. The return game will be played tomorrow night. Incidentally Toots Holway's Belleville kids invade the Norwood rink for their second game with Hastings, one they should win, although the looks don't wans to sell 'em. Anyhow, mates, too cheaply after their 10 to 1 victory here.

Over at Trenton last night Don Lee of Belleville and Dutch Cain of Mountain View were the officials of the night. It seems the heads of the two teams couldn't agree on home and home referees which seems rather biased after a full season's play.

Oldies' Consumption.

Thanks to Harry Moore, former Trenton publisher, the following article, taking from an Indianapolis harness horse publication, relates interesting information regarding a former Belleville man. According to the article Jack Sproule, retired harness horse driver of Belleville, died at his Hutchinson, Kansas, home last week.

Continuing he adds: "Born on Nov. 10, 1856 at Belleville, Ont., he was eighty-five years old at the time of his death. Mr. Sproule left home at an early age going to Pennsylvania and thence to Denver where he worked as a turnover. He later moved to Pueblo where he owned a livery stable but after it was destroyed by fire he moved to Kansas where he began training and driving trotters.

Among his best horses were Brewer's Kid, Hank Hoss, Edna M. Dan D, and Hans M. He trained and drove Hank Hoss, Ottawa and Hutchinson, Kans., and at Pueblo and Rocky Ford in Colorado, also at Princeton, Ill., for a time. Considered a very good race driver, he was also successful as a trainer of both colts and aged horses."

He was severely injured in an accident about twenty years ago and since then had been in the hotel business. Mr. Sproule led a very colorful life in what was then the "Wild and Woolly West" and numbered such prominent men as Buffalo Bill, Calamity Jane, Bat Masterson and numerous others who helped make his section famous. His nickname, "Gentleman Jack" came from his never having used tobacco or alcohol. He is survived by his wife, two daughters and four sons, two of the sons being in the armed forces."

Remember When.

The comeback campaign of Max Schmeling, dethroned world's heavyweight boxing champion, suffered a severe setback eleven years ago tonight when Steve Hamas blasted out a 12-round decision over the German. Schmeling's campaign was launched with success in June, 1936, when he knocked out Joe Louis, but the Brown Bomber answered back with a one-round knockout in a return fight in the summer of 1938. Schmeling is like a lot of other Germans, wondering what this war is all about.

In Passing.

Local sport lovers regretted the passing of Cecil "Cece" Farnham over the weekend. Always a lover of sport Farnham was directly interested with the Belleville Intermediate O.H.A. champions back in 1937. He also took an interest in baseball at Cannifton in the old county league days. His love was horse racing and hockey. He will be missed by the legion of friends he created throughout Ontario during his life.

ELDORADO EARNS TIE WITH MADOC

A very interesting game took place on Friday night last which was the replay of the protested game of Jan. 31 when Madoc was blown off the ice by Eldorado by a score of 9-4 for Eldorado.

This game was attended by fans as the arena was filled to capacity showing that hockey is once more coming back to life.

The game was a clean and fast game with only a few minor penalties which could not be avoided.

The star player of the evening were Bud Fischer for Madoc and Gerald and Charles Thompson and Fred Stewart for Eldorado.

Eldorado had the lead by a score of 8-3 until the last few seconds when Fischer got a break away and tied the score.

Madoc now stands first followed by Eldorado, and Coover, and Marmora tied for third place.



ROOM FOR RENT?
The problem of not enough homes is still acute. Any unoccupied space in your house is urgently needed. The Housing Registry will welcome your offer of accommodation. And you can make a few extra dollars by turning over that spare room to some homeless wanderer.
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London Canada

Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 66
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

In bridge we find the jumpy kind that puts us in a jam. With all its ills, it has its thrilling kicks like that stake a slam.

Complete the bidding in this pair of partnership hands:

SOUTH	NORTH
♠Q 9	♠ .....
♥9 8	♥ .....
♦K J 7 10 9 8 6 5 4	♦ .....
♣Q 8	♣ .....

NORTH	
♠A 10 3	
♥A K 10 6 4	
♦9 6 3	
♣A 4 3	

The bidding has gone this far:

SOUTH	NORTH
1 D	1 H
3 D	3 H
4 D	

The second round jump by south is a promise of eight tricks in that hand. Since then, north has known there is a slam of some kind in their pair.

After south bids diamonds three times, north knows their final trump should be in that suit. So, it is now only a matter of deciding whether it is a small slam or a grand slam in diamonds.

With seven, north counted and the trump suit agreed, the slam may depend on enough aces and kings in the hand. So north starts a test of how many aces and kings he has. In reply thereto, south comes back with a convention signal known as:

Using the Kibitzer's convention, a reply of five clubs shows no aces; five diamonds, one ace and no kings; five hearts, an ace and one king; five spades, an ace and two kings; and so on.

South will respond with five hearts; the signal for showing one ace and one king. Knowing now that opponent has two kings, it would not be surprising if North finds at least a small slam in diamonds.

Of course, it is possible that he can make a grand slam if he finds opponent's third ace, so I'll show you what happened.

IN NAVY SHOW



Canadian sailors lend a helping hand to Wren Rhea Smilley, Montreal, as she climbs from the quarterdeck into a star pin play form. From left to right are Wren Smilley, Stan Jip Riester, Nelson, B.C., Cpl. Marshall Jarvie, Lethbridge, Alta., Wren Barbara Hamilton, Montreal, Members of the "Meet the Navy" show, the Wrens took advantage of their trip to Londonderry to visit H.M.C.S. Foundmaker.

RICHARD FIRST PLAYER SINCE '30 TO GET 43 GOALS

Elmer Lach His Forward Partner Fast Reaching Assist Record

Montreal Feb. 13 — (CP) — The National Hockey League made it official today in its weekly scoring statistics that Maurice (Rocket) Richard is the first player since 1930 to score 43 goals in a season and that his linemate Elmer (Lach) is fast approaching the assist record.

The official statistics put Richard atop the scoring race with a total of 84 points on 43 goals and 31 assists. Lach was right behind with 83 points on 31 goals and 52 assists—just five short of the record 88 piled up by Charley (Chuck) Smith a year ago.

Lach has eleven more games in which to set a new assist record, and Richard has 11 in which to pass the 43-goal mark set by Cooney Weiland in 1930 and the all-time 44-goal of Joe Malone in 1918.

Rounding out Canadiens' big line, Toe Blake moved into third place in the point race during the week, his present 54 total putting him up on Bill Cowley of Boston. There's a nine-point play-over Cowley, with Detroit's Sid Howe in fifth place with 45 points, four ahead of Toronto's Ted Kennedy.

Howe needs another five points to equal the all-time N.H.L. point record of 514 set by Nels Stewart in 13 years of play. Detroit forward has 13 games left before he completes his 12th season.



AT THE McCARTHY—Fred Brady finds it easy to smile at life—and why not—when he appears to be the organizer of such lovely damsels as Jeff Donnell and Ann Savage? The scene is from "Dancing in Manhattan," next at the McCarthy, along with the comedy hit, "King Arthur Was a Gentleman."



AT THE BELLE — Belle Davis in Warner Bros. "Mr. Skeffington," considered by critics the greatest picture she has ever brought to the screen. Claude Rains and Richard Waring are featured. The next presentation at the Belle Theatre.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By BYD THOMAS
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 13 — (CP) — There is no known way of calculating, with or without Euclid, the amount of face that was saved by changing the rules for the all-star benefit hockey match being played in Toronto next week. Originally, plans were to have a team of former NHL stars oppose a team of amateurs, no holds barred, and may the best man win, but the old-timers never really looked on that with no great enthusiasm.

They can hardly be blamed for that, either, since it's been many years since most of them were idols of the hockey world, and faster time has since dimmed things to creaking joints and muscles. Put them against a bunch of fellows skelter youngsters who are all over the ice at once, and the result might not be too encouraging from the standpoint of maintaining past glories in full flower.

Anyway, the present plans will operate much more successfully. The teams will be split up, and the old-timers on each squad will play only against their counterparts on the other side. That gives the fans a chance to see some of the old boys in action, without risking any embarrassing moments for the veterans.

Presidential Qualifications:

In case anyone is wondering just why LL-Gen. Montague Price has been suggested as a candidate for the N.H.L. presidency after the war, it might be said he has quite a few of the necessary qualifications as a possible hockey Landis. An outdoors lover and all-round athlete in his younger days, Gen. Montague was a keen and rugged polo player right up to the start of the war. As Jim (Tommy Gloer said) said in his man report: "He is the kind of man who would crack down when the N.H.L. needed it, and crack down out of hand."

Right on the Manitoba Court of King's Bench before the war, no crooked lawyer could get away with

DEBERT BEARCATS ENTER A-P-C. PLAYOFF TILT

Many Former N.H.L. Stars Now Playing Hockey in Maritimes Loop

Halifax, Feb. 13 — (CP)—Debert Bearcats qualified for the play-offs of the Antigonish-Pictou-Colchester Hockey League last night with an 11-4 victory over Debert R.C.A.F. and will be lined up in a post-season series with New Glasgow Rovers, Pictou Thistles and St. Francis Xavier University.

It had been more or less considered that New Glasgow and Pictou would clash one-two for first place but St. Francis Xavier's bid for a berth in the title play was a recent addition to the league picture. The Debert soldiers moved into the playoff picture when they defeated the airmen in the last scheduled game for the R.C.A.F. team.

In the opposite end of the province, Greenwood Flyers are in the lead in the Annapolis Valley interservice league with their latest victory being over Acadia University O.T.C.

Right in the middle of these two circuits comes the Halifax City senior hockey league with the standings announced from R.M.C.S. Cornwallis knocking over all opposition. The sailors downed Halifax Navy, the second-place club, 6-2, three nights ago to add to their list of wins in which R.C.A.F. brings up the rear.

Gaye Stewart, former Toronto Maple Leaf, is topping the scorers in the Halifax loop.

The name of Jack Kelly, one-time star with Detroit Red Wings, has appeared in the hockey summaries again. Pete is not a permanent fixture with any Maritime club, but he likes to get into a game now and then to keep his shooting eye keen.

Latest news from the intermediate hockey world is that the Berwick Bruins, last year's Maritime intermediate champs, will defend their title this season. It is likely Windsor, Maple Leafs, and the Halifax Industrial league champions — as for the champions — will be entered in this title race.

The town that produced last year's Maritime junior hockey champions, Amherst, N.S., seems to be concentrating on senior puck-chasing this season. Many players of last year's championship aggregation, such as Bob Dunsmuir, Ken Ferguson and others twelve in a perfect game in which she bowled 460.

Recreation Alleys

Ladies League
($ games)

Optical 3 pts. — Jenkinson: 265; Clapp 244; Langevin 231; Cook 383; R. Langevin 213. Total 1427.

Bank of Montreal 0 pts. — Ford 266; Moore 344; Johnson 277; Oster 186; Redns 277. Total 1231.

Universal 1 pt. — Keegan 265; F. Newman 344; Sinclair 272; Cornell 213; Doc 200. Total 1294.

C.D.S. 2 pts. — Russell 309; Foote 271; Reid 264; Henderson 266; F. Ohmen 218. Total 1353.

Nightshawks 2 pts. — Airtart 263; Wannamaker 238; Boyle 231; Rewson 278; Doc 208. Total 1419.

Hit and Miss — Bowers 217; F. Harvey 310; E. Harvey 260; Desmelon 238; Harris 213. Total 1238.

Elms Streaks 1 pt. — Hopkins 239; J. Huffman 307; A. Mills 236; H. Huffman 214; E. Mills 227. Total 1223.

Chatelets 2 pts. — Watts 241; G. Morris 268; M. Sullivan 287; D. Sullivan 271; Somerville 314. Total 1381.

York 2 pts. — Coulter 246; Lavers 262; Bain 260; Simpson 271; Shelton 305. Total 1323.

Amateurs 1 pt. — Farmer 221; J. Dawson 227; Farrar 217; MacDonald 226; Clapp 238. Total 1219.

Doodlers 2 pts. — Hopkins 222; B. Fry 207; Miller 186; Frost 234; Stanford 228. Total 1277.

Bombers 2 pts. — Carter 205; K. Moore 294; Gardiner 274; Jones 245; Redns 180; Thompson 207. Total 1446.

Major B

Callaghan Jos 2 pts. — C. Cornell 461; J. Callaghan 396; M. Callaghan 380; D. Cornell 467; M. A. Callaghan 400. Total 2833.

Black Birds 2 pts. — Hunter 420; Cornell 417; Dixon 420; Ward 564; Delesse 580. Total 2566.

K. of C. 1 pt. — Sawyers 360; Dorsey 419; Young 441; Horrigan 438; Schroeder 360; Boyle 414. Total 2272.

Goodrich Oil 2 pts. — Ellis 456; Rivers 497; Adams 417; Tinsmith 463; Hatfield 537; Hopkins 711. Total 3200.

Optical 1 pt. — Weaver 584; D. Raymond 441; Valley 404; Towns 391; Cooney 567. Total 2087.

ITOS 2 pts. — Silver 347; Graves 432; Carthy 377; Ede 486; Hinsley 457; Shane 486. Total 2907.

C.B.A. ACCEPTS RECORD

Hamilton, Feb. 13 (CP)—The Canadian Bowling Association will accept the five-pin bowling record of consecutive strikes rolled by Miss Mona Somerville of Hamilton in view of the fact it was made in league competition. With a foul line judge and official scorer in charge, she rolled four strikes to clean out her string and others then

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)
NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE
Unchanged.
Tonight: Chicago at Boston.

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE
Unchanged.
Tonight: Cleveland at St. Louis.
Only game.

Glencoe 9, Forest 1. (Glencoe wins total goals 14-2).

Watford 3, Alvinston 2 (Watford wins semi-final series).

Stanley Barracks 7, Aldershot 3.

O.H.A. Intermediate
Central Section, Section 4, Stratford 4.

Antigonish-Pictou-Colchester League

Debert Army Bearcats 11, Debert R.C.A.F. 4.

Thunder Bay Jr.
Port Arthur Flyers 9, Port Arthur West Ends 7.

Intermediate "B"
Athletic Club 5, Duluth-Side 4.
Southern Sask. Jr. Semi-Finals
Regina Commandos 6, Gra Dene Hounds 5 (overtime).
(Commandos lead best-of-five series 2-1).

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(Associated Press Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 13 — (AP)—Since the race tracks closed down, jockey Herb Clagett has been driving a laundry truck around Miami . . . If he takes as long to get back as most laundrymen do these days he'd better not try riding again . . . Frank Filchock, who outdid Sammy Baugh as the Washington Redskins' passer last fall, is planning an operation on his nose in hope of getting back into the ring . . . Frankie Seno has been busted nine times . . . Humberto Loayza, Mexican lightweight is the inventor of a new, extra-fast type of boxing bag, pear-shaped something like a Man West's life belt.

Manpower Shortage:

Pat Keith, sports editor of the Brainerd, Minn., Daily Dispatch won the lightweight title in his district Golden Gloves tournament and qualified for this week's northwest meet in Minneapolis . . . He knocked out Pete Kocka of Brainerd in o:o:o:

"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 12

The persistent ringing of the telephone awakened Terry.

"Hello, you," said Terry Davidson? "Yes, it is, of course, it's Alice! I must see you at once"—Terry's voice was urgent.

"I'll tell you when I see you."

"Can't I be alone?" She had no inception of being herself with a telephone with Terry Lord.

"I'll be with you in a minute," said Terry. The click in her ear frightened.

"I won't be him in the decided. She thought of calling Bruce, but it was not yet 11 o'clock, and he was probably with the Countess, he had talked of dinner at her house.

Thirty minutes later the doorbell rang, startling her from the half doze into which she had fallen. "Nice place you have", said Terry and lit a cigarette and slumped into a chair. He smoked in silence, made several attempts to start a conversation, then lapsed into silence again.

"It's getting late, Terry", Livia reminded him gently. "And I have to be early at the studio tomorrow. What did you want to see me about?" Terry blushed and lit a cigarette.

"Whatever happens", he said slowly, "I don't want you to blame me. It's not nothing to do with me. I'm acting as a sort of agent between the parties."

"Come to the point", Livia's voice was shaper.

"Your father—" said Terry slow—and looked swiftly at Livia to see the effect of his words. Her face was blank.

"My father died before I was born", she said.

He grinned. "We both know better."

"All right—what about my father?" she demanded.

"He's in trouble."

That's nothing new with Carl Dixon. But why do you care?"

"I don't", said Terry bluntly. "Then—"

"Then open outside the studio—your father owes them a lot of money."

"But I still don't understand where you come in?"

"Me—once did me a favor", said Terry. "And they know I'm in the position that I can help Carl Dixon owns them a lot of money."

"How much?"

"To be exact—three thousand dollars".

"What happens if he doesn't pay?"

Terry shivered. "It's not nice. One day last week Sheppard and someone binds you in a quiet doorway with a gun through your head. It's better to pay."

"But he can't", said Livia. She tried to keep the horror out of her voice. Terry was familiar with bad people, and they must not know they scared him.

"We know that", said Terry. He came closer to her. "But you can—you all at once—say she's dead."

Livia detested Dixon more at this minute than ever before. Suppose they killed him? But why should she care?

"I won't do it", she said flatly. "Good night."

She stood up and indicated the door. A memory of Vera's description of Bert Dixon with the band and wanting them to play "Erotica" brought a great man made her relent.

"I'll help", she said, "But I want to see him."

"Better not", advised Terry. "He's in bad shape. Beside he'll start in now with the boys—they have to be sure he pays."

Livia wrote out a check. This left her with exactly $15 in the bank. She had given $25 to Vera the afternoon. One hundred and fifty dollars a week wasn't much money.

"I'd rather people didn't know that now that Carl Dixon is my father", she said Terry at the door. She strove to keep her voice casual. "You're absolutely safe", he assured her. "Good-night, see you in the morning." And he was gone.

Every Wednesday Livia sent $50 to the address Terry had given her. Terry did not mention the subject again. He avoided her and between scenes shut himself in his dressing room. Livia resolutely thrust the matter into the background of her consciousness.

Summer was never more than a line or two for her to speak at a time. And Fordyce was patient, rehearsing over and over again before putting him in front of the camera. For the difficult emotional scenes he repeated the trick of pretending it was a rehearsal. The actual "take" was discarded, but Livia did not know this.

She looked soft and young in her nurse's uniform and her cap set jauntily back on her red-gold hair.

"You're a new type of meanie", Fordyce decided her one day. "You look innocent—that's why I picked you for the part."

"Do you really think I'll be a star, really and honestly?" How attractive she was, her lovely eyes shining as though he owned the world and could break it up and give her pieces at will.

"This picture is only a beginning. I won't fool you. We'll probably cut most of your part—Alice will see to that anyway. But keep working; don't get a swelled head and if you're lucky, you might be a star one day. I don't see why sister, you'll never be swell-headed used to be conceited—I thought everything had to happen my way. But I've been through a lot."

He didn't believe her. There was an unsounded look about her face and except for a flicker of alarm in her grey-blue eyes, she seemed an irresponsive girl just out of high school.

Sometimes producing a picture was easy. But this was not one of those times. The picture came the hard way—like all films in which Alice Delaware starred. She had The director the first three weeks and the picture had to be suspended for ten days. Terry Davidson had a nervous breakdown. One day he stopped in the middle of a line and burst into tears. Shooting was called off while Fordyce talked to him in his dressing-room.

"It's my creditors. I owe everyone in town", he went to the director. "They're closing in on me. Can't lend him some money and sent him away.

But finally the last took of film was safely on the cans, and Fordyce collapsed, but with relief. He was three days in the California Hospital. He came to tackle the job of cutting and editing.

Eventually, Alice's deadly leg health required a month in Arizona. Charles trimmed his film without interference.

And now it was the night of the press preview. Livia expected to go with Charles Fordyce. But at the last moment Alice returned from Phoenix.

"She's giving a dinner party, and I have to go with her to the preview", explained Charles.

"I'm too nervous to go anyway", she said.

Livia passed the evening driving aimlessly along the coast. She did not return home until midnight. The telephone was ringing as she opened the door, and as almost fell over in her eagerness to answer it. It was Charles Fordyce, and he was jubilant.

"The picture went over swell", he told her, "I've been calling you since eleven. You made a hit, baby. After your scene with Terry, they applauded like mad. And is Alice mad! Don't go to the studio in the coming over. This calls for a real celebration."

Alice Is Aroused.

Livia and Fordyce went to Ciro's. Two girls at the entrance of the restaurant demanded Livia's autograph.

"You were wonderful", one of them said shyly after Livia had signed her name.

"Thanks", she said. He was as pleased with her success as he was with his own. Tonight, he knew, he could make the best pictures in town. Livia hesitated on the threshold. "Is Alice in there?" she queried.

"Why, if she is?" said Fordyce. He knew she was not.

After the preview in the lobby of the theatre, there had been the usual gush and the people who crooked. "You were wonderful, Alice". But she was so angry she could barely control herself. In a fierce undertone she had threatened Hal Schneider with divorce. If only she would! Livia had thought; then he really could marry Alice. Husband and wife had gone home to continue the battle. Poor Hal! Poor husband!

"I wouldn't be surprised if Alice married Schneider tonight", Fordyce said to Livia. She giggled and said,

"Perhaps Schneider will take the initiative."

"No, he", said Fordyce. "He's too scared. He's still in love with her." Weren't you at one time?" Livia teased him.

"Let's dance!"

Ciro's was full of people who had attended the preview; they looked with interest at Livia and Fordyce. Livia rested her red-gold head on Charles' shoulder and smiled sleepily at the dancers shuffling on the crowded floor, her eyes drifting to the green and silver walls. She saw Bruce with the Countess Saskia. He seemed unhappy. Things were going badly with the Saskia Nolan picture partnership.

When Bruce had agreed to produce "Western Love", the Countess had promised to furnish the money for the rest to the extent of $250,000. He had believed her. Bruce hired technicians he had worked with in his stunting days. He was popular with electricians, prop men, and carpenters. They would depend on fair treatment and good pay.

The Countess gave him $50,000 the day he signed the contract. They drove to the bank together to get the money.

The picture was ready to shoot in three weeks. According to their agreement the Countess was to furnish another $100,000.

"But I've given you $50,000", pointed the Countess. Bruce patiently explained that $50,000 had been spent and reminded her of their agreement.

"What do I care about contracts?" said the Countess. "All I know is that my money is gone and that the picture hasn't started yet." Bruce brought all the people who had been their weekly salaries from him and refrained from quitting.

"You must trust me, Saskia", he said, taking her hands between his own. "Be patient and trust me".

She compared him to him.

"You've neglected me shamefully", she whispered.

"In these weeks it's business, business, every evening. That's not fair to me". He might have guessed what would happen and saved himself trouble by not working for a woman in the first place. You had to make love to them twenty-four hours a day or they said you were neglecting them.

"If you love me don't you?" said Countess Saskia. He tried to recall the exact words with which he had said he loved her. And for the life of him couldn't remember,

"Let's forget business this evening—We'll have dinner together", he suggested. Her face brightened.

"Oh, I'm so glad my own Bruce. I'm sorry I was meant to you. I'll bring you a check for the money tomorrow". Bruce stifled his sigh of relief. One hurdle down, on to the next. Would he and he could convince the Countess the arrangement was purely one of business.

But perhaps she guessed this, because she was full of praise of production, she came to the set one afternoon and took control. Bruce had hired a popular star, ranked high in the list of open-air heroes. After the Countess had resolutely interrupted his dialogue, he turned on his high-heeled boots and marched off the set and into Bruce's office.

"I'm through", he said. "No dame can tell Jack Gordon how to read his lines".

Bruce hurried to the sound stage and found the Countess harangueing the director for not firing his star immediately.

"Get off the set", Bruce commanded sternly. She was alarmed and followed him out. "If you do that again I'll remove her" to his office. "I'm through. D'ye understand?"

(To be continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

TUESDAY, FEB. 13

—6.00 a.m.
WGR, WBEN—News, Sports.
CFRB—Sport Moments.
—6.15 a.m.
CBL—News, Farm Market.
—6.30 a.m.
WBEN—News Quiz.
—6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes McKnight on Sports.
—6.55 p.m.
CJBC—Gary Settell.
WBEN, WHAM-B—Lowell Thomas.
—7.00 p.m.
CFRB—Cid I Say That? Quiz.
—7.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
—7.15 p.m.
CJBC—Blackstone.
—7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
CJBC-NBC—Jerome-Forrest Show.
—8.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Ginny Simms.
CFRB—Big Town.
CJBC—Guy Lombardo.
CKOC, CBC—Big Town Drama.
—8.30 p.m.
CJBC-Blue—Alan Young Show.
CFRB—Fun Parade.
WBEN—A Date With Judy.
CBL—Of Things to Come.
—8.60 p.m.
WKBW-CBS—Inner Sanctum.
CJBC—Toronto Symphony.
WBEN-NBC—Mystery Theatre.
WGR-B—Gracie Fields Show.
—9.10 p.m.
CKEY—N.H.L. Hockey
—9.30 p.m.
CBL-NBC—Fibber McGee
WKBW-CBS—This Is My Best.
WGR-B—Bob Hope Orch.
—10.00 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—CBC News.
CJBC-NBC—Bob Hope.
—10.30 p.m.
WGR-B—Let Yourself Go.
CBL—Make Way For Tomorrow.
CJBC—Bert Niosi Orch.
WBEN-NBC—Hildegrade.
—11.00 p.m.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
CFRB, CHML, CKTB—News.
CKEY—News, Mickey Lester.
—11.15 p.m.
CBL—Of the Record.
—11.30 p.m.
WGR,B—Met', Opera, U.S.A.
CFRB-CBS—Casey Drama.
—11.15 a.m.
WGR-B—Dance Bands.
—11.30 a.m.
CFRB—NEWS.

RADIO DIRECTORY

CKWS — Kingston	960
CBL — Toronto	740
CBY — Yarmouth	1240
CKCL — Toronto	590
CFRB — Toronto	1010
CBO — Ottawa	910
CKOC — Hamilton	1150
CHML — Hamilton	900
CBM — Montreal	940
CFCF — Montreal	600
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KDKA — Pittsburg	1020
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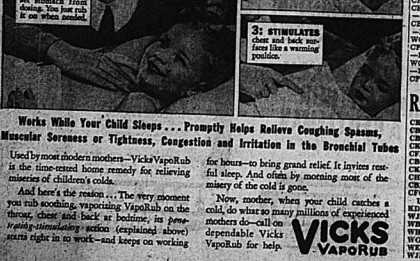
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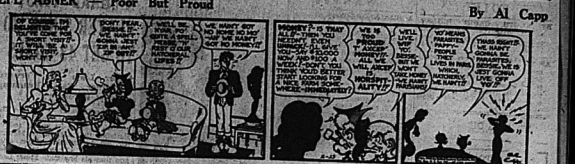
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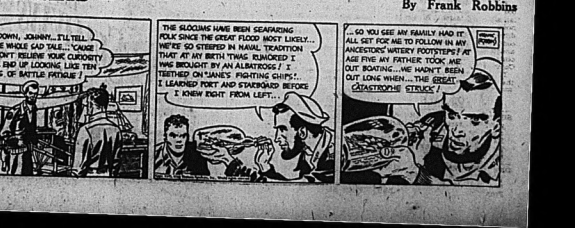
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FORESEES BUILDING OF YOUTH CENTRE IN BELLEVILLE

Newton Thompson, Head of Teen-Age Committee, Discusses Matter Before Rotarians

Predicting that Belleville would be faced in the near future with the question of erecting a Youth Centre, to provide a place where youth can utilize spare time in wholesome, supervised recreation, Mr. Newton Thompson, chairman of the Teen-Age Committee of the Belleville Civic Club in a brief address on Monday that "we may as well face the facts that we are going to do something for the youth of the city."

Mr. Thompson outlined the work of the Teen-Age committee of the Y.M.C.A. which was formed during the last great ado of life the chimes of a few weeks ago, when a start was taken of discussion there sprang up organized committees for co-operation. Given

Co-operation of the Belleville Board of Education was sought and obtained, and the facilities could be utilized. The Students' Council of the B.C.I. threw its facilities, not only, also, in the use of machinery was set in motion.

Considerable work has been undertaken by these young people and the fusing of their efforts has brought a success beyond the probatory hopes of the committee. It is stated, the club will be placed on a membership basis.

Mr. Thompson emphasized the fact that the club is not exclusively for delegates but that men and women between the ages of 13 and 20 will be welcome. Plans are available for the facilities and benefits of the organization, and, he added, there has been a satisfactory increase during the past week in membership. The young people of the town and the young men and women at the weekly discussions and numbers are increasing.

The meeting was early dancing to an orchestra, motion pictures, the organization of a boxing club, a canteen.

Speaking as proof of the popularity of the latter," he said, "on one night 217 youngsters consumed 360 bottles of pop, 13 lbs. of candy, 240 hot buns and 360 doughnuts."

The Rotary night parties are supervised by 7 members and 10 assistants, appointed by the Teen-Age Committee.

Also on Stirling Lodge III at Group Captain Lawrence (Larry) Wray, son of Mr. Robert Wray of this city, Group Captain Wray, according to an authoritative source, is commanding officer of the camp and has been doing splendid work in looking after the welfare of the officers in his charge.

However, the source state, that other prisoner-of-war camps established in the path of the Russian have been removed to points inside Germany, but that for Stalag III has remained in its original location. It said, that Major Sewell P. O. W. camps are located in this vicinity, and of course the hope is, that the Germans will be driven so quickly that removal of the camps will be impossible.

POLICE COURT

Roland McGrath, 18, of Belleville, pleaded guilty to charges of forgery and uttering before Magistrate Ernest T. T. Wills today. Both charges arose from the accused had having issued a cheque against his employer, O. B. Chapp. He pleaded guilty to both counts and was given a six months' reformatory sentence. "It is this lad's first offence," revealed Assistant Crown Attorney S. J. Robertson.

The amount involved was $38.72, for which His Worship ordered restitution within a month. Inspector T. C. Harper, who investigated the case, was the only witness called to obtain the necessary evidence.

Charge Withdrawn

A charge of leaving the scene of an accident was withdrawn against Opt. Leuller of the Mountain View R.C.A.F. base, but he paid ten dollars and costs upon pleading guilty to a second charge of driving without the necessary driver's licence.

Five Toronto youths, two of them juveniles, pleaded guilty to charges of breaking up the Canadian National Railways. The quintette pleaded guilty after being found in a grain car in the Belleville C.N.R. freight yards by Constable C. A. Campbell of the railway police. Ordered to Pay Fines

The three older boys, Harry Moore, 19, William C. Harper, 17, and Garnet Ivany, 18, were ordered to pay the regular fare from Toronto to Belleville and the cost of the court before His Worship gave them a six months' suspended sentence. In default of payment, however, they will serve ten days. The juveniles were given suspended sentences in special court held in camera.

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Local Prisoners Of War May Be Near Liberation

Hearts of some Belleville mothers are beating with increased speed these days, as Marshal Stalin's victorious forces are pushing their way slowly toward Berlin.

For in the path of the Red armies are several German prisoner-of-war camps, where Canadians and other allied prisoners are eagerly awaiting the arrival of their fellow liberators.

Lt. Stalag Lufte III, a camp for captured Allied air officers, which is situated near Sagan, which, according to latest war maps is directly in the path of the onrushing Russians is Flying Officer Bill Hutchison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hutchison of this city. Flying Officer Hutchison was shot down while on operations during the North Atlantic Campaign.

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Ald. O. E. Butler Re-elected Pres. Bar Association

Alderman Ormonde E. Butler, local barrister, was re-elected president of the County of Hastings Bar Association when members of that organization convened for their annual meeting recently. F. L. Kelly, of Stirling, was re-appointed to the 1st vice president, while Robt. Pringle of this city, was re-appointed to the 2nd vice president.

Alderman E. E. Folwell is secretary with Robt. McGuffin being named as treasurer and librarian. There are thirteen city members in the association with six other members residing in various parts of the county.

Unauthorized practice of unqualified persons doing the work of lawyers came up for discussion at the meeting and it did appear advantaining to general law practice. It is hoped shortly to have a district law association meeting in this city of associations comprising the local legal district. This district takes in the Belleville, Port Hope and Cobourg and / Peterborough areas.

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TRENTON

PO. C. J. Finner Arrives Home

Trenton, Feb. 12 — Pilot Officer C. J. Finner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Finner, 7716 North 22nd st., Trenton, has arrived home on furlough after three and a half years' service with the Royal Air Force. He was with the 405 Mobile Reception of the County of Kent, England, being transferred from the R.C.A.F. with which he enlisted and trained.

PO. Finner's operational flights were mostly from Italian bases; but he has seen some service over France and North Africa. He completed his first tour of ops last summer, following which he instructed in wireless gunnery at Cairo before returning to England.

While on one assignment over the desert he and other members of the crew ran into several storms which delayed their return for a time and they were all forced to bail out, landing in the middle of the desert. PO. Finner, however is very reticent regarding his experiences and says he is thankful now he is the fact that he is safe and sound at home.

PO. Finner and a brother, PO. Frederick Finner, were both home day early in 1940, and the latter was recently mentioned in Canadian Press cable as having taken part in a raid on Duisburg in the Ruhr. He is now with the Lincolnshires and Halifaxes took part. Like PO. Finner, he has returned on a repatriation leave to serve on a second operational tour, and it is thought this trip to the Ruhr was the first of that tour.

Both PO. Frederick Finner attended St. Peter's School in Trenton. PO. Gerry Finner joined the wireless air gunner's wing at Mossbank, Man., while PO. Francis Finner received a similar wing at Moncton, View.

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Dr. C. Brownson Dies at Picton

Dr. Carl A. Brownson, well-known Picton and Belleville physician, died in Prince Edward County Hospital, Picton, early today following an illness of three weeks' duration. He was in his 48th year. Born in Sterling the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brownson, who at present reside in Picton, the late Dr. Brownson received his early education in that district. He only recently left Mrs. Brownson and daughter, Bloomfield, predeceased him by a few days.

He spent nearly ten years in New York City, where he was associated with the Wall Street Board of Trade in a professional capacity. Returning to his native Canada, he settled in Bloomfield for a short number of year, removing from there to his late practice in Picton a few years ago. Dr. Brownson was not married.

In Picton he was a charter member of the Rotary Club of that town, being intensely interested in child welfare was chairman of the Crippled Children Committee of that service club. A musician of no mean ability he was a choral club within Rotary, and also gave his services to community welfare in many cases of good work. One of his hobbies was horticulture, his gardens, shrubbery and floral effects were the cynosure of many flower-lovers' eyes. He was active in fraternal circles being a member of the Masonic Order, R.A.M. The Preceptory and Mistress Shrine.

During his stay in Picton, he occupied the apartment building owned by Mr. Fred Newman.

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Roslin

Roslin — The annual meeting of Roslin United Church was held on January 29th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Colden with a good attendance.

Rev. Mr. E. Heywood presided over the meeting.

Mrs. F. Howes was re-elected secretary.

Reports were read from the various organizations of the church which showed a very successful year.

The following officers were elected:—

Elders — Mr. R. Howes, Mr. Ed. Davidson.

Secretary Treasurer — Mr. F. Howes.

Ushers — Mr. Kenneth Carter and Mr. Jack Colden.

Stewards — Mr. W. Harrison, Mr. F. Howes, Mr. Ed. Davidson.

Auditors — Mr. H. Chisholm, Mrs. B. Heywood.

Organist — Mrs. F. Howes.

The congregation tendered a vote of thanks to Mrs. F. Howes for past services as organist and presented her with a sum of money.

Lunch was served and a social time enjoyed.

Birth: On February 3rd, 1945, at their home, Roslin, to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Treacy, a daughter.

Mr. Harold Colden spent one day last week in Kingston.

Mr. Harold Hart of R.C.N.V.R. of Halifax is spending a short furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hart.

Women's Institute.

The February meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Chapman with thirteen ladies and one child present.

The president, Mrs. W. White, presided. The meeting was opened in the usual way. Mrs. H. Chisholm was appointed secretary pro tem. A short business period followed. Several more letters of thanks from boys in the services were read.

Some articles were handed in to go to bombed out children in England via the Red Cross.

Tickets are still being sold on the basket of groceries and a number of the groceries for the basket were handed in.

The roll call was responded to with a Canadian product.

Mrs. W. Gillespie, leader for the day, took charge of the program. With Mrs. M. Parger at the piano community singing was enjoyed.

Mrs. H. Chisholm and Miss H. Howes gave readings and Mrs. F. Beazor gave a paper on the topic for the day which had been prepared by Mrs. R. Clare, "Education of the Institute on the Community".

The singing of the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close.

The leader conducted a contest. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. W. Clapsaddle and Mrs. W. Fitzgerald and a social half-hour was enjoyed.

Women's Association.

The February meeting of the Women's Association was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Chisholm with a good attendance.

The president, Mrs. W. Harrison, presided and the meeting was opened in the usual way. A number of items of business were dealt with.

Mrs. W. Harrison offered her home for a pot luck dinner and quilting to be held in the near future.

Mrs. S. Carter, leader for the day, took charge of the following program: Mrs. S. Colden gave a reading, Mrs. B. Heywood favored with a solo.

A dainty lunch was served by the hostess and a social half-hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. H. Sills returned home from the Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday and is convalescing at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Granby Burleigh moved to Belleville this week.

Mrs. Janet Burleigh is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Childs, Tweed, for a time.

Mrs. Donald Wilson and children spent Wednesday with Mrs. H. Chisholm.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. MacDonald spent Thursday in Stirling.

Melrose

Melrose — Mr. and Mrs. Russell Macfarlane left on Thursday last to visit relatives in Teaneck, New Jersey.

Miss Helen McAvoy spent Wednesday afternoon in Belleville, a guest of Mrs. Jack McEwen.

Mrs. Marjorie Fraser has accepted a position in Bath and left the first of the week to commence duties.

Mrs. Jno. Macfarlane is spending some time with Mrs. Masters and children at the home of Mr. Russell Macfarlane.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Robinson and Donna had Sunday dinner with Mrs. H. Denill.

The meeting held in the Township hall on Tuesday evening sponsored by the Foxboro Cooperative Association was fairly well attended. Its purpose was to interest farmers of this district in cooperative buying and selling methods. Following the meeting a canvass was made and quite a number became members of the Foxboro Cooperative Association.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Carman Milligan are confined to their home with measles.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Power gathered at their home on the fourth line on Saturday evening to celebrate with them their golden wedding anniversary. A very pleasant social time was spent and the brides extended to them for future health and happiness.

The Melrose Women's Institute is pleased to report to the National War Services that they raised over three hundred dollars for War Charities and Soldiers' comforts.—(Christmas boxes and cigarettes)—during the year. The Institute wishes to thank all who have contributed to the Melrose W. I. War charities Branch and would ask for your continued support.

WROTE WORDS TO 2,000 BOYS

New York, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Al Dubin, 54, who wrote the words to 2,000 popular songs, including "Dancing with Tears in My Eyes," "Among My Souvenirs" and "Tiptoe Through the Tulips," died here Sunday after a brief illness. He was born in Zurich, Switzerland and began writing songs at 14.

Dubin, who turned out songs that sold in enormous quantities, said once: "If song writing is an art, it is the lowest form of art."

He collaborated on the music and lyrics of scores of motion pictures.

Melville

THOUGHTS BY THE WAY

WINTER DAYS

I saw from my apartment window
After o'er a frosty world,
At the west, fair-tinted billows lie
By the fiery storm-clouds hurled;
As my eyes discern the frozen landscape
Where nothing of life is seen,
My heart sees a land of clear, sweet days
When each leaf is gold and green.

And if seems so long, the waiting,
For light and life and spring,
When nature is buried deep in beauty
And the birds their songs forget,
Deep down deep on the meadow
Once starred, the wild flowers bright,
And o'er the well-worn pathway
The stone by stone was white.

And the lake that shone like silver
Is held in icy thrall,
And the leaves that whispered
above
Fell to earth at winter's call;
And, as we behold them sorting doth linger
Spring's work in its light and life,
While winter rules in rigor
With purging storm and strife.

But in the fall of the tempest
There comes a calm at last,
The Storm-King's power is breaking
And spring will soon appear;
Thro' drear, dark days of winter
The snow and tempest blow,
The longer days of winter
Are nearer to spring we know.

—Helen B. Anderson.

Cold and brilliant streamed the moonlight
Over the Christmas Day, allowing the ground hog to see his shadow and then to crawl back into his cave to enjoy six weeks additional six weeks of winter. Quoting J. W. Riley, the Hoosier poet:

"Clear on into February
Nothing's sure and you be madder,
Then for Pop to stomp in hayin'
On an extra few stick sayin'
Groun' hog see and seen his shadder."

But we were glad it was a sunny day for a Friend called over the telephone inviting us to a Sunday dinner. The roads rendered smooth by the plow were fine and level and by lowering banks on either side, gave the impression of moving through a marble tunnel. At our destination we received a hearty welcome and what a delicious dinner we received! Farm homes, with cellars stocking with canned fruits, meats and vegetables, provide lavish hospitality. These are times of events in wartime, business and pleasure are often combined and in this instance a fine quilt for the local W. I. C. was nearly finished.

I often wonder why it is that the world in general considers life on a farm as one of drudgery. It may be that the farmer himself, by indulging in the habit of complaining and fault-finding, is responsible for this condition. We admit that there is hard work connected with farming, but is there an occupation that does not call for steady work and devotion to duty? Of course the lack of laborers is a drawback, but the farmer who has his own help is independent. Before an election politicians kindly discuss farm problems and present methods for solving them, but election over these are soon forgotten. The farmer in my opinion does not need pity. Most homes are pleasant and comfortable but rural people are awakening to the need of modern conveniences, such as those afforded by Hydro, and the other many benefits will come with co-operation. But one does pity on the farmer with his broad acres, his flocks and big herds. The manly farmer does not whine about hard times but carries his head high and believes his occupation the finest on earth.

And now while the snow lies deep
Along my country home; there is a sign of spring in the lengthening twilight. Quoting Miles Carman:

"Now the lengthening twilights hold
Tints of lavender and gold."

What a wealth Carman has left us in his fine nature poems! And now neglected he was by his own country until the United States was preparing to claim him as their own. I recall my pleasure in hearing Carman read his poems in Belleville some years ago and a rare treat indeed, as was that of hearing the late L. M. Montgomery in the Bay City some years later.

Melville Ladies' Aid.

The February meeting of Melville Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Morton on the afternoon of Thursday, Feb. 1st., with the president in the chair and Mrs. C. Kinnear pianist. The meeting opened with the singing and followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison. The Bible lesson was read by Mrs. Arnold Cruickshank followed by prayer. Mrs. Arthur Kinnear was elected as Vice-president. The roll call was responded to by a verse containing the name of Reading was given by Miss Muriel Carley and Mrs. Arnold Cruickshank. The hymn "I'm a Child of the King" was sung at the request of Mrs. C. Cruickshank. The meeting closed with the National Anthem and the Mizpah benediction.

Mrs. Fred Morton and Mrs. Clayton Cruickshank opened their homes for Red Cross quiltings last week. Mrs. Ernest Carley will open her home for a quilting for the W. E. C. this coming week.

Mrs. Richard Sprung spent Sunday on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at her home in Consecon, after a lingering illness. For many years she resided at "The Pines," their farm home, South Lakeside, but after the death of her husband she removed to Consecon. Surviving is a daughter, Velma, Mrs. Allen Goodmurphy and a granddaughter, Dawn. Mrs. Jones was a woman of a friendly, pleasing disposition and will be sadly missed. The funeral service was held in Wellington Anglican church on Friday afternoon, Rev. E. W. Jones officiating. The body was placed in Wellington vault awaiting spring removal to Hillier cemetery.

AN OLD-FASHIONED VALENTINE

I found it 'mong the keepsakes
Of sixty years ago—
A faded, fragile message
With words of love below;
A rustic air, sunbrowned it,
It seemed to speak to me
Of youth and love and brightness
As changeless as the sea.

Its leaves with age were yellow,
But to me, was dainty thing
Of lace and fadeless perfume—
A message it did bring
Of old-time love and longing,
Far in the days long past
Breathing the old-time fervor
Of a love that ever shall last.

So through the changing ages,
Though winter winds blow chill,
Though snow-drifts deep are lying
On forest, glade and hill;
In spite of winter tempest,
The fires of love will shine
Deep in the hearts of lovers
With constancy divine.

—Helen B. Anderson.

Minto

Minto—Mrs. Jack Watson, Campbellford, spent a few days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sarles.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Brady and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Conley, Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brandworth and family were tea flour guests on Sunday; so Mr. Gerald Brandworth, Bonarlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMaster and boys visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cooke entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pyrch and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Belsour and Carolyn.

Mrs. J. Sine has been spending some time visiting friends at Madoc.

Little Benny's Note Book

Mrs. Brown left her champeen cleaning carpet for me to take care of for a couple of days, and I'm supposed to keep Cousin Cesar from around to the house. Mrs. Brown told me and I said, Aw O.K., I dont see why Cesar can't be hung the canary outside the garage. Mrs. Brown before Cousin Cesar got back. If Cousin Cesar was complained so much about the sparrows waking him up, but I think how mad he'd get if he thinks there's a wild canary flying around outside his window. He's libel to pack right up and go home forever, I said.

Now Ma always'd said No to that suggestion, and my No remained in the negative, ma said. No matter how I feel tords Cesar, I realize to see that canary suffer, she said, and pop said, How about a compromise? I'll put the cage outside Cesar's door in the middle of night, and the canary will go to town at the top of its voice at the crack of dawn, and tomorrow, Cesar will be a wreck and will had never seen this house, pop said.

Well, it said how to try it but I have my misery doubts, me said. And this morning Cesar came down yawning in his corporal's uniform while we were eating breakfast, and pop said, Why Cesar, you're up early and ma said, Why yes, I dont see how you at breakfast till about lunch time. I hope your misery hasn't disturbed, she said.

Oh no, in fact I slept like a rock, you might call it. In fact I really feel like a new man. I dreamt I was singing to me at though their bands heard wood break. I never woke up so refreshed in my life. And that's why I'm up so early, he said.

Pulled, fertiled, trapped, I mean mah jar with a given other year work until vacancies in nucleus firms are filled.

Lost Gloves on Raid, Frost Hands, Now Home

Toronto, Feb. 13 — (CP) — WO O. W. Wetcalfe, D.F.C., of Hamilton, who spent a month in hospital after he lost his gloves in a cold over Berlin and frost his hands, arrived here last night. He was one of a group of more than 60 airmen who passed through Toronto en route to their homes from overseas.

Others returning included Fl. Sgt. Ralph Syer of Hamilton, and P.O. Art Colquhoun of Stratford. Colquhoun and Syer, his tail gunner, completed one tour together and helped bomb major German targets.

Gloves Knitted

Halifax, England. (CP) — The freedom of the Borough of Halifax will be conferred on the Duke of Wellington's Regiment if the Council approves, a finance committee recommendation. The regiment originated here in 1702.

SWEDISH CORRESPONDENTS MAY RETURN FROM GERMANY IF THEY LIKE

Stockholm, Feb. 13 (Reuters) — Several Swedish newspapers have told their Berlin correspondent they may return home if they wish.

The first to do so will be Rhabier Jaederlund, of the Stockholms Tidningen, who has already received his German exit permit. He won the Iron Cross serving with the German army during the First Great War and was regarded as one of the least sympathetic to the Allied cause of all the Swedish correspondents in Berlin. He recently told his editor he would find it most difficult to continue working in the German capital.

London, (CP) — The Board of Control in its annual report says there is no evidence that the war has caused any increase in serious cases of mental breakdown, even in the blitz areas.

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Probabilities
Lower Lake Region—Moderate to fresh winds; partly cloudy and moderately cold; snowflurries in east portion. Thursday; partly cloudy and somewhat colder, followed by light snow or rain in southwest portion.

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BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1945

Temperatures

	Max.	Min.
Today	32	12
Year ago	26	12

Snowfall, 12 inches.
Weather, fair.

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CANUCKS TURN NORTH END OF SIEGFRIED LINE
RUSSIANS CRASH THROUGH QUEIS RIVER LINE

Konev's Forces Hit Westward to Split Germany Asunder

Two Russian Units Within Seventeen Miles of Junction

By RICHARD KÄSISCHKE
(AP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 14 — (AP) — Red Army troops have crashed through the Germans' Queis River line less than 68 miles from Dresden, a Moscow dispatch said today, while Berlin declared armored units to the north had broken into Sorau, junction city 83 miles southeast of Berlin.

Marshal Ivan Konev's forces hitting westward in "a sensational thrust to split Germany asunder south of Berlin" were approaching the upper Neisse River, which runs about 50 miles from Dresden, a direct Moscow dispatch declared.

The German high command said Konev's armor, beating northward toward a junction with other Red Army men along the Oder east of Berlin, had broken into Sorau, eight miles northwest of Sprottau, and into the Bober River. Sorau is five miles inside Berlin's province of Brandenburg.

Junction Nearly Effected.

The Swiss radio quoted German sources as saying Konev already had hinged to Sommerfeld, 12 miles northwest of Sprottau, while 17 miles of a Russian-Red Army junction by Konev's troops on the Oder.

Berlin's broadcasts said Konev "inevitably is tearing gaps in our lines" and that Volkssturm and "alarm units" were being thrown into the fight to keep open retreat lines for the Reich.

They also reported Zhukov was "feeling strong forces" on the Frankfurt-Fuerstenberg front along the Oder for an assault on Berlin.

Menaced Dresden, capital of the old kingdom of Saxony, was bombarded by 800 U. S. and R.A.F. bomber planes last night, in demonstration of Allied military co-ordination, the Moscow dispatches said Konev was 18 miles or less from the frontier of Saxony.

Great Wheeling Movement

Konev drove forward in a great wheeling movement aimed at Berlin's junction communications in the fall of Budapest — after a siege that cost the Germans more than 138,000 men — freed two other powerful Russian armies for a renewed drive on Vienna.

Thrusting forward 30 miles in a direction south of Breslau, which was eventually bring it to the German capital from the south, Konev's 1st Ukraine Army yesterday broke through the Germany's Bober River defenses and sped on — possibly checked.

Towns that fell included Kittlendorf, 68 miles northeast of Dresden.

Announcing the R.A.F. raid on Dresden, the British Air Ministry declared:

Aim to Hold Dresden

"As the result of a railway network and a great industrial town it (Dresden) has become of the greatest value for conducting any defence the Germans may organize against Marshal Konev's armies."

Both Klitschdorf and Neuhausendorf, another 7-8 miles to the west, flow north and joins the Bober in the vicinity of Sagan, 19 miles northwest of captured Naumburg.

The speed of Konev's advance of 35 miles in two days indicated there was little or no resistance short of the Neisse River, some 30 miles beyond the Queis. The latter is generally is rated as second only to the Oder in eastern Germany's defences.

Budapest Captured

A new Russian attempt to drive into Austria was portended in Marshal Stalin's order of the day announcing the capture of Budapest. It described the Hungarian capital as "a strategically-important German defence centre on the road to Vienna."

The order was directed jointly to Marshals Rodion Y. Malinovsky and Feodor Tolbukhin of the 2nd and 3rd Ukraine armies.

Minor Patrol And Artillery Action in Italy

Rome, Feb. 14 — (AP) — The entire Italian front subsided into minor patrol clashes and artillery duels today, with the Germans pouring more activity at Allied lines.

Similar activity was reported in the British 8th Army sector. A German combat patrol was repulsed with losses in an attack on an Allied outpost on the east side of the Senio River north of the Bologna-Faenza highway. The 1st Canadian Corps holds part of the Senio river line near the Adriatic.

Meanwhile, the Allied command's communique listed a number of operations under which an enemy withdrawal from northern Italy could be undertaken.

Fifth Army headquarters said the enemy was laying down smoke screens south of Bologna, "possibly to shield movement, digging parties and the laying of mines." The Germans during the last week put in several gaps in the Senio river line, broke through a similar barrier behind which a withdrawal could be effected easily.

Fifth Army troops have been rawly by the Germans during the last week along the Tyrrhenian coast and in other sectors.

The conquest of Budapest during 46 days of street fighting cost the Germans 48,000 men killed and 110,000 captured, Moscow announced. It was the greatest defeat dealt to German arms since the Battle of Stalingrad two years ago.

Counter Blows Costly

Moscow announcements stressed that the vain counter-attacks toward Budapest from the northwest and southwest cost the Germans additional "hundreds of tanks and tens of thousands of officers killed and men."

The toll of German prisoners captured in Budapest was headed by Lieut.-General Pfeffer-Wildenbruch, the officer who in 1938 commanded the Austrian police troops which moved after the Sudetenland of Czechoslovakia after Munich.

Konev's advance yesterday swept 18 German communities. In addition to advancing his and possibly crossing, the Queis river, his troops were reported by the Soviet broadcast to Sagan.

Sagan, for British and American prisoners of war are known to have been located near Sagan, but Moscow mentioned the camps since it was probable the prisoners had been removed to other cities.

Weather Forecast

Lake Superior—Cloudy and comparatively mild today and Thursday with occasional light snow.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Cloudy and comparatively mild with occasional light snow today and part of Thursday, then becoming colder.

Alberta—Cloudy and comparatively mild with light snowfalls or flurries. Thursday — fresh winds; cloudy and becoming colder with snowflurries.

'Glorious Conception of Empire Unity' Seen in 1st Canadian Army

London, Feb. 14. (CP Cable) — "Here is empire unity in all its strength and magnificence — glorious, grand conception," said Lord Beaverbrook's London Daily Express editorially today in commenting on the feats of the 1st Canadian Army in Germany.

"How admirably these brothers-in-arms work together", it added. "The fact that more than half the troops engaged are Scottish or English adds to the lustre of the battle of the 1st Canadian Army. To Gen. Crerar, the Canadian, goes the honor of leadership and he is accepted, supported, strengthened and exalted by the troops of the United Kingdom under his command.

"This is as it should be, as it must always be, when men of the Empire and the United Kingdom undertake a job together".

R.A.F. AND R.C.A.F. RAID IN SUPPORT OF KONEV'S ARMY

Batter Rail Network And Industries of Dresden — Oil Plant At Bohlen Is Hit

London, Feb. 14 — (CP) — More than 2,000 U. S. bombers and fighters struck Germany in widespread attacks today, delivering a main blow at Dresden which was already burning from a night assault by the heavy R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. bombers.

Dresden is only 66 miles or less from advancing Russian troops, and is a nerve centre of defenses in central Germany. The day and night air blows were in direct and co-ordinated support of Marshal Ivan Konev's 1st Ukrainian Army.

The R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. bombed Dresden twice in attacks three hours apart.

Part of the American force, consisting of more than 1,350 four-engined bombers and 600 fighters, also bombed transportation and industrial targets at Chemnitz, 25 miles southwest of Dresden, and at Leipzig, 70 miles west of Berlin.

Another large number was assigned to knock out an important Rhine bridge at Wesel, 19 miles ahead of Field Marshal Sir Bernard Law Montgomery's 21st Army Group's western front.

Fifth and Canadian planes dumped perhaps 3,000 tons of bombs on Dresden, the 14th largest capital of Saxony which controls railroads to Berlin, Prague, Munich, Austria and Italy. Dresden is also a manufacturing centre for armored vehicles, heavy machine tools, optical and precision instruments.

Bombing started unofficially in London that Air Marshal Sir Charles Portal, British Air Staff Chief who returned from Yalta yesterday, brought instructions from the Big Three to deal a crushing blow and also in support of the Red armies whenever possible.

Night Operations

Announcing the night operations, the Air Ministry declared:

"It is the railway network and a great industrial town it (Dresden) has become of the greatest value for conducting any defence the Germans may organize against Marshal Konev's armies."

Altogether the R.A.F. dispatched 1,100 bombers to Germany during the night. Other targets were a synthetic oil plant at Bohlen, south of Leipzig, Magdeburg, 75 miles southwest of Berlin, and the railway centre of Hamm, 20 miles east of Dortmund. All the night operations were at a cost of 16 bombers missing, four of them Canadian. RCAF Mitchells took part in the Bohlen raid. Two of the Canadian planes flew to Dresden.

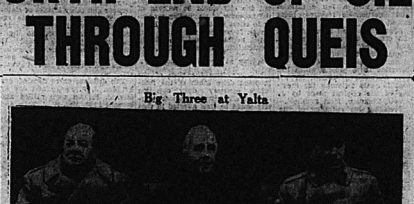
In the first blow against Dresden, Germany's seventh city, was the first attack in nearly five months. A striking feature was the lack of anti-aircraft fire, Crews said fires broke out in the city.

Dresden is 90 miles south of Berlin, and the approaches to the city are flocking ahead of the Russians. The London German government official also are said to have been shifted there.

Hints Prepare Bavaria For Last-Ditch Stand Says Moscow

London, Feb. 14 — (Reuters) — Moscow radio, quoting Swedish reports, said today that the Germans "for the past three days armed scouts have been guarding the Austrian shore," the broadcast said.

Moscow radio, said the Germans were hastily preparing Bavaria for a last-ditch defence. "Everywhere subterranean hangars and airfields are under construction," it added.



Big Three at Yalta

The "Big Three," Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin, at the conference just closed in which they drew up the "Crimea Charter," reaffirming the "Atlantic Charter."

Prime Minister To Be Busy For Next Few Months

By FRANK FLAHERTY
Ottawa, Feb. 14 —(CP)— Calling of a United Nations conference on world security for San Francisco on April 26 promises a busy few months for Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

On top of the live Canadian political situation it presents the Prime Minister, also secretary of state for external affairs, with the biggest task, Conference authorities said today, since the conference which has occurred in a number of years.

Canada will be prominent in the play as important role in the proposed permanent United Nations organization because of its geographical position, economic and military power. The Canadian government is interested in the form of the organization and particularly in the extent to which smaller and medium-sized powers are to be given a voice in deciding relating to peace and war.

It is expected all the leading nations will be represented at San Francisco by their foreign ministers, Finance Minister Ilsley and Munitions Minister Howe, respectively, heading the Canadian delegation.

The probability is that the San Francisco conference will last a number of weeks and Mr. King's presence for part of the time might be all that would be required.

The conference, it was felt, might be one additional reason which would suffice to help the government to fix the date of the general election later than expected—May or June rather than late April or early May.

General Amnesty For Political Crimes Since Greek Revolt

London, Feb. 14 — (CP)— Simultaneously with the lifting of martial law in Greece, the British Minister of State, Richard K. Law, announced in the House of Commons today that general amnesty would be granted for "all political crimes committed since the beginning of the Greek revolt.

Even critics of British policy in Greece welcomed it.

The Foreign Office released the preamble to the agreement signed in Athens by the Greek government and the R.A.F. (Leftist National Liberation Front) leaders and find that one chief characteristic of the pact must be "respect for treaties which the Atlantic Charter and the decisions therein proclaimed."

Paris Radio Reports German Government Moving to Nuernberg

London, Feb. 14 (CP)—The Paris radio, quoting German frontier reports, said today, the German government was moving from Berlin to Nuernberg, 225 miles southwest of Berlin and 80 miles north of Munich. Nuernberg is in Bavaria many miles from the nearest Allied front but nearer the western Allies than the Russian sector.

Provincial Roads in West Ont. Again Blocked by Drifting Snow

Toronto, Feb. 14 — (CP) — There is no letup in trying weather conditions for western Ontario. A snowfall averaging about three inches struck that area Tuesday night, blocking roads in many areas, and isolating at least one community—Linwood in the Kitchener area — which has been placed in a similar situation by many of this winter's storms.

Strong northwesterly winds whipped the snow into drifts and the Ontario Department of Highways announced that many provincial roads were blocked in the Guelph, London, Stratford, Owen Sound and Hamilton areas. Main arteries were open for traffic although in the London and Stratford areas these were heavy. News dispatches from Ontario points say that many minor roads are blocked.

Kitchener reported that a snowplow has been ordered to Linwood to release a load of livestock which has been stranded on the road since yesterday afternoon. Country roads, not cleared for traffic, were blocked again.

Bus Service Cancelled

Bus service was cancelled in the Galt area last night, but when the wind subsided this morning fear of another traffic tie-up vanished. Snowplows cleared main highways and by midday the

Brantford reported that the Lake Erie and Northern Electric Railway was snowbound south to Simcoe and Port Dover and north to Galt. Steam railway services were serving but the public.

Heavy snowfalls in the Owen Sound and the Ontario Department of Highways announced that many provincial roads were blocked in the Guelph, London, Stratford, Owen Sound and Hamilton areas. Main arteries were open for traffic although in the London and Stratford areas these were heavy. News dispatches from Ontario points say that many minor roads are blocked.

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YANKS LAUNCH DECISIVE BLOW AGAINST JAPS

Cavite Naval Base and Two Airfields Captured by U.S. Infantry

By C. YATES McDANIEL
(AP War Correspondent)

Manila, Feb. 14 — (AP) — Grim Americans, advancing among ruins strewn with bodies of the foe, found the decisive blow for Manila today at Japanese cornered in a three-square-mile area "near the Pasig River's mouth after other infantry on the southern outskirts seized Cavite naval base and two airfields.

The end of the enemy's trapped garrison is in sight," Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced on the 13th day since American columns entered the city, which since has become the most devastated battlefield of the Southwest Pacific campaign.

Manila's toll of dead is more than 60,000 enemy casualties inflicted on the island in five weeks. The Japanese survivors within Manila are massed behind thick walls of reinforced concrete, barricaded within government buildings and among docks.

Cavite, on the south shore of Manila Bay, was the first big Japanese warrior was killed at Nichols airfield near the city's southern outskirts after five bitter days of struggle, Nielson airfield, on the southern outskirts of the foe.

Most of the enemy's big guns within Manila have been silenced. Thousands of Japanese have died here, adding heavily to casualties which during the fifth week of the Luzon campaign exceeded 20,000.

American casualties for the fifth week rose from 7,076 to 8,885. The total consisted of 2,103 killed, 182 missing and 7,580 wounded.

Girl Tells of Life for Two Years In Internment Camp at Santo Tomas

(Editor's Note— The following story of children's life in the Santo Tomas internment camp, Manila, was written by Joan Elizabeth Bennett, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Bennett, whose father is manager of the Manila Bulletin.)

By JOAN BENNETT

Santo Tomas, Manila, Feb. 14. — (AP) — I've hardly had time to think of the wheels of army trucks and tag passes between our good natured soldiers who pet us and feed us candy.

I was not quite sight when the war started. Suddenly, I remember our home was filled with people who were bombed out of their homes and our attempts to have a Christmas.

Christmas eve, 1941, we had a little party in the house around a big log fire. Then suddenly the air raid siren began to scream and we all ran to the shelter. Jap planes came over we went into an air raid shelter and sung 'Silent Night' of all things to drown out the sound of the bombs and keep us from getting frightened.

Christmas Not Nice.

Other Christmases were not so nice. After the Japs came into Manila they came and got daddy and took him away because he had written things in his newspaper before the war they didn't like. We had no chance to say goodbye to him.

For nearly a year and a half we never saw him. Meanwhile, Helen and myself were allowed to live in our home together and we said the Japs wanted to shadow her to see if they could find out something which would be used on daddy. They never got a chance.

On April of 1942 daddy was released and we joined him at Santo Tomas.

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Other fronts were quiet. Gen. Eisenhower had committed only a small fraction of his strength to the offensive.

Clearing weather over the entire front landed to slow ground operations with increased thaws and flooding, but it permitted great Allied air fleets to flay the foe. Nearly 4,000 bombers and fighters pounded the German defences in the 24 hours ended at dawn.

Canadian Highlanders occupied Keller, two miles northeast of the ruins of Kleve, and Ontario Highlanders crossed Cranenburg, 900 miles west of Berlin and close to the Rhine. Some from Ontario aiding halfway from Keller to the Emmerich ferry encountered stiff opposition, Canadian flooding north of Kleve increased; the campaign was aquatic in that region; the tanks clanking in the mud toward Goch.

Kleve was captured still were near enough Kleve at points to shell it heavily.

South and southeast of the clearcut Reichswald, the Germans pulled back to the line of the Niers river, which already has been crossed and bridged by the allies.

East of Kleve, Germans of three divisions fought desperately with their backs set their heels and the line was taken from their counter-attacks. Front dispatches said Press wy correspondent reported.

Air support was given the troops by Typhoons and Tempests, RAF planes which hammered away at the German troops, now estimated at seven divisions.

The fighting north and east of Kleve was described as the heaviest to date in the seven-day-old 126 mile Canadian drive Rhineland.

Doubling "Water Rate".

Mr. Cadaux, dubbed "aviator rats" because of the amphibious nature of the warfare in the flooded Rhineland, is 7 miles from Kleve, 8 miles from Berlin at Griethausen, facing Emmerich, and 15 miles from the Ruhr railhead of Wesel.

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NEW RECTOR AT KINGSTON

Kingston, Feb. 14 — (CP) — Rev. Arthur Briarly Brown, rector of St. John's Church (Norway), Toronto, has been appointed rector of Kingston Cathedral here and Dean of Ontario July 1. It was announced today by the Right Rev. John Lyons, Bishop of Ontario.

Coming Events

RENEVUE FRIDAY, FEB. 16th, for Quinte skating rink. Entertainment Ice Show, starring Canadian figure skating champions of Toronto Skating Club and University of Toronto. Reserved seats Bill Cook's Cigar Store, Ice Rink. P12-3t

BINGO, KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Hall, Friday evening at 8.30 sharp. Same big prizes as before. Lots of fun for everybody. Come and enjoy an evening of bingo in our spacious and comfortable club rooms. Regular admission 25c for 12 games. 214

THE REGULAR MONTHLY meeting of Hospital Auxiliary will be held in the Nurses' Residence February Fifteenth, at 2.45 p.m. at Belleville General Hospital.

TONIGHT. BRIDGE STREET Church congregational meeting. Church members will vote on the selection of a minister. Refreshments. F14

THE WORLD DAY OF PRAYER, Women's Missionary Church, Friday 16th, 2.30 p.m. F14

City and District News

STOKER D. E. POST ENJOYING LEAVE

After serving aboard a Canadian frigate for the past two years, Stoker 1st Class, Douglas E. Post, formerly of Carlow, Hastings, is home on a 30-day leave. The young sailor has been in the RCN during the early part of his service, but for the past while trips in his collection in the navy it is apparent by his furlough with friends at 234 Colborne Street, that his parents still live at Cha Cha.

FOUR NEW MEMBERS JOIN KIWANIS CLUB

Four new members of the local Kiwanis Club were officially installed by Past District Governor Clifford Barnes during the weekly luncheon meeting on Tuesday, bringing the club roster to 64 members.

Installed as club members were Reginald Hinchley, of Deacon Brothers Ltd., introduced by Mr. Fred Deacon; Sam Dobbs, local plumbing contractor, introduced by Wm. Hammond; Frank Creegan, local supervisor for General Life, introduced by Fred Lewis, and Addison Farrell, of Farrell Bros., Leaders introduced by Ross Stiver.

Accepting the new members with the aims and Meals of Kiwanis in the past district governor indicated to those being installed that it is in full participation in club efforts would be completed, appreciate the splendid work which is the club's program. Kiwanis pins were then presented to the new members by Mr. Barnes.

Local Navymen Aboard Hespeler

Son of a fighting family whose forbears have a long record of service in the military and on ships of the Able Seaman Thomas Percy H. "George" Winter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter, 39 Mary Street is a crew member aboard the corvette Hespeler, recently "Hespeler" which with the Duncan, Dunver and Trentonian, with recently sinking a German submarine. The action, which was announced in yesterday's newspaper editions.

With more than five years service in the Navy to his credit, A.B. Winter has served aboard the H.M.C.S. Ottawa and the ill-fated destroyer St. Croix, as well as the minesweepers "Lord" and other ships. He had been transferred from the St. Croix only shortly before the ship was sunk.

Born in Montreal he came to Belleville as a boy and attended Queen Mary School and later Belleville Collegiate. His father is a veteran of the last Great War, serving with the Imperials, while many in his mother's family have military records. He has two sisters, Mrs. Doris Radley of Sarnia and Mrs. Kathleen, at home.

Another Belleville boy, Eugene Hoom Artificer Ralph Knudsen, son of Capt. Mrs. H. C. Knudsen, 20 Charles Street, was also aboard the Hespeler when she assisted in sinking the German sub. He is one of three brothers in the navy and has over 3 years service to his credit.

One brother, Lieut. Leslie Knudsen, formerly on the Peterborough, is overseas in the Canal Zone and another Chief P.T.I. is serving aboard a Canadian frigate.

Memorial Service For Flt.-Sergeant James Roy Bryant

"There is a real glamor to a uniform, not that the uniform is so splendid, but that it represents the loyalty of the wearer to some cause or something beyond himself," said Rev. Dr. O'Neill in opening in a sermon preached last Sunday evening in St. Christ Church at a memorial service for the late Flight Sergeant James Roy Bryant, 15 Everett Street. The director of the R.C.A.F. missing on Feb. 21, 1944 after an operational flight over the North Sea coast and has now been presumed dead.

On the altar of the church were several bouquets of memorial flowers and a floral wreath from the family and friends. Appropriate music was rendered including "O Valiant Hearts." The choir under the direction of Mr. A. W. Simpson sang as an anthem, "Lead Kindly Light" and the "Last Post and Reveille" sounded on the organ by the church organist Mrs. Ida Calvert. The text for service was his text "Greater love Hath no Man Than This that a Man Lay Down His Life For His Friend." A real tribute was paid to Jimmie Bryant who had grown up in the parish, ben confirmed by the Bishop of Ontario, who had given the real vision of sacrificial service. He enlisted for the common cause, and for the common good he laid down his life. Many friends attended the service in addition to the regular congregation.

Mother, Grandfather Struggle in Vain to Save Child From Bulldog

Los Angeles, Feb. 14 (AP) — A frantic struggle by a mother and grandfather to wrest a 21-months-old girl from the grip of a pet bulldog at their home last night was futile and the baby was killed.

When the child, Marguerite Theresa Derderian, was found with the stroke the dog's back the animal turned on her and clamped its jaws at the base of her neck, Mrs. Dorothy Derderian, the mother, told police. Mrs. Derderian and the child's grandfather, Albert Lange, then struggled vainly to pry the dog's grip.

Police said the mother asked that the five-year-old dog, named Woof, be destroyed.

CRUSHED BY TREE

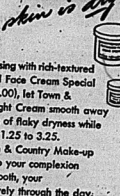
Kingston, Ont., Feb. 14 (CP) — John Edward Thompson, 23, of Newmarket, 100 miles north of here, died last night in Kingston hospital where he was brought by truck and car after he was struck by a falling tree. Thompson had one of his legs pinned under the tree. Death was attributed by hospital authorities to loss of blood and shock.

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Comprehensive View of Proposed Riverside Drive Given Citizens

Several Suggestions Are Advanced In Respect to "Drive"

Interested property owners along Dundas Street who premises extend to the river, and the general public had a chance to view, yesterday afternoon and evening, when at the public meeting in the Belleville Collegiate Institute the proposed plans for the Riverside Drive project were displayed and explained. A few difficulties and objectionable features were discussed.

Approximately 40 ratepayers and city officials attended the meeting which was presided over by Mayor Clapp, chairman of the Harbour Development Committee, outline the Riverside Drive project and explained the benefits accrued to council for the past 15 years following the drawing up of the original plans by J. Thomas Bell, city local architect.

Prefacing his outlining of the plans with a brief review of what the city needed in the way of a waterfront drive were to be successfully completed, Mayor Clapp said that when completed the city would be prepared to take care of the traffic for all time to come but it had needed for the past 15 years. Now, with the Dundas bridge would be washed up.

It was stated that as result of a survey approximately 90 percent of the property owners adjoining the river had expressed themselves favorably to give to the city land needed for completion of the drive.

According to present plans of Harbour Engineer Charles Mott the Riverside Drive would be a four-lane thoroughfare roadway 30 feet in width with a 10 foot park strip along the river with an entrance on Bridge Street. The park would extend from the north of the lower bridge to the Dundas Street intersection of a retaining wall while inside the roadway there is to be a sidewalk, a boulevard and parking space between the paved drive.

Further Long Term Plan

A further long term project called for the drive to be continued from Dundas to the lower bridge by means of a subway under the railway tracks by the river, to Pinnacle Park where it would connect again with Front Street. To accomplish this project the present retaining wall south of the lower bridge would have to be removed. According to the views of Municipal Board Engineer Mott, the intervening space back-filled with sand from the river bed.

This, it was considered, would provide the route and serve to help alleviate flood conditions through the subway. The river flowing to the bottom. The possibility of obtaining Government assistance in carrying out this project was seen.

It being pointed out that the present bridge was only 30 feet in width the lower bridge was government constructed through the harbor commission.

Question of Entrance.

A second suggestion for gaining a more suitable entrance to the driveway on upper Front Street was forwarded by Ald. O. Butler, who proposed continued northward from Bridge Street on the river retaining wall beyond the present Front Street to extend past the Public Machinery and Supply Company would then be enabled to continue the drive northward from Bridge Street property and the river to gain access to the Front Street by the Belleville hall now standing.

If this plan could be carried out the city would be relieved of the necessity of purchasing property to obtain an entrance from Bridge Street. It was felt the money thus saved could be applied to the actual construction of a new first hall.

Roadway at Footbridge Gangway.

It was the contention of Alderman Clapp that the increased value of property on both sides of the roadway being built would more than compensate for the cost of the project.

The possibility of traffic congestion on the Bridge Street entrance to the drive was also given considerable discussion. It was contended that there would almost certainly be traffic on Bridge Street would prevent traffic from Front Street. Plans call for the raising of the Canadian Canning Co. estate building on Bridge Street to effect a driveway there.

Objection to North Entrance.

The proposed north entrance to the drive past the Dundas Street intersection drew opposition from Mr. Weller Allen who contended that the property owners should bear the cost of the driveway construction, he said.

Alderman Woodley indicated that although a reason of the taxpayers willingness to approve of the project, the sanction of the Municipal Board would have to be assured.

Alderman Pollard said that something worthwhile had come out of the meeting and that the numbers present indicated an interest in the project.

It was decided to have the city engineer bring plans of the roadway up-to-date to include the suggestions which had been brought forward and to hold another meeting of taxpayers in another fortnight's time.

Television Not Likely for Many Years After War Kiwanis Told

Due to the comparative sparsity when he stated that in 1927 only of population in Canada and the 30,000 machines were made in the tremendous expense in setting up a Dominion, but in 1940, the year in fully cover the Dominion, radio industry does not look for general which domestic production adoption of television in Canada for ceased owing to material going for many years after the war.

This was the statement made by war production, there were 1,000,000 to members of the local Kiwanis machines made in Canada, and Club at its weekly luncheon meeting on Tuesday noon by Mr. George Brooks, Belleville radio dealer, who local Stewart-Warner-Alemite Corporation in Canada, Ltd., as he spoke up to radio as it is known today, and of the part it has played in the associated industries which have been formed since the beginning of the present war.

Speaking with the knowledge of a man who has made radio his life's work, Mr. Brooks exploded the common theory that with current radio equipment would be obsolete when television was actually available after the war.

Contrary to the popular impression the war has brought very few developments in actual radio communication; rather research has been responsible for development of radio allied equipment, such as radar, and many others still on the secret list, he said.

Beauty of Many Men's Work.

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Difficulties of Television.

Difficulties of television broadcast in Canada, were declared to result because of the short waves bands through which the screen pictures are transmitted are separated stations necessary. Television cannot be introduced as is the case with radio.

Only Practical Theatre.

At present radio television was only practical in densely populated areas, while in the sparsely settled areas, which do not the faintest idea as to when or where or if television would be generally adopted.

Only practical theatre was introduced by "Vic" White with introduced by Mark Vanner, President Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, and Harold Nevin at the piano and Harold Gerrard acting as song leader. Pilight-Lieut. James Shortland, D.F.C., recently returned from overseas after completing an operational tour as bomber pilot, was a guest at the luncheon.

Trenton and District

Red Cross Rooms Hive of Activity, Helpers Needed

Trenton — The making of plastic surgery boots occupied many of the ladies at the Red Cross workroom on Tuesday while others were busy with knitting, sewing, sorting children's garments and other articles of clothing. Mrs. Ernest Hinchcliffe is in charge of the workroom and is in need of several fairly large shipping cases. Anyone having these for disposal to the Red Cross workroom, Mrs. Hinchcliffe requests. Helpers are needed to assist in the making of sewing and wool for knitting of army socks and service socks and sweaters.

Two delicious cakes donated, one by Mrs. W. Farley and one by Mrs. J. C. Orr were raffled and brought $10.50. W. J. Potts and Miss A. Hayes were the lucky ones.

The very useful and serviceable quilt was donated by the Belleville Women's Auxiliary. Another donation was a quilt, a large quantity of knitted garments.

Regular Meeting

The regular working period the regular monthly meeting of the Trenton Chapter, I.O.D.E. Mrs. Joyce in the chair. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and correspondence read. Several bills were presented from the various committees.

The following committee showed 433 articles packed during the month of May, sent at a total cost of $30.00. Mrs. Gerry Harmer Essage, Mrs. Ernest Chaney and Mrs. Ernest Hinchcliffe.

Mrs. Ernest Hinchcliffe, convener, reported that the Red Cross workroom would be open every Tuesday afternoon when all ladies are welcome to help.

Mrs. Joyce reported that the Junior Chapter had sent a parcel to the daughter of William Fuller, Louis Street, who was married on Saturday. Tuesday afternoon when a number of members alighted from a truck owned and driven by Donald Gerrard on Dundas Street directly in the path of a car driven by Constable Gerrard Stapley, Dundas St.

Mrs. Gerrard was thrown to the ground and was only a few feet from the car when it stopped to let the girl off. She is not badly injured directly in front of the Stapley car. Mr. Stapley applied the brakes of the snow bank to avoid striking her but the momentum carried the car from bumper knocked her down."

Magistrate Presides

Magistrate T. Y. Wills disposed of two cases in Trenton police court on Tuesday afternoon. Russell Robertson, Assistant Crown Attorney prosecuted.

Russell R. Phillips of Brighton was fined $100 and costs or three months in Kingston penitentiary on a charge of driving a car while his driving privilege was suspended for three months. He was arrested on Dundas St. by Sergeant J. C. Taylor of the Trenton police force. He was also fined two years on a charge of driving a motor vehicle while drunk, concurrently, and two years for driving while drunk, $50 and $5.50 on charges of uttering forged documents. He was given two years on each charge, to run concurrently. He was also charged with the theft of $50 and was given two years on each charge, to run concurrently.

Gerald F. Mizzle, recently released from Kingston penitentiary and arrested in the main street of Trenton on Friday last by Constables Crawford and Gerrard was charged with the theft of three cars and pleaded guilty to the first two charge and three years on each of charge, to run concurrently.

Herman W. Nicoll appeared on charges of passing worthless cheques, on the first charge of passing $30.00 cheque at Ford Motors and was fined $50 and costs or three months. He has twelve definite and six months "safetie" on the second charge. Nicoll is hence he was given the same sentence. Crown Attorney Robertson, and Constable Gerrard.

Ernest Hastings, Brantford, London, Ont., was fined $10.00 and costs on each of three was given three months in the penitentiary. He was defended by Allan McNab, barrister, of Trenton. Hastings was fined $10.00 and costs for breach of the Liquor Control Act and one traffic by-law case was assessed $5.00.

A man charged with two offences was fined $10.00 and costs on each charge.

A non-support case, defendant elected to pay $15.00 per week to his wife and sentence was suspended for six months.

Two cases of not sending their children to school, one was fined $5.00 and costs and the other charged for one week.

A fine of $10.00 for common assault, striking his daughter.

A fraud charge against Carman Windover was enlarged for two weeks.

Greek Minister To Canada Dies

Ottawa, Feb. 14 (CP) — Hon. Demetrius Dendramis, Greek minister to Canada, died here this morning after a brief illness.

Mr. Dendramis, first minister of Greece to Canada, was 56. His wife was with him when he died. His only yesterday he received a message of friends at the Greek legation. He and his wife came to Ottawa three years ago, when he was appointed envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of Greece to Canada.

Born in Athens he entered the diplomatic service of Greece in 1906, serving successively in the capitals of Rumania, Bulgaria, Egypt and Italy. France, Britain,

IN MEMORIAM

FRAIN — In loving memory of our darling son, friend, boy, who passed away suddenly February 14th, 1942.

From our happy home and circle of friends
God has taken one we loved;
His is borne away from sin and sorrow
To a nobler rest above.

No one knows how much we miss him
No one but aching hearts can tell.
God has taken our loved one home
Jesus doeth all things well.
—Sadly missed by Mummy and Daddy.

BRENNEN — In loving memory of a dear mother, Mrs. Amelia Brennen, who died February 14th, 1942.

You're not forgotten, dear mother,
Nor will you ever be;
As long as life and memory last,
We will remember thee.
—Ever remembered by son James and family.

COLBURN — In loving memory of our dear father who passed away five years ago today, February 14th, 1940.

Gone, dear father, gone to rest
And left us sorrowing here behind;
We miss you at home, dear father,
And think of you with loving mind.
—Ever remembered by Reggie, Smith and Lois.

COLDEN — In loving memory of a husband and father who passed away three years ago today, February 14th, 1942.

Truly recalls sad memories
That never take away;
Where fond hearts are laid to rest
Time upon this earth we stay.
—Ever remembered by wife and son, Bobbie.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Lewis Wilson wishes to extend her sincere thanks and appreciation to her many relatives, friends and neighbors for acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and floral tributes extended to her during her recent bereavement in the loss of her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. James Danford and family wish to express their very sincere thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses shown each and every one of them during the illness and death of their beloved daughter and sister, Shirley. Also for the many floral tributes, cards of sympathy toward the family, in their hour of bereavement, and with spiritual and floral tributes, and to Rev. Dr. O'Neill for the services planned and assisted in the opening of the home, and for many messages of kindness and sympathy.

I wish to express my thanks in behalf of the staff, nurses and the Belleville General Hospital remembering me with flowers, personal visits and cards.
George Wood, Tyanboe.

BIRTH

DE GENOVA — In Belleville General Hospital on February 12th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. A. De Genova, a son—and friend Dad and William.

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DE GENOVA — At the Belleville General Hospital on Friday, February 2nd, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Foster (nee Hazel Reid) a son, Ian Reginald.

De MILLE — At Belleville General Hospital, on Tuesday, February 13th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil De Mille (nee Margaret Ann Hall), a son.

BENSON — To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Benson, 18 Earl Street, a son, on February 14th, 1945, in Belleville General Hospital.

DEATHS

BROWNSON — In the Prince Edward County Hospital, Picton, on Monday, February 12th, 1945, Carl A. Brownson, M.D., in his 74th year.

Resting at his late residence, King Street, Picton, on Thursday noon, February 15th, 1945, at 12 o'clock. Interment Glenwood Cemetery, Picton. P13-2t

WHELAN — In Belleville General Hospital on Tuesday, February 13th, Margaret Hannah, beloved wife of John Whelan, 122 Church Street, Belleville, Ontario, in her 41st year.

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member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling, and also of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Board of Managers for several years. The deep sense of unassuming nature he was held in the esteem by all who knew him and brought genuine feelings of regret at the sad close of friends and relatives.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his sorrowing wife, Elizabeth Ann (nee Hall); two sisters, Mrs. S. Holden, Stirling; Mrs. W. Middleton, Middleton; and two brothers, Roy Thompson, Kingston and George Watson, Sidney Township; another brother, Albert, predeceased him last year. Interment at Stirling.

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50	$1.00
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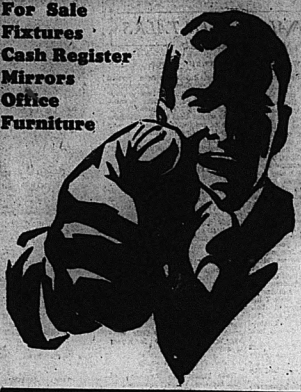
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One large rack of women's coats in all-wool suede cloth trimmed with squirrel. Colors are Black and Brown only. Sizes 20½ to 24½. Every coat is interlined and chamois lined. Also a few extra good tweeds. Sizes 38 - 44. Out they go!

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MISSES' DRESSES GROUP TWO

Made up in real good materials, such as Alpaca crepe, woolette, etc. Both dresses and suits in the lot. Colors are Grey, Green, Brown, Rust, Black, Sand. Sizes are mostly from 12 to 20. Reg. to $6.95. Out they go!

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About 20 coats in this lot in all wool materials, mostly Mannish cloth, with a few fur fabrics. Coats are interlined and chamois lined. Nearly all are the new Balmacan slamish styles. All shades and sizes in the lot. Out they go!

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$3.00

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$9.95

Sport Jackets and Suits

All wool tweed sport jackets, also a few suits. Good selling shades. Mostly small sizes. Value that was never offered before. Out they go!

$4.95



WINTER COATS GROUP THREE

You have never before been offered values like these. Smart Winter coats in all wool suede cloth, mostly trimmed with squirrel. All are chamois lined. All interlined. Some are: Black, Brown, Red, Brown, etc. All sizes from 12 to 20. Out they go!

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Big Three Decisions

Now the world knows in substance what the Big Three decisions reached at the Yalta Conference are. The United Nations, neutrals and the Germans and even Japan, which was not of course mentioned, know what is to come for the communique is a most comprehensive and constructive document with the aim of completing the defeat of Nazi Germany and bringing her to the dust as warmaker and also to pave the way to world peace with security.

The announcement bears the unmistakable evidence of the unity and harmony that have been the aim of the Allied Powers. The talks at Yalta reached the high water level of Allied agreement and achievement and the Allied world now looks forward to the grand achievement, the final defeat of Nazi Germany and the assurance that never again will Germany be able to raise her hand against liberty. Everywhere is seen the desire of the United Peoples to understand one another and to co-operate.

Plans have been laid to shorten the war with Germany and the Germans were told that Nazi tyranny is doomed and that they will only make their burden heavier by attempting to continue a hopeless resistance.

Germany is to be divided, the Conference decided, into occupation zones, each of Britain, United States and Russia occupying a zone and a commission will be broadened to take in France.

Formulae were agreed upon for the settling of the Polish issue and that of Yugoslavia.

A full dress conference of the Dumbarton Oaks plan for world organization will be held at San Francisco, beginning April 25th.

Foreign secretaries of the Big Three Nations will meet every three or four months to provide continual consultation of these Powers.

The Big Three will join in assisting any liberated people towards the attainment of their own choice of their government.

The leaders predicted that the Yalta Conference and the Dumbarton Oak Plan would "will provide the greatest opportunity in all history for the creation of a lasting peace, with freedom from want and fear."

Here is that the Big Three have agreed to do to Germany so it can never threaten the world again:

Disarm and disband all German armed forces.

Break up for all time the German general staff.

Remove or destroy all German military equipment.

Eliminate or control all German industry usable for military production.

Impose "just and swift punishment" for all war criminals.

Exact "reparation in kind" for German destruction. A commission will be established in Moscow to decide what Germany should pay in goods and labor.

Wipe out the Nazi party and "all Nazi and militarist influences."

News Heavy Blow to Germany

German propagandists' frantic attacks upon the announcements of the Big Three Conference at Yalta in the Crimea can be taken as the proof that the news from the Big Three parleys had reached the masses of the German people through Allied outlets and that the news was one of the greatest blows delivered at Nazism, Hitlerism and Prussian militarism. As the great armies of the Russians and the Western Allies are pressing in upon the German inside their defences the news of the absolute success of the meetings of the Big Three came over the radio with thunderous sound and like lightning to the German people who are in a position they never expected to occupy, with the Allied armies bearing the results of their victories swinging on into the Reich. The events of war on the field and the decisions of the conference of the United Nations were unusually well timed to unite and strike a deadly blow upon Hitlerite Germany.

The vehemence of the German propagandists' efforts to combat the news which had already reached the Germans through Allied broadcasts and their comment provided another indication of the plight of Germany the warlike, now headed for the plunge down into defeat. If the German commentators were taken back or nonplussed, (no one doubts that), it is easy to see why they are so for no power on earth has ever been felt in war to equal the Allied power called into being to cleanse the world of the militarists and warmakers.

The German commentators naturally hid from the German listeners the reference in the Allied announcements of aims. "It is not our purpose," the statement went, "to destroy the people of Germany," but the plan is to destroy Hitlerism and Nazism and militarism.

German propaganda has been given a terrible thrashing. It has by the very sweeps of Allied victory been compelled to tell something of the truth to explain why the United Nations' armies are on German soil. Formerly Nazi broadcasts were often complete lies, now because the propagandists know that the people know, they still distort the truth and fact but they are compelled by the very successes of the Allies to approach the facts. There has been noticed of late the readiness of the Germans to announce the progress of the Allied invasions of Germany, their purpose being of course to stir up the morale of the Germans for they know that they cannot hide the facts from the people.

The intensity of the German outbursts about the Yalta Conference of the Big Allied Three can be taken as a sign of the situation of Germany and her people as they approach the time that they never looked to see—the time when the Germany of Hitler and militarism will be prostrate.

For Japan's Overthrow

When the thoroughness of the Allied plans for the destruction of Nazism and Prussian militarism is considered and when the steady march of the Allied battalions and air and naval forces to triumph over the Huns is seen in every war theatre, when Allied unity of purpose is dominating the total effort of the powers of freedom, then the Japanese may well look with great anxiety upon the future of Nipponese tyranny.

On the way to Yalta in the Crimea to meet President Stalin, Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt stopped at Malta, reports state, to decide upon the fate of Japan. There is a hope that before long Russia may be standing with the Allies in war upon the Far Eastern military tyranny of Nippon.

The Allies are closing up on Japan and they have nearly completed their work for the removal of the German menace. So the war in the Pacific looms larger as a field of intensified Allied effort.

The Far Eastern tyrants should understand that their days are drawing to an end.

This winter moves steadily but the snow stays. Those who handle snow shovels have had the most labor of this kind that they can remember. Some folks or rather all have quite tired of the use of the shovel on the sidewalk and in the coal bin this winter and all can look forward with hope to another winter finding the city armed with small snowplows which will do most of the work or all of it that has hitherto been done by human brawn. At the same time they will know that there will not be so much anxiety about fuel as there has been of late.

Russian Moderation

(Winnipeg Free Press)

When the Red Army cleared northern Finland, its soldiers gave little time to northern Norway and pushed the Nazis out of that region of the country, too. Here, clearly, was an opportunity—if we are to believe the stories of Russia's ambition to engulf Europe—for the U.S.S.R. to establish themselves on the Atlantic seaboard.

Instead, what happened? Marshal Stalin asked Great Britain and the Norwegian government-in-exile to help him and his men of this task of occupation. He wanted to withdraw his men and to leave to the Norwegians and their British ally.

This is something for the world to remember, for it is evidence as it stands of a fundamental moderation in Russian policy, a moderation which, as it is pursued, will greatly enhance the prospects of a durable peace.

All grand thoughts come from the heart.—Vauvenargues.

JUST FOLKS

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By EDGAR A. GUEST

ASH WEDNESDAY.

With this Wednesday Lent's beginning;
Time of sorrow for our sinning!

May our souls today be shriven
And our sins be all forgiven!

'Tis the wish of mortals lowly
To receive God's blessing holy.

Lord, although it be not due us,
Grant this day forgiveness to us!

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"They not save time and electricity—There's nothing up in fingers that will fit you."

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

FEB. 14TH, 1925.

Mr. H. E. Fairfield, owing to pressure of business, has resigned as a director of the Belleville Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Charles T. Dolan, the well known druggist, has been elected in his place.

A. H. Watson, a highly esteemed resident of Madoc and editor and publisher of the Madoc Review for many years, died on Feb. 9th, which was his 77th. birthday.

At a meeting of the Tweed Board of Trade the following officers were elected: President, S. G. Way; Vice President, William O'Keefe; Directors, Wm. Rollins, W. E. Wagar, George Stokes, John Hall, J. D. Nevens, W. A. Donnelly, M. Martin, M. Seyers, E. Wright and F. McIlroy.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. R. C. Embury joined with him ill celebrating his 80th. anniversary birthday when they surprised him at his home on Cedar Street and made him a presentation accompanied by an address The gift was a handsome arm chair, and the address was signed on behalf of friends and neighbors by Messrs. John Bean, Cephas Martin, Manley Tufts, John Frazier, Anthony Farrell, Harry Freeman, Fred Fairman and Walter Corham.

30 YEARS AGO

FEB. 14TH., 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dixon of this city spent Sunday with friends in Brighton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Way, Hillside Street, spent Sunday with friends in Tweed.

The Rev. A. M. Hobby observes today the tenth anniversary of his pastorate at Emmanuel Church in this city.

The Rev. R. C. Blagrave, Rector of Christ Church, has been invited to become the Rector of St. Luke's Church in Peterboro. He has however, decided to remain as Christ Church.

At the annual meeting of the North Hastings County Orange Lodge which was held at Marmora, the following officers were elected: R. Rodgers, W.M.; John Ruthledge, D.M.; D. Fuller, Treasurer; F. Tait, Secretary; William Price, Chaplain; R. Vickers

SHOVEL SNOW ON 'CIVIC HOLIDAY'

Toronto, Feb. 14 — (CP) — One anonymous suggestion received by city council on snow removal requested that a civic holiday be declared and everyone be asked to shovel the snow in front of their homes and business establishments. "Let's do it on Civic Holicty Aug. 1," one council member commented.

NAZI SPOKESMAN SAYS HALF OF BRITISH WEST OF ENGLAND

London, Feb. 14 — (Reuters) — The Wilhelmshaven spokesman today said, that at least half of all British transmissions at present on the western front now were engaged in the fighting around Kleve. The spokesman was quoted by the German Transocean agency.

PEACE DEMONSTRATION

London, Feb. 14 — (CP) — A captured German soldier was quoted in a Moscow broadcast today as reporting that a large-scale peace demonstration occurred last week in Leipzig, and that the demonstrators were dispersed by Nazi fliers using tear gas.

WANTS INDUSTRY NATIONALIZED

Ottawa, Feb. 14 (CP)—Rev. Dr. James R. Mutchmore, Secretary of the Board of Evangelism and Social Service, United Church of Canada, in an address here last night outlined a program to implement a general council resolution endorsing the principle of nationalization of the liquor industry in Canada.

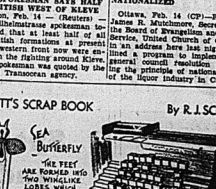
NO LINK IN MYSTERY CASES

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 14 (CP)—Hamilton police yesterday declared that there was neither a link in the Toronto slaying of Louis Wernick, gangland racketeer, with the disappearance of Joseph Perri and John Durso of Hamilton, and said they were investigating reports that Perri actually is living in Mexico.

TROUSERS BROUGHT HOME

London, Feb. 14 — (CP) — An R.A.F. pilot, back at his base after a neighboring attack on an enemy train, found a pair of German

FOOTWEAR AT JAP PRISON CAMP



Here is a collection of various types of footgear used by the survivors of Bataan and Corregidor at Camp Cabanatuan, terminal of the infamous march of death. With food issued on a slow starvation basis, shoes or clothing replacements for the Japs was unheard of. This evidence of Japanese atrocity was found by Americans who overran the camp site after the Limayen landings.

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

AW, PSHAW, BUTOR STILL HAS THE CHOUP

When I was a boy, doctor in the home, Butch has been exposed Penn Yan was considered a fair number of night calls to treat the croup throughout the fall, winter and early spring, and each summer a number of cases of typhoid fever which, at a dollar a visit, was all that is a thing of the past now but I know a lot of folks are saying that typhoid fever has become almost as rare as smallpox in Penn Yan or any other community of intelligent citizens. Croup is rare now, that I can't speak so confidently of whooping cough or grippe. I wonder if anyone else has noticed, as I have, a year ago, inferring that spasmodic croup and whooping cough must be pretty rare now, because I haven't had any requests for requests for remedies for relief of these troubles, whereas, I formerly received frequent requests for advice about it, in recent years there has been remarkably few requests for information or advice about croup, which brought immediate replies from several mothers who have had cases of children with croup—naturally, these mothers did not ask for my advice, since I had betrayed modern improved diet, nutrition, ventilation etc., and even intelligence, as parents to explain why modern children do not have croup.

Now comes Mrs. I. P., who says her child has had croup every little while, although not severe enough to call a doctor, as ever had any sign of it. She asks if

Butch may mean well, but nevertheless he puts the finishing touch to quandary; Unless Butch has been most unusually careful, he must have betrayed modern improved diet, nutrition, ventilation etc., and even intelligence, as parents to explain why modern children do not have croup.

Answer—I hope I make it clear in the pamphlet "The Hair and Scalp" which I am sending (self stamped self addressed envelope) that any effort to provide the anti-grey hair vitamins on gray hair is a waste of time. Consequence or, say, the manifestation, of heredity, constitution and vita. Don't begin taking any of the hair vitamins unless you carry on for a year at any rate.

(Mrs. W. S.)

Answer—Dr. Blair's clear on the pamphlet "The Hair and Scalp" which I am sending (self stamped self addressed envelope) that any effort to provide the anti-grey hair vitamins on gray hair is a waste of time. Consequence or, say, the manifestation, of heredity, constitution and vita. Don't begin taking any of the hair vitamins unless you carry on for a year at any rate.

Boniea

Have bunions on the joints of both big toes. What will remove or dissolve them? (V.L.)

Answer—Surgery. Bunion is not an external condition such as corn, wart or callus, but a partial dislocation of the great toe joint. Surgery is recommended if is far cheaper than letting it cripple you or letting it continue to give you pain and discomfort.

Never Heard of It

On trying to get copperas (sulfate of iron) in several drug stores in our neighborhood we were met with astonished stares. They had never heard of it, and can't be blamed for not in confusion. (E. J. W.)

Answer—Any druggist who has ever heard of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia—and that is a "must" for all druggists—knows or should know that copperas and green vitriol are common names for iron sulfate and that it is the U.S.P., and British Pharmacopoeia for iron sulfate.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

WHAT IS A WEED?

"Weed," which is of unknown origin, is a term of reproach here.

In the most widely accepted sense, a weed is any troublesome and useless plant that grows in cultivated ground to the injury of the crop or the benefit thereof in the soil.

The Oxford dictionary defines the term as "a worthless plant not valued for use or beauty, growing wild and rank, and regarded as cumbering the ground or hindering the growth of superior vegetation."

Shakespeare, in Henry V, refers to "such plants as lacking both beauty and utility."

But in another sense, any plant growing where it is not wanted is regarded as a weed, because a plant might be a weed in one place and not a weed in another. Even a corn plant growing in a flower bed would be a weed; the same plant in a corn field would not be so regarded.

On this subject the U. S. Department of Agriculture says: "A weed is defined as any unwanted plant, or a plant out of place. The definition of a garden flower changes as it is treated ground to the injury of the crop, or the benefit thereof in the soil.

"A weed is a weed. Many other definitions might be given, but one set of conditions and pests under other circumstances, places and times is weeds. When valuable, they are not weeds.

In the more popular sense, however, "weed" signifies a plant-in itself noxious or troublesome, irrespective of where it grows. Emerson wrote: "What is a weed? A plant whose virtues have not been discovered."

"Weed" in such phrases as "pearly weed," which is derived from an Anglo-Saxon root meaning "to weave" and is not related to "weed" in the sense of an obnoxious plant. Formerly clothes in general were called "weeds."

200 PRISONERS SHOT

New York, Feb. 14 — (CP)—The Germans have shot 200 Russian prisoners of war at Harland in Northwest Norway for "sabotage in the large fortifications at Kraakenes-fjord," Harald the Black-holm newspaper Svenska Dagbladet said today in a dispatch reported by the Office of War Information.

AIR TRANSPORT HEAD



Air Marshal the Hon. Sir Ralph A. Cochrane, who succeeds Air Chief Marshal Sir Frederick Bowhill as air officer commanding-in-chief, Royal Air Force Transport Command, which had its origin in Canada, and is now represented in Canada by No. 45 group at Dorval, Montreal, with routes to Europe, Africa, Asia and Australia.

ZERO HOUR



Ready for action, these Canadians wait in their trench for orders in the new offensive on the Zuider-zee front. With other men of the 1st Canadian Army, they are now on the move into Germany.

Chaplain's Assistant



Believed to be the first woman to serve in such a capacity, Miss Ethel Wilson, of Harrogate, Eng., will serve abroad as chaplain's assistant. She is assigned to East Africa on an ENSA welfare commission, during which she will help with the spiritual and welfare troubles of Britain's three women services in that theatre.

THIRTY WANT TO RETURN

Montreal, Feb. 14 (CP)—Thirty Canadian Nationals in the Montreal German camp have signified their desire to return to Germany whenever arrangements can be made for their exchange, it was learned here. Most of those persons who have made application are persons interned early in the war and subsequently released.

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SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT

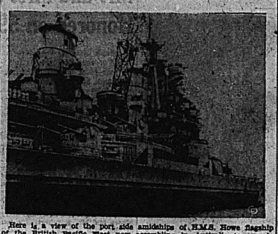


RED ARMY TANKS RUMBLE THROUGH GERMAN SILESIA



Powerful Russian tanks are shown rumbling from this sector through Oleiwitz in German Silesia in the great drive has reached the outskirts of Liegnitz, important drive toward the heart of Germany. Latest reports German communications centre.

FLAGSHIP OF BRITISH PACIFIC FLEET



Here is a view of the port side amidships of H.M.S. Howe flagship of the British Pacific Fleet now assembling in Australia to operate against the Japanese. Members of the crew may be seen standing to attention as the powerful warship entered Sydney harbor.

U. S. BOMBERS STRIKE JAP SHIPPING IN HONG KONG HARBOR



This is Hong Kong harbor under attack by planes of Vice-Admiral John S. McCain's fast carrier force. The photo was made by one of the attacking planes as the bombers scored hits on Jap shipping in the harbor on Jan. 16. The vessel in foreground has been hit badly and is smoking. A great geyser rises beside another, marking a near miss.

White's District

White's District. — The Official Board of the Bayside Pastoral Charge held its regular quarterly meeting at Wesley United Church on Monday evening with a good attendance. The Rev. A. C. McCallum, minister of the charge, presided, while Mr. H. M. Rutter, secretary of the Official Board was also in attendance. The reports as submitted by the representatives of each congregation were very encouraging, each congregational Treasurer carrying over a balance into the current year. The three Women's Associations reported as having raised the grand total of $580. The two Missionary Societies sent to the Presbyterial Treasurer $167, while the total givings to the Missionary and Maintenance Fund amounted to $150. Young People's Union and Sunday Schools reported receipts of over $200. The sessions also reported an increased membership of the churches by profession of faith.

It was decided to accept the new regulations for the Ministers' Pensions' Fund. Mr. George Short was re-elected Lay Representative to Presbytery and Mr. H. M. Rutter, secretary of the Official Board for the ensuing year. A hearty vote of appreciation was extended to Rev. A. C. McCallum for his services and an invitation to remain another year. Mr. McCallum thanked all for their co-operation and paid a fine tribute to the Rev. J. M. Spence, his immediate predecessor on the charge.

Personals.

Miss Dorothy Stanley of Trenton, was a Sunday visitor of Cpl. Clare Millar and Mrs. Millar.

Mr. George Bilham opened her home on Friday afternoon and evening for a quilting.

Mrs. Bramhall, of Belleville, was a weekend visitor of her sister, Mrs. A. Ketcheson.

Sunday School and Church Services were conducted at White's Church on Sunday afternoon. At the conclusion of the Sunday afternoon, At the conclusion of the Sunday School the Rev. A. C. McCallum gave a Temperance talk to the young people.

Bayside Women's Missionary Society.

On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Mooney and the Rev. A. C. McCallum opened their home for the February meeting of the Bayside Women's Missionary Society with the President, Mrs. Glenn Meyers, in charge. There was a good attendance of members. It was decided to hold a banner and home-cooking sale at the regular meeting during Easter week to be held in the evening. Mr. McCallum was asked to speak on this occasion, when he will relate some interesting experiences. Mrs. George Bush, a new member, now residing in Belleville, gave an invitation to the Society to meet at her home for World Day of Prayer. The offering for the year was made out. The Roll Call was answered by most of the members paying their dues. Mrs. Mooney served delicious refreshments and a social time was enjoyed.

SAYS GERMANS USE CRIMINALS TO FIRE V-2 PROJECTILES

In Liberated Holland, Feb. 14—(CP)—Anela)—A person who escaped from German-held Holland reported Tuesday that the Germans were using their criminals to fire V-2 rocket projectiles at Britain. He said he knew of prisoners who had had their sentences commuted because they had taken part in firing the missiles.

Tweed

Tweed.—After being closed for about a month undergoing extensive repairs, Rupert's Rexall Drug Store opened its doors again last week after installing a very modern appearance.

The heavy snow played havoc with the roofs of buildings in town over the weekend.

The roof caved in on a barn at the Hupck's hotel, and snow sliding off the roof of Mr. A. C. Blakely's furniture store took the eave trough and part of the ridge board with it.

Mr. Clarence Elliott is confined to Belleville General Hospital, for a few days due to an injury to his leg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Finley of Trenton, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. John Colgan and Mr. Colgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Chase of Frankford, spent from Thursday to Saturday in Toronto, attending the Ice Capades and the hockey game in Maple Leaf Gardens.

Mrs. Lionel Peake and daughter Carol, of Smithfield, Ont., are spending a few days with Mrs. Peake's sister, Mrs. John Colgan and Mr. Colgan.

Mr. L. Newton of Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. John Newton.

Soldiers from Camp of Marlbank, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. Ketcheson.

Mr. George Stokes, M.P., and Mrs. Stokes, Belleville, are spending a few days with the latter's mother, Mrs. W. H. Craig, who is confined to her bed through illness.

TORONTO STREETS BETTER

Toronto, Feb. 14 (CP)—Despite the fact the street department has 220 men and 126 trucks clearing the streets of ice compared to a pre-war staff of 4,000 to 5,000 men and 600 trucks, 300 miles of Toronto's 870 miles of roads are in splendid travelling condition, street commissioner H. D. Bradley said.

Gore

Gore.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brickman opened their home to the members of Centre and Victoria forum on Monday evening with a good attendance. Following the usual broadcast and discussion the remainder of the evening was spent in playing euchre.

Lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Kenneth Green and Mrs. Earl Fox. After much social intercourse all departed expressing thanking Mr. and Mrs. Brickman for the very enjoyable evening.

Sunday School was well attended at Centre Church on Sunday morning, with an attendance of forty.

A missionary program followed Sunday School with Mrs. Earl Fox in charge. The program opened with the hymn followed by the Call to Worship being given by Barbara Keeler, Leo Fox then gave a guitar solo. The Old Rugged Cross with Sybil Redner reading the meditation.

Mrs. Earl Fox read the story "A Chinese Heroine".

Offering was taken by Joe Smith followed by all singing a hymn. Meeting closed by the use of the benediction.

Girls' Club.

The members of Centre Girls' Club were entertained at the home of Misses Anita, Barbara and Sybil Redner on Saturday evening of last week.

Mrs. Roy Brickman and Margaret spent Thursday evening of last week with Mrs. Earl Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brooks were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Greer and all motored to Bethel in the evening to attend play and pie social held at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Redner and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Barber, Mountain View, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Wilma Redner of Redneysville, was an overnight guest of Anita, Barbara and Sybil Redner, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox and Leo, spent the Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert McCurdy and family, West Huntingdon, and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCurdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Green, Jimmie and George, West Huntingdon, were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Green, Saturday evening.

Miss Barbara Redner spent Sunday with Miss Wilma Redner, Redneyville.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Waterhouse on the arrival of a baby girl, at Belleville General Hospital on February ninth.

Mr. Clayton Pulver of Picton, is visiting at the homes of Messrs. Herb. Melvin and Avra Pulver.

The large maintainer was kept busy plowing the Gore Road on Wednesday and Thursday. The men folk were also kept busy shovelling making it necessary to work until two a.m. on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Black spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pulver of Picton.

Those who attended the Junior Farmers' Euchre party held at Picton on Thursday evening were Morris Pulver, Anita Redner, Harold Noyes, Dorothy Noyes from this Street.

Mr. Willie Fox is very busily engaged at carpenter work at Mr. Roy Anderson's.

Crofton

Crofton.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Sellsbury and Janet, and Mrs. Ernest Crook, were dinner hour guests of their sister, Mrs. Chas. Haight at Belleville.

Mr. Chas. Wood, of Belleville, spent on Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Munro on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jones, of Bellevue, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Jones.

Mrs. W. V. Bongard and Shirley, of Glenora, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bongard.

L.-Cpl. Betty Bongard of the C.W.A.C., at Ottawa, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bongard and Jarrold.

Mr. Norman Morden called on Mrs. H. H. Parsons and family on Saturday evening.

Mrs. B. Jones called on Mrs. Ernest Crook on Monday afternoon.

Albury

Albury—The Albury Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Earl Bonter on Tuesday afternoon with a good attendance. Miss Hattie Peck took charge of the meeting. Mrs. Earl Bonter won the note paper donated by Mrs. Hugh Russell. A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Bonter for opening her home for the meeting.

Mrs. Earl Cenderdonk has been entertaining her sister and baby from Belleville for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stevenson spent the tea hour on Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonter.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Dempsey called on Mr. and Mrs. B. Peck on Friday evening.

Mrs. Hugh Weese spent the weekend in Cobourg with her sister and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Peck spent the weekend in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. E. Watson. They had received word of their son, Bill being shining after air operations in Holland on January 20. It is hoped Mr. and Mrs. Walkom receive better news soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Alyea and family, spent Sunday with Mrs. John Cleworth and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Russell and Nancy, Mrs. Carl Williamson and Ronald, spent the dinner hour on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Russell.

Thomasburg

Thomasburg. — Mrs. John Preston, of the 4th Line, was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Emerson.

Mr. Raymond Geen, of Frankford, spent last week with Mr. Cecil Geen.

Miss Edna Reid of Tweed, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams and family.

Mr. Ervine Bateman spent a few days in Toronto with Mrs. Bateman, and Mr. and Mrs. Herold Morton and other relatives there.

Mrs. Will Phillips visited Mrs. Thomas Emerson one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sherry and Burton, were visitors on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Reid and Mr. J. H. Blakely.

Mrs. Earl Carter of Toronto, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Clare Carter.

Miss Betty Burley of Roslin, is staying for a time with Miss Margaret Grills and continuing to attend school at Roslin, going to and fro on the bus since her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grantley Burley, have taken up residence in Belleville.

FRANCE'S POSITION ON COLONIES' STATUS

Paris, Feb. 14 (AP)—Gen. De Gaulle is expected to announce France's position regarding the status of her colonies in an address before the Geographical Society Thursday, government sources said. It is believed he will advocate unrelaxed control of the colonies by the government.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH HAS MUMPS

London, Feb. 14 (CP)—Princess Elizabeth, who is 18, has the mumps it was announced. Princess Margaret Rose, 14, has just recovered from a similar illness.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Joseph Kelleher has returned home after attending the funeral of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Kelleher, in Wallaceton.

Mrs. Dorothy Grant, Kershimer Avenue, has received a cable from her son, Pte. Carl Grant, informing him of his arrival overseas.

Cpl. Trene Camken and Cpl. Mary Camken, R.C.A.F., (W.D.), have returned to their duties after a week spent in Washington, D.C.

R. J. Begley, of Peterborough, recently celebrated his eighteenth birthday. He is the son of the late Mr. Patrick Begley and Mary Ward, and was born in Marmora, but lives in Peterborough, when he was fifteen years old.

About sixty Intermediate girls and Rudyprad boys of the "Y" held a Valentine's party on the gym floor on Tuesday evening. The gym was decorated for the occasion and presented cozy surroundings for the group games and dancing that constituted the social part of the evening. Miss M. Meeks and O. De Groote assisted in conducting the program. The prize winners were were Joan Gardiner, Wright and Don Yaleman, simultaneous dance, Peggy Fraser and Lloyd Gladwell and broom and Mary Thomas and Bob Sconbiers. Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Mr. John Morton, Moira, left for his home by ambulance today after being a patient at the Belleville General Hospital for the past ten days.

T.O.G. Club

The regular monthly meeting of the T.O.G. Club was held in the Tuesday evening. At the home of Mrs. Marion Demorest. The evening was in charge of Mrs. Marion Demorest and Mrs. Evelyn Wood. Bingo was played with a short discussion period and meanwhile the girls worked on the layette. Mrs. Evelyn Wood and Mrs. Marion Demorest received prizes for high worship service. A very enjoyable evening was spent playing bingo and later refreshments were served. The meeting closed with prayer.

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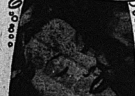
Paris, February 24 —(Reuters)— France has agreed to take part in the occupation of Germany and the Commander of the Berlin Control Council to proceed at once to Paris Henri Tanguy, French information minister announced yesterday.

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WEDDINGS

PHILLIPS—DESHANE

Thomasburg—A pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. W. H. Baugh on Tuesday, January 23, at 4 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deshane, Marlbank, when their youngest daughter, Irene Deshane, became the bride of Mr. Leslie Roy Phillips, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Phillips and the late Mr. Wilson Phillips, Thomasburg.

The bride looked charming in a floor length gown of white satin brocade with long pointed sleeves and deep sweetheart neckline. Her shoulder length veil was caught to a white ostrich plume and her bouquet was pink carnations and maiden hair fern. She was given in marriage by her father.

The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. George Young, Mrs. Young, sister of the bride, wore a gown of ashrose blue georgette and also carried pink roses and maidenhair fern.

The groom's gift to the bride was a chest of silver; to the bridesmaid a gold locket and to the groomsman, a gold collar and tie pin.

A wedding supper was served to relatives and friends. Later a shower was held in the Orange Hall, which was attended by a large number of friends of the bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips left the following day on a wedding trip to Toronto and Hamilton.

On Thursday evening last, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips were honored by a reception in the Cobdallows Hall, Thomasburg, when they were presented with many useful gifts from their friends here.

KELLY—LAHEY

A very impressive ceremony took place at St. Michael's Cathedral, Belleville, on Saturday, February 3, when Lt. Ian Gladwell, second daughter of Mrs. Lahey and the late Wm. Lahey, was united in wedlock to George Leo Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Catherine Kelly, and the late Andrew Kelly, of Stone.

Rev. Monsignor Nicolson performed the nuptial mass and the ceremony.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, Pte. Jack Lahey, who also gave her away. Beautiful Bridal March played by Sister Mary Athana, sister of the groom.

Her niece, Lieut. (W.O.S.) Margaret O'Connell, of Petawawa Military Hospital, sang very sweetly, "O Perfect Love," "The Beautiful Garden," and L-Cpl. J. R. Gerol, of Camp Borden, rendered "O Sacred Head Divine", and other appropriate hymns.

The bride wore a two-piece ensemble of brown wool crepe with touches of green and gold, the accessories to correspond. She carried a shower bouquet of red roses and white carnations.

Miss Gwen Burley, of Belleville, was bridesmaid and looked charming in a floor length gown of copen blue crepe gown, embroidered with pearls and sequins, and a shoulder length veil of tulle fell in graceful folds from a coronet of pearl blossoms. She carried a beautiful bouquet of white carnations and red rose and greenpeas. Her only ornament was a gift from the groom

PICTON

Skating Carnival Held by Kinsmen Attracts Crowd

Picton, Feb. 14—Sponsored by the Kinsmen Club, a skating carnival at Picton arena attracted a large throng. Proceeds were for the Milk-for-Britain Fund. A football game between Kinsmen and Rotarians provided runoff amusement. Picton band with members dressed as ladies, provided music. Many of the skaters were in costume. Prizes were won by Elinor Storms, Anne Vandervoort, Ian Jurk, Barbara Cornelius, Bob Webster, A. Pearsall, John Webster, Stewart Bovyer, Doreen McKinnon, Donna Rasel-wood, Arnold Covert, Lee Palmateer, Lois Lehigh, Marcia Minaker, Grace Johnson. Prizes for best skaters went to Jean Hodges and R. Roland.

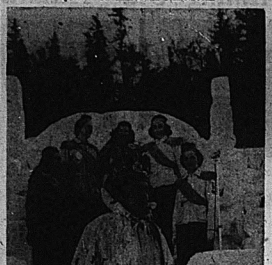
Members of Picton Post 78 Canadian Legion and Auxiliary, with several guests, enjoyed in all, a banquet at the Globe hotel. Legion President Frank Starr presided and during the evening he was presented with a fountain pen in appreciation of his five years' service as head of this live organization.

Two minutes silence was observed in memory of fallen comrades.

Toasts were, the King, the Legion by Mrs. D. Sayers and John Guest; Ladies' Auxiliary, Mrs. Heinman and Mrs. James Hodges; Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, Arthur Fraser and W. Branscombe; Rotary Club, Dr. G. Allison and A.W. Heinman; Kinsmen Club, F. Rorabeck and Dayton Way.

S. G. Lockyer led in a sing-song.

QUEEN OF KENORA CARNIVAL



Pat Odam was chosen Queen of the Snows at the Kenora winter carnival. A week's vacation in Chicago was her prize.

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RUSSIAN LETTER

Written for The Canadian Press by Eva K. Nepemnyaschy

Moscow, Feb. 14 (CP)—Winter sports on an organized basis are part of the Russian scene again for the first time since the war against Germany began.

Skiing is the major interest of sports-minded Russians and ski jumps have been built in many areas. There has been widespread training in volunteer skiing instructors who, in turn, are training novices.

Millions of collective farmers who participate in the traditional skiruns held by youth and sports organizations—events which in peacetime drew 2,000,000 to 6,000,000 contestants annually.

But not only rural areas have prepared for winter fun. In Moscow 17 sports clubs and 150 industrial enterprises have opened ski stations and others were prepared by army recruiting depots. Big skating rinks are open for adults and 250 rinks have been built in children's parks through the city.

The first frosts and snow came early in December and skiers in Moscow, Kemerovo and cities through the Urals began their training. Sverdlovsk was the first to hold races, with students of the industrial training school there as contestants.

Sport is emphasized as part of the Red army training program and one army unit, typical of many through Russia, held ski races after the first snowfall, with the entire personnel participating.

But aside from the organized skiing and skating program is the larger sports participation by the men and women who this year find themselves able to devote more time to relaxation than in the previous war years.

Universities plundered and burned by the Germans during the occupation of the Ukraine are functioning again

More than 36,000 students have taken up studies in six universities, 20 collegiates and 17 normal schools. The restoration of higher schools will be continued during the next year and, it is determined that it shall be a year of normal study.

Poltava, Zaporozhye, Chernigov, Lutsky and Kremenchug university varsities were razed and the main building of Kiev university was blown up and burned. Kiev's greatest scientific treasures were lost.

This year 9,200 students are studying in Kiev's 13 departments using buildings that were left standing. Three new departments have been opened, in philosophy, economics and international relations. Many of the students are men returned from the front lines.

Lvov university suffered heavy damage though not as much comparatively as Kiev's. Of 300 lecturers, teachers and professors were tortured and killed during the German occupation of the city. Now Lvov also is operating along with the colleges at Kharkov, Dnlepropetrovsk, Chernovtis and Odessa.

Allisonville

Allisonville—Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gamble and Patsy, were Wednesday evening last week callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warner McPaul and Mary Ellen.

Mrs. L.O.L. County Lodge meeting was held on Tuesday of last week in Picton at the L.O.L. Hall. The County was well represented.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson on the birth of a son at Prince Edward County Hospital on Sunday, February 11th.

Miss Beth Davis of Belleville spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Edith McPaul and family.

A large crowd attended the Organmen's dance held on Friday last.

Little Mary Ellen McPaul spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Donald Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton all motored to Belleville on Saturday.

Miss Beth Davis, of Belleville, called on Mrs. Ray Ferguson at Prince Edward County Hospital in Picton.

The township roads have been blocked due to high winds and snowfalls.

Everyone is glad to hear Gene Maxwell is feeling better after his fall at Bowerman's School.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Isteed and family, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Isteed and also with Mrs. Dan Isteed.

Mr. Clifford Isteed spent Sunday with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Miller.

Mohawk Reserve

Mohawk Reserve—Mrs. Mark Maracle returned on Friday from Belleville General Hospital, much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bell, Newfoundland, are guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell.

Mrs. S. Martin spent Saturday in Kingston.

Mr. Thomas Maracle was taken to Belleville General Hospital on Friday.

CAROLE MARLENE CLAUS.

The funeral of Carole Marlene, the two months' old daughter of Pte. Stafford and Mrs. Claus, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hearns, Deseronto, Monday afternoon. The body was placed in the vault at Deseronto, to await interment in Christ Church Cemetery in the Spring.

Murray Canal

Murray Canal— Miss Ruth Chapman spent last, weekend in Toronto and attended the Ice Follies.

Miss Mary Maines spent Sunday with Miss Ellen Lauder.

Mr. A. Flindall is confined to the house with a sprained ankle.

Mrs. F. Thompson spent last week with her mother Mrs. N. Innis.

Mrs. H. Simpson received word last week that her sister, Mrs. C. Bryant, Toronto, is confined to her home with a broken hip.

Mrs. R. Lauder spent Wednesday last week with Mrs. C. Wesse, Smithfield.

Harry Simpson died suddenly at his home Murray Canal, early Monday morning. He was a son of the late Dr. G. and Mrs. Simpson of Trenton, Death was caused by heart trouble. Services will be held at the home Thursday at 2 p.m.

Malone

Malone — Messrs. Ford Chambers, Russell Fox and Henry Wesse were in Belleville on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Walter Lowery, Doris, Myrtle and Donna spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wesse.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and son Garry spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wesse visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Fox last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Deline, Bessie, Doris and Jean also Mr. Cecil Long spent Saturday evening in town.

Mr. Cecil Long spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Deline.

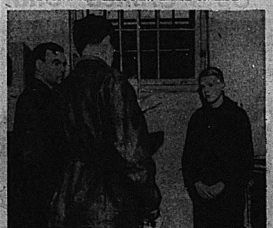
Miss Leta Kelly spent the weekend in Marmora.

Mr. Charles Kelly is filling his ice houses now. He reports good ice.

REQUESTS REJECTED

Toronto, Feb. 14 (CP)—Requests for increase in maximum salaries to teaching staffs of Toronto public schools and collegiates were rejected by the Board of Education's finance committee. It was stated the increases would cost the taxpayers $56,700 this year. Among applications for an increase of $140,000 to the salaries of the non-teaching staffs were also rejected.

YOUNG SPY GETS NEW LEASE ON LIFE



Karl Arno Puneier, 16, a Hitler youth leader, of Morschatz, Germany, stands, white-faced, as he hears the words that mean life for him. The boy was sentenced to death as a spy. He was convicted of going through American lines and reporting American activity to the Germans. Lieut.-Gen. Courtney Hodges, commander of the U. S. First Army, commuted the sentence to life imprisonment. At left above, Maj. James D. Clemens, from Bowling Green, Mo., executes for the firing squad Pvt. Eric Hartmann, of Albany, N.Y., an interpreter, ready the commutation of sentence.

MANPOWER SHORTAGE KILLS PARAE OF DRAGON

New York, Feb. 14 (AP)— The manpower shortage, not St. George, has killed off Chinatown's dragon. Continuity there would be a parade, fire day of the Chinese lunar calendar year of 4643—with a weaving 100 foot ceremonial dragon manned by a crew of 20. Last year the dragon had shrunk to 15 feet and three men. This year: No dragon, no parade.

APPEALS FOR TOLERANCE

Toronto, Feb. 14 (CP)—Mitchell Hepburn, former Premier of Ontario and leader of the Liberal party in the provincial legislature, in an address here appealed for tolerance by all English-speaking Canadians for French-Canadians and criticized all who were "trying for personal aggrandizement to drive a wedge between the two groups."

Band Concert At St. Michael's Much Enjoyed

On Sunday evening in the auditorium of St. Michael's Academy, music lovers enjoyed a rare treat, in the concert presented by the Municipal Band.

This aggregation of talented musicians, gave a very appreciative audience, a concert, whose, every number was of exceptional merit. Band soloists included cornet, Mr. James Elliot, euphonium, Mr. Bob Stebbins. Of special interest were the compositions of Mr. R. Hinchey, preceded by an interpretation by Mr. Johnson.

Mr. Harold Barrett well known baritone, gave two vocal numbers with Mrs. Barrett at the piano.

Reverend Father Baker expressed to the band members the grateful appreciation of those present.

Norman Kalnay of St. Michael's Academy, welcomed the players in the name of St. Michael's band, in whose name he presented the Municipal Band gracioulsy presented this concert.

CREDIT GIVEN BUSH PILOTS

London, Feb. 14 (CP)—Giving credit to bush pilots, barnstormers and skywriters as pioneers of the R.A.F. transport demand's ocean ferry, the Air Ministry said how the Atlantic had been mastered in flying land-based planes non-stop across the ocean—boosting the number brought over from 36 in 1940 to 1,336 in 1943.

IWO JIMA PLASTERED

U.S.—Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Forward Area, Feb. 14 (AP)—Iwo Jima in the Volcano islands was plastered again Sunday by army heavy bombers, a fleet communique said. Five Japanese fighter planes were downed in the air. Army planes also struck Marcus island Sunday.

Mr. Churchill Wears New Headdress— Lambskin Shapka

Moscow, Feb. 14 (AP) — Prime Minister Churchill's latest headgear—a black lambskin shapka—has two advantages. In addition to keeping one's head warm it protects the top of the ears.

The wearer may even pull it down over his ears, but that is not good form.

Pictures from the Crimean conference showed the Prime Minister in the black headgear, of a type long worn by Moscow merchants and professional men. Foreign commissar Molotov often appears in the same kind of hat.

U.S. TO FURNISH COMPETITION

Toronto, Feb. 14 (CP)—Canada will meet keen competition from the United States in the British meat market after the war and unless livestock breeders not only maintain present quality but improve it they will not be able to retain their market, William F. Watson, assistant director of the livestock branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture said.

When Children's Eyes Are Bigger Than Their Stomachs...

There's the child who eats not just six or seven pieces of candy at these frosty, wonderful parties and celebrations, but twenty. Perhaps there is no need now to substitute dried fruit, nuts and candy for the sweets of peacetime, but it appears we have them feeling weak and "sick" instead. Let's remember that Children's Own Vitamin Tablets are designed for children from toddlers age to 12 years. They're so much easier to get at reasonable prices, relieve distress and betray about 10 times more vitamins A and D than the average cod liver oil. Get a bottle of the whole year well used the help of Children's Own Vitamin Tablets for the rest of your health ages today. Only 35¢ at your druggist. Make sure you get Children's Own Vitamin Tablets—your guarantee of a reliable product.

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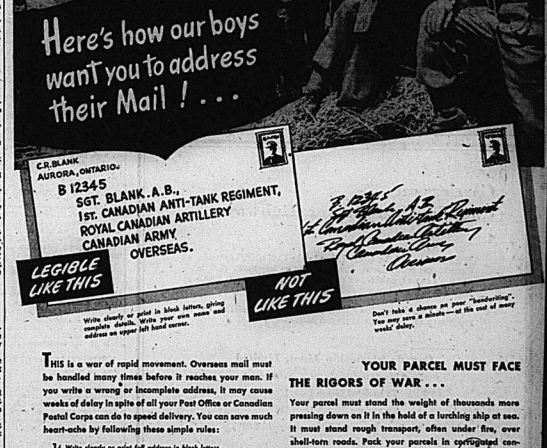
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"Big Three" Draw Up "Crimea Charter," Reaffirming Old "Atlantic Charter"



President Roosevelt, left, and Prime Minister Churchill hold a tete-a-tete over the teacups in the palace at Yalta, in the Crimea, Russia, during the conclave of the "Big Three."



A general view of the conference room in the Palace at Yalta. Stalin is seated at left, flanked by aides. At right, President Roosevelt, in plain business suit, sits with general of U. S. Army, George C. Marshall, and U. S. admiral, William D. Leahy. In left foreground, back to camera, is Prime Minister Churchill.



Prime Minister Churchill carefully selects a cigar during an interval at the conference at Yalta, while Premier Stalin smiles broadly.



Roosevelt and Stalin talk things over at the Crimea conference at Yalta, on the Black Sea.

AT CONFERENCE?



According to reports, Marshal Alexander Mikhailovitch Vasilevsky, chief of the Red army general staff and second only to Marshal Stalin in the councils of the Soviet Union, took part in the Crimea conference of President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Marshal Stalin at Yalta. Vasilevsky, a Cossack who served in the last war, is a chess player of championship calibre who once said that "an army commander must be an artist as well as a scientist."



U. S. Secretary of State Stettinius, left, Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov of U.S.S.R., Prime Minister Churchill, at salute and President Roosevelt in a jeep, his hat doffed, during the playing of the Russian National Anthem at Yalta airport.

AIRMAN KILLED

Winnipeg, Feb. 14 —(CP)— Sgt. J. D. Douglas of Toronto was killed late Monday when an R.C.A.F. training plane crashed near Unity, Sask. A second airman, a student pilot, killed in the crash, was from overseas.

HORSES WRECK CAR

Peterboro, Ont., Feb. 14 — (CP)— There was a man-bites-dog twist to an accident here when a team of horses collided with an automobile. The horses trotted off and the car was towed away, with a smashed-in radiator and fenders.

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PRESENTS BOUQUET

Moscow, Feb. 14 — (AP)— Edward R. Stettinius, United States Secretary of State, turned up at the Moscow ballet last night with a 2,000 ruble bouquet for its blonde star and received an ovation from the packed house led by beaming Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov. At the diplomatic exchange rate, 2,000 rubles would be approximately $600.

VALVE DESIGNED BY FLYER

Toronto, Feb. 14 — (CP) — The Canadian or Allied pilot scooting along about 30,000 feet in the air can thank the fish and beaver in Ontario's husklands for a gadget on his oxygen mask which guarantees him sufficient life-giving air. The gadget, an automatic oxygen valve, was developed for the R.C.A.F. by Sqdn. Ldr. F. R. J. Fry of suburban Weston from the knowledge he gained studying respiratory systems of fish and animals.

266,000 JAPS ISOLATED

Washington, Feb. 14 — (AP) — Estimates of Japanese troops virtually isolated on Pacific islands run up to 266,000, a navy spokesman said yesterday. Many of them have supplies on hand for extended resistance. On some of the smaller islands, however, the Japanese were described as "dying on the vine" for lack of outside help.

VATICAN DENIES REPORT

London, Feb. 14 (CP)—The Vatican radio, quoting the Vatican City newspaper, L'Osservatore Romano, denied recent Russian assertions that Pope Pius XII favored a "soft" peace and said allegations of friendliness between the Axis and the Vatican were "pure inventions."

POPE GRANTS AUDIENCE

Vatican City, Feb. 14 — (AP) — Pope Pius in an audience granted 200 Allied army surgeons yesterday inferentially reiterated the olden expressed Roman Catholic stand against birth control and abortion.

ESCORT CARRIER LOST

Washington, Feb. 14 — (AP) — The escort aircraft carrier Commander Bay and the Long, a minesweeper, were sunk by enemy action in the Philippine area, a U.S. Navy communique said last night.

OBSERVATORY LIBRARIAN DIES

Ottawa, Feb. 14 — (CP)—Joseph Henry L'Abbe, 68, for more than 40 years librarian at the Dominion Observatory, died here Saturday. A native of Peterboro, Ont., Mr. L'Abbe was well-known in Ottawa district sport circles.

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION

Toronto, Feb. 14 — (CP) — The Liquor Authority Control Board of Ontario announced the indefinite suspension of the beer and wine authority of the New Windsor Hotel at Kingston. The announcement said the suspension was imposed because of "bad management."

WHITE PEPPER SHORTAGE

Niagara Falls, Ont., Feb. 14 (CP) —Shortage-weary United States citizens who have been flocking across the border to purchase supplies in Canadian stores are really after "hot" stuff now—white pepper. There is a shortage of the spice in upper New York State.

PIGEON DROPS AS BOY SHOUTS "BANG"

Salt Lake City, Feb. 14 (AP) — Edward Reeves aimed a wooden gun at a flight of pigeons and shouted "bang, bang." To the astonishment of Edward and his younger companions at rural Butler, a pigeon fell dead. Older persons were convinced the pigeon suffered a heart attack.

WOMAN STREET CAR OPERATOR ACQUITTED

Toronto, Feb. 14 (CP)—Ruth Armstrong, Toronto street car operator, yesterday was acquitted by an Assize Court jury of a charge of manslaughter arising from the death last August of 15-year-old Stewart Golding. Golding was killed when a car Miss Armstrong was driving went through an open switch.

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Favorite Fashion Formula



By ALICE ALDEN

WHITE with accents of gold, cut on flowing, simple lines, uncluttered with extraneous detail, is an evening fashion formula that always works. It is the formula used for this lovely Sophie Gimbel design worn by movie actress Jodie Bishop. The design is Empire in feeling, the fabric white chiffon; the embroidery gold threads. The companion scarf sheer; a border design the same as that used for the cross bands on the bodice and shoulder straps of the dress bell design worn by movie actress Jodie

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Says Wife Not to Leave Him, While Squandering Money on Other Girls

Dear Miss Fairfax:

When I married my husband I worshipped him, but I was soon disillusioned. Where he is employed, the girls call him an easy mark. When cherry-s part of cigarettes they go to him, and borrow as much as ten and fifteen dollars and never pay it back. At noon he takes them to tavern and buys drinks.

He runs around with another married man and the two men take out women, after which I acquire him of these things and threaten to leave, he cries and pleads that I stay. My friends tell me if he cared for me he would buy me some clothes. I have absolutely nothing.

I want to take a job and buy my own things, but he doesn't want me to leave. He buys me all the things that go with night-life, but I prefer to stay at home. What do you suggest?

Miss D.

Your husband seems to be the type who wants to eat cake and have it, too. He pleads with you to stay with him, and yet he wastes his money foolishly and when you work him for a good thing. No self-respecting woman is supposed to put up with such behaviour. While jobs are going for the asking, why don't you take one of them?

Your letter is very intelligent; your typing excellent. You'd have no difficulty in finding a good job. Your independence may teach him to reform. If it does not, it is then up to you to decide what to do.

Talking Girl to A Movie Weekly Does Not Imply Engagement.

Dear Miss Fairfax:

My girl's father is the commanding officer (a Colonel) at a nearby base. I like the little girl very much. We were both 21 and in high school together. I took her to a dance or a movie every Friday night; her parents never objected.

After we graduated when we were both 18, I was drafted. We were pretty much in love by this time, and I gave her a ring. I was writing my uniform when her Dad sent for me, and when he asked me if I think I was a pup, just a candidate for the pound.

I explained to him if a girl went out regularly with a boy every week other guys stayed away, took it for an understanding. He said the understanding between us from now on was I should never come to his house or speak to his daughter again. I hear my girl took this very much to heart, and she stays home all the time, as she doesn't want to have to cut me dead. Was I right in thinking we were engaged.

L. G. T.

No matter how this affair turns out, and I'm terribly afraid it won't turn out the way you youngsters want it, it will remain with you even in old age as a heavenly experience.

But I have to agree with the Colonel that taking a girl out once a week does not constitute a hard and fast engagement, according to adult standards. It may, according to high school code, mean a hands-off policy. And other boys, unless they're highly courageous, will refrain from dating her. But an engagement—real or implied—does not hold as the result of a weekly date.

Teen-Age Play Dress



Basque blouse and skirts are made of jersey knitted from low rayon and wool. Colors are (with white) rose, brown, green and blue.

By PRUDELLA WOOD

THE PRETTY six-piece is wearing two pieces of a costume which owns three . . . and constitutes a complete week-end wardrobe for daytiming in the country. The misses' blouse and skirts are made of jersey knitted from low rayon and wool. Colors are (with white) rose, brown, green and blue.

A Royal Blue Season



Royal blue beach ensemble.

By VERA WINSTON

ROYAL blue looks like a coming summer success, since it appears at many of the southern beaches and western resorts, both as a solid color and with bright color accents. It is used for this nice beach ensemble of coat, halter and shorts. The coat is of solid royal blue cotton with a border of hand-blocked cotton in yellow. The yellow and blue cotton shorts have gathers centre front. The coat, which buttons at neck and waist, has a 2½-in band of the cotton print at the whistling and down the front. This is a preview of what we'll be wearing come summer, while royal blue will appear in Spring coats, hats and accessories.

SEIZE 60 BOTTLES LIQUOR

Montreal, Feb. 14 (CP)—Seizure of 609 40-ounce bottles of imported Scotch whiskey in Ottawa separate raids was announced by Quebec Liquor Commission police, and some of the liquor was believed to have belonged to a Montreal-Toronto bootleg ring of which the late Louis Wernicke was said to have been the head.

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MIXED GRILL

Hitler should decorate with the iron-cross al lthose Selfish wives who have written their husbands on the fighting front, asking for a divorce; and all those kind "friends" who have written to servicemen telling them that their wives or sweethearts are double-crossing them. He (Hitler) owes them so much!

Lighting-Change War-Marriages.

Six days,she knew him—that was all.

Six minutes down at City Hall.

Six weeks of gladsome honeymoon,

Six more—a little out of tune.

Then, sic in Reno—a divorce!

Here, waiter! Bring the second course!

Psychoanalysis will never lose its popularity as long as it gives a woman a chance to talk about herself for an hour at a time to somebody who will give her his undivided attention instead of sticking his nose in the newspaper.

Since conclaves and conventions have been ruled out for the duration, the average husband can sleep better nights, instead of lying awake trying to dope up the annual alibi for leaving the Little Woman at home when the boys get together next June.

Many a girl's cruelest memory is that of her first visit. Mother thus wasted so many of her days going around places, trying to make dream-man "accidentally."

I have often wondered why people keep diaries. A diary is either a dull statement of irrelevant facts or an unwonted exposure of the soul.

The radio will never replace the piano in cultured homes, says an authority. Certainly not! There isn't room on top of a radio for the empty highball glasses.

Somehow we feel that the world would have been robbed of one of its greatest romances if Cleopatra had appeared before Marc Anthony in slacks and dark sun-glasses or smoking a pipe. Marc would have gone straight home to his wife!

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

Overdoing a Quality of Charm

Betty Gillespie had two of them, one in each cheek. They're as cute as the dickens, and she knows it. They play peek-a-boo when she laughs; so she wears a perennial smile. She's a nice girl, and nice and then. It is a tired smile, on the job all the time.

A bit of facial repose would be a relief to her family and her friends, who get bored at times with the dimples' constant play. Now I don't it would also be a relief to Dorothy's self-conscious, self-effacing mood at times. Here we have a case of over emphasis of a beauty asset.

Betty is a talented girl in her class at college, walked away with honors, had a lively wit. She was a scream; everybody said so. She never opened her mouth that she didn't make people roll on the floor with laughter. She was just the funniest girl that ever lived.

Nancy is married, has three children and cares for a large house. She has no help. There are times when she'd like to crawl into a coal cellar and sob. She doesn't feel at all funny. But she must live up to her reputation. Her best friends say it would be pleasantly exciting if Nancy would join up with other mamas, talk smutty once in awhile about farina and rubber pants and kids that wake up before dawn. It would seem a bit more normal. As Nancy's humor is getting forced through long use, there are soft whispers to the effect that her wit isn't what it used to be and probably never was.

Joan has pretty hands. When she was a little girl, her mother called attention to them. "Look at my baby's hands, isn't they adorable?" Mama would say. When Joan got into her teens she became vain of her paws. She fluttered them, she practically stuck her fingers into other people's eyes. She smoothed her hair, posed her hands with the pinky finger rigid, a practice that some individuals consider silly.

Why can't she keep her hands still? her friends asked each other. Fiddling with bracelet or beads got on their nerves. Nancy was just over-playing her beauty hand, that's all. She didn't know that repose has charm. Before she is attractive a girl should appear at ease. And the amount of vermilion she'll be put on the cheeks should be limited only by the quantity they could carry.

Too much awareness of goodlooks qualities robs them of their charm. People like to discover them for themselves, not have them advertised and displayed. It isn't necessary to call attention to them.

True loveliness is in self-conscious, natural of manner, easy as an old shoe. Everybody is wise to the girl who is always play-acting putting on a show.

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By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

The Doctor's "Informals"

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

1.—Should a young lady who has a doctor's degree, use the title of "Doctor" on her Informals? Or is the prefix "Miss" preferable, since theis folded-over cards are social, rather than professional?

2.—If the title of Doctor is used, should it be abbreviated or spelled in full?

3.—Is it permissible to omit the address on Informals?

A. O.

1.—You mean, I judge, that the young lady is a Doctor of Medicine? If so, she may have her informals engraved with her title . . . Doctor Mary Alexander, or, if she prefers, Mary Alexander, ... several women physicians I know use what I think is excellent taste. . . . on the cards they use in their social life they have their name without their degree. Miss Mary Alexander, or, if married, Mrs. William Foster Grant and, usually, their home address. Then the professional card bears the name and title in the centre, the office address and telephone number in the lower right-hand, and the office hours in the lower left hand.)

2.—Either is proper, Doctor or Dr. My personal choice is to have the title engraved in full.

3.—It is not necessary to include the address on Informals or visiting-cards . . . but it is usually very convenient.

What the Bride in her 40's Wears.

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

What should a woman in her forties wear at her wedding, to take place in church in the afternoon? Would it be proper for her to wear a veil?

J. E.

It is indeed hard to say at what age shall be the limit for a bride's wearing a white wedding dress and veil. But in my opinion the older bride who wears a lovely afternoon dress and has her wedding in church shows the best taste. Although occasionally an older woman, fortyish-perhaps, does wear full bridal regalia, it is certainly obvious that young, or fairly young, faces suit the bridal costume better. Never criticised is the bride who dresses "neither too young nor too old, but just right".

Naturally, because of the important occasion of her wedding, any bride must concentrate attention on herself, and the best way for her to do this, is to be herself at her best, sincerest herself. So the best taste, I definitely think, for the older bride is to wear a long afternoon dress, of some fashionable . . . perhaps an interesting pastel or a rich jewel tone, with a small spart hat either matching or harmonizing with her dress. An interesting choice for her to make is a pert flower hat, with her corsage natural flowers of the kind or shades of the flowers of her hat. Her attendant, if she has one, also wears a long afternoon dress and hat with corsage.

Attendants Are Not Mandatory.

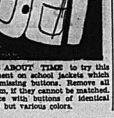
Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

I am to be married in July, and want very much to wear a real white wedding dress. Would it be proper to do so without having a maid of honor?

Rita

Yes, entirely proper. At either a formal or informal wedding, it is not necessary for the bride to have any attendants, if she doesn't wish to.

It's About Time



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Highlights of the occasion were two spot dances. Prizes were given by the Y.M.C.A. War Services. Prize winners were Mrs Olive Reeve, Garland Irwin, Mt. View, and Miss May Totton, Ernie Munharvey, Trenton.

Sunday, the hostesses entertained with small games and bowling. Refreshments were supplied by the local Y.M.C.A. with Red Triangle hostesses assisting in the serving.

The outstanding item of entertainment for the evening was the motion picture "Above Suspicion", which kept everybody's interest sustained to the very last moment.

Monday night, the "Y" was a buss of activity with Dancing Class held upstairs under the direction of Miss Marjory Cook. Interesting and practical articles were made in the Leathercraft class under the supervision of Mr. Harold McKaig. War Services Supervisor, while others enjoyed bridge or letter writing in the lounge.

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Gall Upsets Dope Bucket by Beating St. Catharines in Overtime

By The Canadian Press

St. Michael's marched to their 18th victory in the O.H.A. Junior "A" campaign last night by whipping Oshawa Generals all 8-1 loss on Toronto ice. But the real dispute of the evening took place at Galt, where the Red Wings managed to edge out the St. Catharines Falcons 5-4 in an overtime battle. With this triumph Galt increased its command at the top section of third place in the standing with 18 points, only two games below second-place Kitchener. Meanwhile Oshawa now holds fourth spot alone.

The league-leading St. Mikes actually came from behind in the 2nd period to take the rough tilt at Toronto. Fred Petrura of Oshawa having notched the only marker of the opening frame. The students fired three into the net in the middle session and ran away with five more in the third chapter. Top scorers for the Collegians were Leo Lewellyn with three goals and one assist and Guz Morlock with one counter and three assists. There were 19 penalties.

The Falcons were well away with three goals in the initial period at Galt but the Red Wings managed to score four times in a seven-minute stretch of the second stanza. With five minutes to go before the close of regulation time Ab Unger let go with the equalizer, to Bill Ourik went the credit of the payoff goal in 3-02 or overtime play.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

Until recently a Brigadier General in the U.S. Army, William O'Dwyer, District Attorney at Brooklyn, N.Y., yesterday asked Governor Samuel S. Leibowitz to preside at a special investigation into the athletic programs of all colleges in Kings County, including Brooklyn Collegein which was included the basketball betting scandal. The probe will be under way Monday.

O'Dwyer suggested that the Court should deal with the question of the release of men from the Armed Services who are able to participate in strenuous athletic activities.

Through Bill Hughes of Montreal, chairman of the Big Nine Committee, the Quebec Rugby Football Union yesterday proposed four changes in the playing code for consideration by the Canadian Rugby Union meeting in Toronto March 26. The suggestions included deletion of the provision requiring possession at the deadline scene of one point; prohibiting the kicking of the ball by players behind the line of scrimmage and the interference instead of the 5-yard limit.

New York Yankees open their 15-game Spring training schedule March 20 against Boston Red Sox at Atlantic City, followed by Philadelphia, Athletics, Brooklyn Dodgers, New York Giants. Practice begins and the first exhibition games are Braves and Baltimore Orioles.

Cliff Manahan, canny skip of the Edmonton Royal-Purdys Club, was the latest successful Northern Alberta Curling Championship at Edmonton last night when he whipped Fred W. (Cliff) Rose of Sedgewick 16-6 in the finals of the British Dominion trophy.

Manahan will meet Hube Goodfellow of Cadds, Alta., winner of the Southern Alberta title, in Calgary for Provincial honors.

O.H.A. Club Must Pay Percentages In Playoff Games

Toronto, Feb. 14 — (CP) — In issuing instructions to clubs engaging in group playoffs, Secretary W. A. Hewitt of the Ontario Hockey Association announced last night the schedule of percentages from gross receipts which home teams will be required to pay to their visiting opponents.

In the senior and junior "A" series the O.H.A. requires 7 1/2 per cent of the gross sale for playoff games before the final round. The O.H.A. share is five per cent in all group playoff games in the intermediate "A" and junior "B" series. In the finals in all four series the O.H.A. share is 15 per cent of the gross gate of each game.

The O.H.A. office announced Owen Sound Orphans are playing their first playoff engagement in group 6 of the intermediate "A" series at Southampton tonight, with the return game at Owen Sound Friday.

The second game of a group No. 3 playoff between Trenton and Bitwing-Marmora Combines has been postponed until Thursday with the third game, if necessary, Saturday at Trenton.

Belleville plays tonight at Hastings-Norwood.

SENSATIONAL WIN SCORED BY NELSON IN GOLF TOURNEY

Puts Together 5-Stroke Win Over McSpaden in Play-off Match

New Orleans, Feb. 14 — (AP) — Byron Nelson, Toledo (Ohio) pro, for his sensational win in the New Orleans Open — was on his way to the Mississippi Gulf coast today, where he hopes to continue his bid for a new all-time tournament record in the $5,000 Gulfport Open.

The Toledo Ohio, money-maker yesterday annexed his fourth tournament victory of the winter season in trimming hard-luck Harold (Jug) McSpaden by five strokes in an 18-hole playoff yesterday and needs only two more wins to tie the record set by Jimmy Demaret, of Houston, Tex., in 1940.

Nelson got one of the greatest exhibitions in winning the play-off over McSpaden on a sopsy course that made heavy by hard rain. His card was 32-33—65 for the 18-holes and gave Nelson a one-stroke margin over second place money. His victory boosted his earnings for 1945 to $7,367 in war bonds (maturity value).

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By STU THOMAS
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 14 — (CP) — This Valentine's Day there are prospects of some gifts, in the way of records, being handed out in the N. H. L., Dutch Hoyle and Canadians' big ills the most likely customers.

Maurice Richard, the controversial "second Morenz," is a cinch to break Howie Morenz's goal-scoring record of 44 in as single season, although he may take twice as many games to do it. Maurice, the old Canadiens' star, took only 22 games to collect his 44 goals back in 1917-18, while Richard has 41 in 39 games, and 11 more chances to make a mark in the world. Coincidentally, the "Richard-for-Morenz" boys haven't cared to point out that the Howie Morenz record was 40 goals in 1929-30, another of those high-scoring seasons.

Elmer Lach, with 44 assists, now is almost certain, to better the mark of 46 set by Clint Smith of Chicago Black Hawks last season. No one else has much of a show, Bobi Richard or Lach have an outside chance of equalling or bettering the point total record of 85 set last season by Boston's Herbie Cain, but it doesn't look as though there will be such a flood of high scoring as last season when eight players notched 70 points or more.

Besides Lach and Richard, only Toe Blake of Canadiens and Bill Cowley of Boston look good to reach the 70-point mark.

Then there's one more record Canadiens' big three might crack—the total points for a single line mark. Right now, Richard-Lach-Blake have piled up 85 goals and 96 assists for a total of 181, and they have 11 games to reach the 225-182-301 total made last year by Chicago's top line of Doug Bentley, Clint Smith and Bill Mosienko. That's only a bit over three points a game they need, and so far they have averaged well over four points each appearance.

If they don't make it, a broken leg or two will be the reason.

Last words:

This is "30" on sport snapshots, for Thomas, who has another assignment, Fred Kerner, former Montreal sports writer, will be carrying the ball from now on. We don't know about you, but we've had a lot of fun out of this, despite occasional differences of opinion.

So long for now.

Recreation Alleys

MAJOR B LEAGUE
Stan'ards—Gibb, Saylor 3; Miles and Stewart: J. Semark 607; J. Matthews 287; J. Barrage 566; A. Stewart 580; Handicap 51—2185.

Just Us: M. Kelleher 448; J. Nolan 466; M. Hallam 426; B. Doolittle 490; Handicap 156—1986.

Saco 4 points: Dunlop 607; Hillman 729; Adams 580; Belcher 511; Yerex 496; Handicap 199—3186.

Claco 0 points: MacDonald 252; Wilson 291; Plumpton 296; Knott 361; Johns 281; Handicap 264—1884.

Handicap 378—3021.

Wilson 0 points: M. Black 457; M. Mondeville 402; D. Huffman 538; H. Salisbury 378; J. Black 415; Handicap 591—2782.

Corby 3 points: R. Parquharson 480; J. Farrell 532; C. Downey 465; Doris 549; W. Pennylegion 604; Handicap 30—2660.

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(By The Canadian Press)
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HERB CAIN LEADS BRUINS IN WIN AGAINST HAWKS

Newmarket Boy With Eleven Years in N.H.L., Sparks Victory

By The Canadian Press

Newmarket's Herbie Cain still is a bundle of dynamite after 11 years in the National Hockey League. He touched off a three-goal period explosion last night which gave Boston Bruins a 5-3 victory over a 3-2 victory over Chicago Black Hawks.

Hawks, fighting for a needed win, held Bruins scoreless during the first period and Cain's second, a deflected drive in the second while Clint Smith was off for interference. The attack backfired.

Cain, who left his Newmarket home in 1933 to join the Montreal Maroons and launch his N.H.L. career, started the fireworks. Lorne Duncanson, Jop Cooper at centre and shot it past Mike Karakas in the Chicago nets. Bill Cowley, Bruins star centre, deflected Doug Bowser's rebound into the net less than a minute and a half later and Armand Gaudreault made it 3-0 for Boston before the period ended.

Both Chicago goals were engineered in the third period by Pete Clerehan, rookie of the American League, Butch McDonald beat Harvey Bennett early after taking a drop pass from Horeck just 30 seconds after Gaudreault's marker slapped Horeck's rebound into the net.

The loss left Chicago in the loop cellar and dimmed the hopes of gaining the fourth place play-off berth.

GORDON DRILLON PAVES THE WAY

Valleyfield, Que., Feb. 14 — (CP) —Gordon Drillon, in his first appearance on Valleyfield ice, last night paved the way for a 5-3 victory by the Braves over the second-place Verdun Rapids, and extended the Braves' lead in the Provincial Hockey League. It was Drillon's first game with Valleyfield since rejoining the club.

Drillon, working on a line with Phil Chiupenyk and Gerry Plamondon, scored both his goals in the second frame, and in the third assisted Chiupenyk on another Bernie Wheet added the other counter when he battled in an assist from Kilcoyne Jeannette.

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They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



CASUAL COMMENT

by K.J.C.

Lighter Vein.

Joan aged five, out to tea, was puzzled when she saw the family had cheese for tea.

"What are you doing?" she asked.

"Drinking tea, dear, for our daily bread," she was told.

"Don't you give thanks at home, Mummy?"

"No," said Joan, "we pay for our cheese."

"Black boy, how did you get all that soot on yo' coat?"

"Ain't soot, Miss, that's dandruff."

Junior Jabberings.

When the Belleville juniors take to the ice against the Hastings kids this afternoon, they'll be out to make it nine in the services of Ross Noah, their hard-hitting defenceman. Ross is home on leave from Camp Borden and Camp Petawawa, and in the latter camp he's a member of the hospital on Monday.... However, the lads from Hastings have come to play.—"We'll not lose another game this year," is the slogan on their lips. Frankly the locals don't feel the "Amalgamated" outfit away, even though they have Harry Hall and Gord Green for regular defence work.... No doubt Coach Tom Rorey will use Jerry Meiker for relief purposes on the "Reds" blue line if the occasion is necessary.... Gord Green and Rorey should be about the best defence pair in the O.H.A. Junior "B" series.... Starting at Trenton junior fixture.... Jimmy Thornton indicate a hometown fan reached over the boards and grabbed a Stirling forward by the hair.... Referee Alf Lamb, with a wringer bald-headed.... The only thing that can be said in favour of the he should have "dented" the spot. The latter is by no means a bald spot.... Apparently there was a fight somewhere these two scrappy squads, who became hostilities at Stirling tonight.

Ready For Action.

We nearly stopped Raymond Mondays night.... tonight we'll slow him up to a walk.... Coach Pat Jimmie McCue, who masterminds the Belleville "Terrible Seven". In rebuttal Johnnie Pianos of Trenton remarked the "Flyers" slackened off in the second period of the four-six meeting and thereby lost their own game. "We had those Bombers bouncing and it looked like a rout, then our guys went off in the middle session. That was our mistake, we won't commit the same error twice. Tonights another night and the Trenton Flyers by two goals" Johnnie predicted as the Trenton Hastings fight workout at the Rome Arena Thursday at noon.

Local fans are still talking about Monday night's game and judging from the attendance at Stirling it seats the Market Street igloo. We are in hopes the county jaunt will be over and Bombers meet in second play-off tussle tonight.

Open Season For H.

For the past month Point Anne "Comedimen" have been knocking off hockey rivals with regularity, so-much so that Point partners don't have run out of competition, at least that's their opinion.... Undaunted, however, the Point Anne management hereby challenges the winner of the Central Hastings Hockey League to a series for the county title.—After all there's two clubs of Tyendinaga and adjacent townships in the southern end of the county," explained the Comedimen's management. Hockey teams feeling the Comedimen are biting off a goodly sized chunk in their challenge can contact Murney Green or this department in the event they're interested in accepting challenges of this nature.

Further on the Ox Pobb' subject we wonder who the player is with the Comedimen who heard this crack the other night—"Pass the puck, grand-pa."

Remember When.

Juho Kurikkala of Finland won the 19-kilometer langlauf in the world ski championships held at Lahti, Poland, six years ago today.

Dorothy Lamour was #5 J-9 minutes, Christel Claus of Germany won the women's slalom event in 2.36 3-10. Fraulein Crahn also won the combined event.

Did You Know.

Fritz Crisler, coach of the University of Michigan football team, once opened a class for high-school coaches in Detroit by asking the visiting his students for their names and addresses.... "I have three reasons for doing this," he explained. "First, I get an autograph bonanza; second, you fellows may be useful for a coaching job some day; third and most important, when I win my out of a job and I would like to call on you fellows for references.... Two former University of Michigan football stars are serving on US aircraft carriers in the South Pacific.... They are Lt. Tommy Prichard, all-American quarterback for the Wolverines back in 1940, and Lt. Comm. Paul G. Goebel, captain of the undefeated 1940 team.... Goebel was an official in the Big Ten Conference prior to his enlistment in 1943.

Galaxy of Stars.

Knox Dafoe, business manager of the Quinte Skating Club "Winter-ama" has stopped in to say Friday night's ice show is on.... The show will boast of internationally-known skaters from the Belleville and local talent that is as well recognized.... Barbara Ann Scott, Suzanne Wilson, Junior and Intermediate pairs champions of Canada hailing from Winnipeg, will be one of the stars.... Bill Vi Smith, Toronto's own darling and Canada's sweetheart of the Canadian title also will thrill the public by an appearance.... Outstanding pair—Miss Sunanne Wilson and Mr. Norris Bowden 1945 junior pair champions of Canada.... Only a few we can mention.... Looks like a great show and tickets ranging from the pre-sale of tickets at Conn's Friday night's gross score at the arena will be "hall, hall the gang's all here."

WINTER ROUNDUP

Toronto, Feb. 14 (CP)—Residents of Toronto's suburbs staged an impromptu "winter roundup" Wednesday when a snowstorm when a cattle truck ran into a ditch spilling eight cattle on the road. After rounding the cattle to a haystack the villagers pulled the truck out of the ditch and loaded the cattle back on.

20 MEN WORK 2 DAYS TO CLEAR ROAD OPEN

Cobourg, Feb. 14 (CP)—After digging in relays for three days 20 men opened the road from Cores Landing to Grafton Wednesday afternoon. A distance of about two and a half miles. The county has not been able to clear the road from Cobourg to Rice Lake only one day as Plainville, after it was blocked by blown snow last Wednesday.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Brooklyn—Marvin Bryant, 156 ½, Dallas, outpointed Joe Agosta, 158, Brooklyn, 10; Sidney Miller, 158, Detroit, outpointed Milton Kessler, 156, New York, 8.

Washington — Bee Bee Washington, 160, Washington, and Johnny Pinazzo, 161, Baltimore, drew, 10.

Buffalo — Johnny Green, 144 ½, Lackawanna, knocked out Maxie Berger, 146 ½, Hog York, 7; Joe Miller, 157, Buffalo, knocked out Tom Daniels, 154 ½, Pittsburgh, 4.

Bangor, Me. — Raph Walton, 160, Montreal, outpointed Frankie McDougal, 162, Warren, 4; Babe Quarrie, 146, Waterville, Me., outpointed Dean Goode, 160, Dow Field, 6.

UNABLE TO PICK UP CLUE

Toronto, Feb. 14 (CP)—Police, who say they are unable to pick up a clue to the killers of Louis Wershler, Toronto racketeer, slain last month, said yesterday they have omitted his death to the same gang they believe killed Moses Perri and John Durso, two Hamilton, Ont., racketeers.

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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 666
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

When bridge players really are lake, they play many hands with much pride. If adept at science, they take unusual contracts in stride.

Maybe you would like to handle his deal:

NORTH
♠A 10 3
♥8 6
♦A K J 10 6 4
♣5 2

WEST
♠A 5 2
♥Q 7 5 3
♦3
♣J 10 9 6 3

EAST
♠K J 9 7 6 4
♥J 9 4
♦Q 9 7
♣K 7 5

SOUTH
♠Q
♥K 8 2
♦A K J 10 9 8 5 4
♣Q 8

The final bid should be at a small slam. But suppose you are in the south as declarer at 6 contract or seven diamonds. The opening lead from west is the club jack.

When dummy hand goes down, what do you see? It looks as if you may lose the second round of clubs. Only it west has all three of the outstanding clubs, it will have a trump trick.

So you take the first trick with the dummy club ace and lead a trump from dummy. When east plays a trump on that trick, you know there is absolutely no danger of losing a trump trick.

With east having a trump, west can not have three. If west has none and east has three, you have no worry. Because then, on the next round of trumps, you draw finesse east out of the queen.

You win that trump trick with your south king of diamonds.

When west plays a trump on that trick, too, you merely lead your ace of diamonds next, knowing it will knock the queen out.

Now, you lead hearts. After winning with dummy king and ace of hearts, you lead a thing heart from dummy and trump in with south. Your hope is that east and west will both have a third heart.

If they do, you can enter dummy with the ace of spades and lead a fourth heart. On that, you would shuff the south club queen. But when you have declarer when east shows out of hearts too soon.

If they do, you can enter dummy with the ace of spades and lead a fourth heart. On that, you would shuff the south club queen. But that plan is abandoned when east shows out of hearts too soon.

Now, only a squeeze can hope to take all 13 tricks. So you lead out all your trumps, shifting everything to dummy except the 4 low spades. Your last trump lead puts east in a bad way.

Any discard you squeeze seems to trump from dummy. When east whisper pulleese.

Zombies Using Bush Camps For Hiding Out

By The Canadian Press

Military and civil police pressed their search today for members of the Canadian Army absent without leave, having reduced their numbers by 16 through recent arrests in remote hideaways in the bushlands about the head of the lakes and in the Sault Ste. Marie area.

A police sortie by automobile and snowshoe to a log cabin hideout at Orca Gap, 15 miles from Sault Ste. Marie, resulted in the capture of 13 Sault Ste. Marie men absent without leave, one a general service soldier and the others home defence conscripts.

These arrests were made in the early hours Tuesday.

Earlier, though it was announced only yesterday, another police descent on the village of Port William, journeyed 20 miles to the southeast and rounded four draftee defaulters in a mountainside cabin at Mount Mackay.

Two more arrests from Canada's home defence army were picked up by Nanaimo and Sault, British Columbia police on a street at Nanaimo.

None offered resistance. The men arrested Sunday and Monday at Mount Mackay were believed to have been in the district for a month. Those taken at Sault Ste. Marie had been absent varying lengths of time, from Nov. 24 to Jan. 26. They appeared in court without their uniforms, wearing bush togs and were unshaven.

No Lack of Food

But police said they suffered no lack of food in their hideouts of ficers found plenty of food stored, including butter and tinned goods.

It appeared that all had been taken to them by persons who realized the advantage of night travel in a country where frequent and heavy storms have been blotting out tracks by daylight.

The Orca Gap location, in an area sparsely inhabited in the winter, was surrounded by a high fence and offered a good view of anybody approaching in daylight.

The police made their first call about 10 p. m. Monday night and arrested five draftees. Two policemen were detailed to watch the cabin and about 4 a. m. Tuesday arrested seven more men.

Stead by Figures

Others of the arrests stood by figures issued early this month that 1,000 of 8,300 absentees have been apprehended and said the search was being pressed across the country under the broad direction of the various military districts.

Reports said that since arrests were the first indication soldiers absent without leave have actually banded together in some instances and taken to the woods.

Others, it has become known, have gone across the international boundary to the United States, as was the case with a 20-year-old private held at Buffalo, N.Y., yesterday and identified by police as Michael Alkupchy of Thorold, Ont., absent from the Canadian Army since Dec. 3.

1,500 Apprehended

Latest official figures show that since it was announced Jan. 20 that 9,300 men of the Canadian home defence army were overdue from embarkation leave some 1,500 have been apprehended. But those figures are over a week or more out of date.

The Sault hide-out was fairly secure and few people visit the area in the winter time. In the summer it is a popular spot among several cottages. A number of Indians live nearby, fishing for lake trout being their means of making a living.

The area about the camp, protected by a high fence, has few trees. Some of them large, on Orca Gap hill, an ideal place to watch for any unwanted visitors. Anybody approaching the hide-away in daylight could easily be seen. The abandoned cottages was approached by a road rising at a 45-degree angle for nearly half a mile.

All 13 are from Sault Ste. Marie. They are: Albert Sarlo, Hugo Sarlo, Guido Sarlo, Mario Albanese, Otto Gerardi, Frank Madonna, Enio Pasanello, Rino Antonello, Adolfo Albanese, Edward Saffiel, Frederick Digasparro and John Pasanello. Zaffinal is the general service soldier.

Bracken Calls For Replacement Of McNaughton

Ottawa, Feb. 14 (CP) — John Bracken, National Progressive Conservative leader, called in a statement last night for the "immediate" replacement of Defence Minister McNaughton "in the interest of men overseas" and "in respect of the sentiments expressed by the voters in the Grey North by-election.

Mr. Bracken said that after Gen. McNaughton's defeat in Grey North he had expected an announcement of the general's resignation but instead read with "surprise and disappointment" a statement yesterday in which Gen. McNaughton said the Canadian army now had sufficient reinforcements overseas to meet contingencies operating over several months.

"The Defence Minister says that Canadian soldiers are now joined in an offensive which may be the opening phase of one of the world's most critical and decisive battles," said Mr. Bracken. "The fact is that they have been joined in such an offensive since last June, with their reinforcement, and the method of reinforcing them were the issues before the electors of Grey North.

"There is one important thing to remember. It is that the issue is not merely the number of reinforcements included or the time which those reinforcements are obtained. The King-McNaughton method is the one, which has caused great bitterness overseas, and has brought anguish to thousands of Canadian homes."

Mr. Bracken said the Prime Minister chose Grey North "as the testing ground for the King-McNaughton policy of a limited draft" and from that testing ground came a "clear and unequivocal reply."

"In the interest of the men overseas, and in respect for the judgment of 8,300 drafted, that must be but one course which Mr. King properly should follow. It is to replace the defence minister immediately and bring to the office a man whose policy will command the confidence of our fighting men and the people at home in Canada."

Little Benny's Note Book

Pop was reading the paper while he was waiting for me to tell him it was time to take her to the movies, and he said to her, This is interesting, it says here that women can stand all kinds of hardships and suffering better than men, and maybe they can at that.

Of course we can, well naturally, say, said she, we always been perfect connection and I'm glad you're agreeing with me at last. You men always fancy yourselves as heroic martyrs with all the world's trials and tribulations rolling gracefully off your shoulders but the truth is you're actually nothing but sissy cry babies sitting as-if the tiniest splinter was a major operation, with one foot in the grave, she said.

By golley I believe you're right, pop said. Oh well, I guess it's the way we're made and there's nothing we can do but grin and let you women bare it. Here's an example of it right now. I'm getting a little pane in the back of my neck, hardly enough to mention and yet here I am talking you to bare the brunt of it, he said.

What can I do about it for land sakes I'm said, and pop said, well, if I go to sleep at the movie show according to my usual custom, my head will be resting on the back of the seat with my sore neck and I'll imagine I'm suffering the torment of the damned, so I suggest that we stay comfortably at home. Of course you'll miss the picture, but you're a woman and you can take it with a smile, he said.

William Potts, in the first place I dont believe that you're being in that paper about any sex suffering in any way, and by the 2nd place I believe your neck's as well as it ever was, and by the 3rd place, you're perfectly right on both counts, but you cant blame me for trying.

And they started out for the movies with pop still brooding at himself as if he thought he was guilty.

Which he is.

LAST NIGHT'S STARS

By The Canadian Press

HARVEY BENNETT, BOSTON—substitute goalie, who keeps the Chicago Black Hawks scoreless for almost 50 minutes as Bruins defeated Chicago 5-0.

CLYDE HORSCHE, CHICAGO — who set up both of Chicago's goals scored within 30 seconds.

Grand Aggregate Honors in Grasp Of Ken Watson

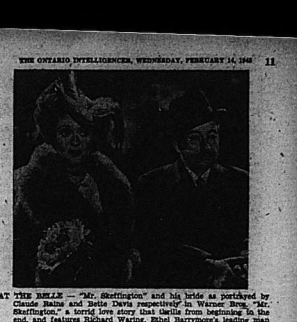
Winnipeg, Feb. 14 — (CP) — A one-sided victory in the British Consols last night virtually assured Ken Watson's Winnipeg Strathcona curlers their second consecutive grand aggregate honors in the annual Manitoba bonspiel. Winners of Dominion championship rinks in 1936 and '43, whipped Dave Petch of Virden 14-3.

It was Watson's 13th victory against one loss and placed his rink one game ahead of Billy McLeod of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange Club.

McLeod, however, has a slightly more game in the major competitions while Watson's remand in two competitions, the Birks-Dingwall and British Consols.



AT THE CAPITOL — Musical trio goes into action in Paramount's "And the Angels Sing." Betty Hutton gets in some hot licks on the clarinet as Fred MacMurray tracks the saxophone to the accompaniment of Dottie Lamour's guitar. The musical film opens next at the Capitol Theatre. On the same program Roy Rogers' new hit, "Sands Across the Border."



AT THE BELLE — "Mr. Skeffington" and his bride as portrayed by Claude Rains and Bette Davis respectively in Warner Bros. "Mr. Skeffington," a torrid love story that thrills from beginning to the end, and features Richard Waring, Ethel Barrymore's leading man for two years.

HOLLYWOOD and HERE

By HYE BOSSIN

When New York had the World Fair a few years no notables pictures were used it as a background for a comedy drama. Now such fairs are coming into their own. "Meet Me in St. Louis," in which Judy Garland stars, shows the fair of 1903 and now Susanna Foster will appear in "Once Upon a Dream," which will deal with the Chicago World's Fair of 1893.

. . . Deanna and Red Cross drive collections will be taken in theatres after the house lights have gone on. This method of raising money is very popular in the USA and has been in use in Montreal in the past. . . . "The Yearling," starring Roddy McDowall, will start soon. Another postponement for the same has been the fact that Roddy will be too big for the role.

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The Canadian Film Weekly, motion picture trade magazine, is polling Canadian theatre men to determine which pictures and players were the greatest boxoffice attractions last year. The entire have also been invited to state their preferences. The results will be announced soon.

Grace Garson was picked in 1943 by both exhibitors and critics. However, the theatres men named "Yankee Doodle Dandy" as the film which attracted the most patrons and the critics chose "In Which We Serve" as the best picture of the year. "In Which We Serve" was 1942 in a Noel Coward production.

Apparently the tastes of the average patron are different from those of the critics.

This continent's newest hobby is the collecting of "stiffs"—drawings or big photographs of scenes from motion pictures. The Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences has been collecting stills since 1927 and its library includes a large representation of films made from 1915 on.

Still collecting, like other hobbies of that type, has its ramifications and high prices. One rare collector paid $100 for a set of 20-stills from the film classic "Birth of a Nation." W. W. Griffith, "Birth of a Nation."

Other fine collector's items which bring high prices are scenes from "Mary Queen of Scots," made in Europe in 1895 and starring Sarah Bernhardt, "The New York Hat," starring Mary Pickford and Lionel Barrymore in 1912.

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A film is being made called "The Vargs Girl" . . . David O. Selznick will make a musical out of "Gone With the Wind." The straight version has never played Canada at popular prices . . . Wallace Beery is celebrating his 40th year in films and will make "Bad Bascombe" . . . Paramount Pictures, which offers a Canadian news, will establish a production units for the making of short subjects, according to Adolph Zukor, founder of the company and chairman of its board of directors . . . The British are trying to match Hollywood publicity methods and it won't be long before pinup pictures of stars from the Old Country will be distributed in Canada.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Montreal	33	9	3	69
Detroit	23	11	4	50
Toronto	19	17	4	42
Boston	13	23	3	29
New York	9	21	6	24
Chicago	8	24	5	21

Tuesday: Boston 3, Chicago 2.
Tonight—New York at Detroit.

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Unchanged.

Tonight—Providence at Hershey; Indianapolis at Buffalo; Cleveland at Pittsburgh.

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Northern Alberta Inter-Service

Edmonton R.C.A.F. Flyers 8, Westaskiwin Army Colonels 1.

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By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 16

She wept. "You're the meanest man I ever met. I can't think why I fell in love with you or trusted you. I hate you."

"Never mind that now," said Bruce. "Finish the picture. Then without interference from you—or you, Judith Fortune"—Countess Saskia was frightened. There was now $150,000 tied up in the film. And she did not want to lose it—got Bruce.

"If you only came to see me once in a while, I wouldn't come to the silly studio at all."

Bruce compromised. "I'll see you on Sunday."

There were two more weeks to go on the picture.

"Let's celebrate the end of the picture by getting married!" said the Countess slowly.

Bruce grinned and said "Where I come from the man asks the woman".

"You're cruel to me", she whimpered. But she was not discouraged. There were many ways of getting what you wanted than by asking. And she was shrewd enough to know that at the moment, Bruce meant what he said.

The film was completed. And now the Countess played her trump card. She decided to hold up the release until Bruce yielded to her charms.

When Livia saw them at Ciro's, Bruce looking a final plea for justice. The Countess was triumphant and exaggerating when he mentioned the film. He was getting impatient. And seeing Livia dancing with Fortune did not make him feel better.

Livia called after him as they crossed the ballroom floor to the exit, but he pretended not to hear.

"You think that guy, don't you?" said Fordyce to Bruce, his arm around her slender waist. She shuddered and said vehemently.

"I wanted to tell him about our picture—Alice was air."

"You look lovely." Charles told her. "Can you blush in technicolor?" Her eyes clouded.

"I'm going to be a star," she told herself with renewed confidence. "Then I can have Bruce or any man I want."

The next day she was fired.

At 10 in the morning Hal said the director pleasantly, "I am resigning from this studio as of this second unless you absolutely promise me you will have Alice altered by one fool of film." Schneider's rage against his desk and groaned. He was going to be very angry with Alice.

"Dear," he began from the garter to be the biggest star in pictures?" he screamed. She lit a cigarette and blew the smoke into his face. His refrain was short.

"The picture will be a flop," whimpered Alice. The silence was emphasized by the ticking of the clock on his desk—the clock had been a gift at a banquet honoring him for his achievements in the Motion Picture Industry.

"It will be re-made," he said.

"Good-bye then," said Fordyce quickly.

"Charles, you're a good director —one of the best I have. But Alice stays."

Fordyce was genuinely sorry for the producer. He walked to the door. Then he turned. "I'm sorry to go. I like you, Hal, in spite of the fact you're good so and so you married."

He closed the door without looking at Alice.

"Alice my darling, what are you complaining about? The picture is a success. The office is now very pleased. Schneider congratulate me. It'll make a million dollars."

You," Alice wheezed on her handkerchief. "Why, you cannot direct little Schneider retorted to the back of his chair. Fordyce grinned. Schneider was the most important producer in Hollywood, but no one would guess it now.

"Alice my darling, the girl is fired. I tell you She is fired." This was the first Charles had heard of it.

"I want her part cut out of the picture," Alice hissed dramatically. "She would never have been in it in the first place if you hadn't tricked me." Alice glared at Fordyce, who met her eyes steadily and with contempt.

"But, my darling, we can't do that now without re-making the picture," moaned Schneider.

"Then re-make the picture," mimicked Alice in her husband's slightly foreign accent. Schneider clutched his portly-bald head.

"What have I ever done to deserve such treatment?" he asked the bankers' meeting in ten minutes, I'll have to placate his wife, if only temporarily, he said, "All right, I will see it. If we can re-make the picture and cut Miss Clarkson out entirely."

"You don't mean that Schneider?" said Fordyce quietly. The producer tried to compose with his eyes that of course he didn't mean that. But Alice was a terrible shrew. He spread his hands supplicatingly first to Fordyce, then to Alice.

"Tell him about it, please, darling," cooed Alice.

"We will cut out Miss Clarkson's part and re-shoot with another girl," he said weakly. "And now excuse me, I have to go to an important meeting." Fordyce blocked his way to the door.

"It's a good picture, Schneider," he said softly.

"I know, but what can I do?" Schneider said frantically. "Please, Charles, I have my troubles. You make things worse for me."

"They'll be worse much worse," said the director pleasantly, "I am resigning from this studio as of this second unless you absolutely promise me you will have Alice altered by one fool of film."

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"Alice," he said, "I'm sorry, but I'm afraid I'll have to get another director. I'm not going to have you ruin my picture."

"You can read can't you? Or can you?" said Fordyce. "I was in all the trade papers."

"Oh, is it want?" she screamed. She was right. At Livia's suggestion, her name had been kept off the production sheets.

"The New York call is waiting, Mr. Schneider." He picked up the receiver.

"No you don't," said Alice. She snatched the receiver and brought it down on his head. Schneider squealed in pain and looked at her lonely at Fordyce, but made no attempt to recover the telephone. "You both thought you were pretty smart," she said. "You and that girl—you thought you could put something over on me."

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Livia and Fordyce lost their jobs on the same day.

Jack Tytnant in the publicity department, had called Livia at 8:30. Two newspaper columnists wanted to interview her, and she was to pinch-hit for one and have tea with the other. She was palpitating what she would say to them when Chas tele-phoned.

"Get your hat. We're going to the beach. All," he added, as she told him of her appointments. "You don't have to worry about them," he said grimly, did you understand.

"They'll say I'm temperamental if I'm not here," she protested.

"I'll be there in five minutes." When Fordyce arrived, Livia said jubilantly, "You get everything you want. The office just called to cancel my interviews. That means I'm free to go."

"You certainly are free, lady," he said. Her smile faded at the tone of his voice. "You've been fired," he added, avoiding her eyes, a

"It's not even a good joke," she scolded.

"Come on, I'll explain in the car." The sky was a deep blue, and the morning air, by 11, were greenly fresh and wet from the rain the night before. Livia thought how lovely California was outside but everything else was rotten and soft. It was bad enough to be fired—getting a good performance. But Charles—and Bruce Barnes in Hollywood who had cared enough to give her a break. And all his job because of her.

"Take me to Mr. Schneider," she begged him. "I must explain. Alice hated me before. I love you. Please turn back now and take me to the studio. I won't let this happen to you."

He continued driving toward the beach. Fordyce was not only worried, merely angry. He was a producer and could walk in any studio in Hollywood. He had never failed to scent up on his investments, but he guessed he was worth about a million dollars. He would accept another job when he found a good story.

What of Livia? He stopped the car along the Malibu highway and suddenly brought her body close against his and kissed her. She did not resist. She tried to follow Bruce Barnes' mind.

She had come around to him finally, though therefore they all did sooner or later. Few had held out as long as Livia.

Cars were passing in a steady non-ending rush. It was Saturday and everybody was going somewhere in cars driven by raucous high school students or by middle-aged chauffeurs—they were all going somewhere but to work.

"And where am I going?" thought Livia, a little from Charles' hard arms. But she was grateful. He had helped her, and was that all to his kindness. "I'll do anything he wants," she thought, and kissed him.

Some boys in a jalopy shouted at them. And they both laughed.

"We'll charge an admission fee" said Fordyce. "Ten cents to watch Fordyce and Clarkson in a world's record embrace."

She put on the hat that had had fallen from her head and moved to the front of the car. He caught her fingers and kissed them.

"You're raved," he said, she smiled back confidently. Well, it was something to have an important man like Charles in love with her. But did he want to marry her? Livia had no will-number five. She made it less exciting somehow.

"Let's have lunch," he said, "I would lunch at Santa Barbara; then drive back. She don't ever seen his house. She would see it in the moonlight.

They lunched at the Samarkand, and afterward, walked through the flower-filled gardens. Livia wanted to stay there. It was peaceful, and the air was full of sweet scents, and the sky and the sea. The heart-break and intrigue of Hollywood seemed continents away.

"From now on you are under personal contract to me," Charles said casually. "I'll put you right as the studio 'did.'" It was quite usual in Hollywood for directors and producers to put promising players under personal contracts. But it was one more example of Charles' kindness to her, and one more link binding her to him.

The sun warmed their backs as they drove along the coastal route to his house in Beverly Hills.

Bruce was having a showdown with the Countess. In a trade paper that morning appeared the same page reviewing Livia's picture, there was an announcement of the definite shelving of "Western Saga." He telephoned the Countess—at the Ciro's Livia and Charles were lunching at the Samarkand.

"But I didn't understand," Saskia said. She was vague and fluttering, until Bruce said:

"I'm coming over to wring your little neck."

It was a long time since a man had called the Countess' neck little, or cared enough about it to want to wring it. And a pleasurable thrill passed through her, dumpy body.

She received Bruce in her pink and blue Louis Quinze boudoir. The blinds were carefully arranged to dim the yellow sunshine. The air was heavy with the perfume Countess Saskia used.

"Now you've said Bruce after he had been in the room two minutes. "Do you mind if I open the windows? I can't breathe." And it was family purple against the light, and Bruce thought she said "Never."

He showed the film to some friends of mine, and they think it's good, she said hesitantly.

"Who?" demanded Bruce.

"Oh, directors and people," the Countess stopped to the window. She played with the blind cord, and softly lowered the blind. She had not meant to be brutal about picture—until Bruce's cold, objective eyes had made her want to scratch and claw.

"But," he burst out, "Bankers and people aren't the audience. Give it a proper trial in a theatre. Show it to the press. This is my picture as well as yours. Or have you forgotten the small matter of a contract?"

She opened a drawer in a gilt writing bureau and handed him their contract.

"You don't seem to have read it very thoroughly," she said and pointed to a paragraph in which she had to approve the film before release.

"I guess I'm at bad business man as I am a picture producer" Bruce said slowly. He moved to the door. He would have gone, but Countess Saskia said hurriedly—

"I didn't mean that about the picture. It just needs some re-takes, then you'll see. I don't look at me like that," she tried to make him sit down. He rolled a cigarette, slowly puffed it, and left her standing in the middle of the room. For the first time since his college days Bruce went to a bar with the deliberate intention of getting drunk.

It was dark when Livia and Charles drove up the circular drive-way to his colonial-fronted house.

There were several telephone messages for Fordyce—reporters from the trade papers had been calling all day to get confirmation of his resignation from the studio. Fordyce smiled. There were no secrets in Hollywood.

The white-coated Filipino servant conducted Livia up his dim spiral staircase and into Charles' bedroom, and down before a large mirror over a mahogany chest of drawers, pulled off her hat and loosened her hair. She was tired.

(To be continued)

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—6.45 p.m.—
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CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7.00 p.m.—
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WKBW-CBS—Burns Newsed Show.
—7.15 p.m.—
WBEN, WGY-N—Vandercook, news.
—7.30 p.m.—
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WKBW-CBS—The Easy Aces.
WBEN—At International House.
—7.45 p.m.—
WBEN—H. V. Kaltenborn.
—8.00 p.m.—
WBEN, WGY—Mr. and Mrs. North.
CFRB-CBS—Jack Carson Show.
—8.15 p.m.—
CJBC-MBS—Sunny Skylar.
—8.30 p.m.—
CFRB—Treasure Trail.
WBEN-NBC—Circus of Cheers.
CJBC—The Little Review.
WOR-B—My Best Girls.
WJR, WKBW-CBS—Dr. Christian.
—8.00 p.m.—
WBEN-NBC—Eddie Cantor.
WKBW-CBS—Frank Sinatra.
WOR-Blue—Kostelanetz.
—8.30 p.m.—
WBEN-NBC—District Attorney.
WKBW-CBS—Which is Which.
—10.00 p.m.—
CBL, CKOC—News.
WBEN-NBC—Kay Kyser.
CFRB-CBS—Great Audio.
—10.15 p.m.—
CBS—The Soldier's Return.
—10.30 p.m.—
WOR-B—Scramby Amby.
CBL—Piano Masterworks.
CJBC—Clary's Gazette.
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WKBW-CBS—Milton Berle.
—11.00 p.m.—
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
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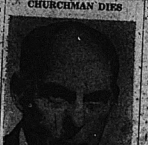
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By Al Capp



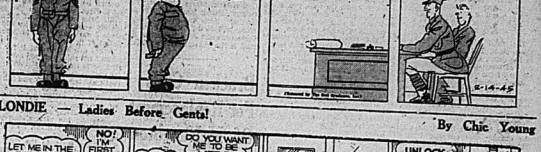
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF KETCHESON R. EARLE, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, Retired, deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 51, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of William Albert Holmes, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, who died on or about the 20th day of March, 1942, are requested to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of February, 1945.
AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said date the executrix will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which she shall then have notice.
DATED at Belleville, Ontario, this 8th day of February, A.D. 1945.
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Belleville, Ontario.
Solicitor for the executrix.
F7,14,21

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Police Blotter

Following complaints that parked motor cars were being looted in the downtown areas of Belleville, police constables C. A. Spencer and Cpr. R. W. Shaw, both of the Canadian Army and stationed in Kingston, on charges of theft and also of being found in possession of stolen goods. The two soldiers appeared before Miss Mary Butler, Junior Justice of the Peace, today and were remanded in custody until Friday.

Complaints that goods had been stolen from parked automobiles on McAnnasy, Market and Bridge St. were received by local police late yesterday afternoon. The complainants were of the opinion that two soldiers were responsible for the pilferings from the vehicles. Later the apprehended the two soldiers on North Front St. Found in their possession, police report, were sheepskin shells, ladies' silk stockings, a leather jacket, glasses and a flashlight.

The War Today—
Japan Fishing For Easy Peace, But U.S. Home Front Won't Weaken

By DeWITT MACKENZIE

Announcement by the government-controlled Domei news agency that Japan's policy is "not to reject any hand which offers peace" came today as the Tokyo fishing rods are tackle to report that I understand our peace rod and reel are the best for fear the Allies won't be as easy-going with Nippon as they are with Germany.

The Tokyo statement certainly can be labelled as a fishing expedition. The Mikado's little men are casting for peace.

Murlin Spencer, Associated Press war correspondent who has been two years on the Pacific front, tells me there's widespread apprehension among the men that the end of the European war will find the American public weary of conflict and inclined to make a compromise peace with Japan. The Yanks who've been battling the barbarians in the Pacific don't want any tempering. They want to beat the Japs to a pulp.

U. S. Home Front Won't Weaken

Well, I don't believe for a moment the home front will let them. We shall see the job through though the length of time it will take is problematical. Right now we are fighting a delaying action, just as the Germans are doing. They're pursuing this strategy in the hope that we'll negotiate and compromise. For this reason the European war has been a Gotterdamerung. They haven't given a thought to any other alternative but victory or surrender.

Nevertheless, while enough of Allied war power to the Orient. Japan, it would really expedite the end. It's a safe bet that this thought is in Tokyo's mind as today's peace feeler. They haven't overlooked either, that Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt conferred over the Pacific War in Malta en route to the meeting with Marshal Stalin.

LIVELIER SESSION OF LEGISLATURE IS ANTICIPATED

Former Premier Hepburn to Occupy Position as Liberal House Leader

Toronto, Feb. 14. (CP)—The second session of the 19th Ontario legislature opens tomorrow with the usual war-reduced ceremonial but proceedings in the Chamber are expected to have a livelier tone than in the 1944 session.

Important legislation included in the throne speech forecast will deal with measures affecting the status of women in industry, the new civil action act and the new securities act, it is reported.

Predictions of a stormier session than last year when Premier George Drew's 38-member Progressive Conservative Government succeeded in passing every measure, it is understood, are based partially on the altered complexion of the 90-seat assembly.

In the 11-month interval the 14-man Liberal group, which only once voted against the government in the 1944 session, signified termination of the political truce with the absence former Premier Mitchell F. Hepburn. House Leader Conservative Harry L. Nixon, Mr. Hepburn, Liberal member who is Leader of Independent Liberal last year, announced his return to the Party fold in order to give a statement that he was ready "to do battle with reactionary Tories as I have done previously head in Ontario today".

The Tory majority strength of the C.C.F., official opposition led by E. B. Jolliffe, has been reduced from 34 to 32 members by the recent defection of Nelson Allen of Essex North and Leslie Haunder of Wellington South. Both members resigned possibly with a view to contesting the co-operate with the Labor-Progressive group, newly represented by two members, Mr. Allen will sit as Independent Labor Progressive member and Mr. Hancock as an Independent Farmer Labor Progressive.

All parties have adequate representated by the $2 non-government members in the House. Mr. Jolliffe has criticized Premier Drew for his opposition to the Family Allowances Act and his post-war immigration policy, and have expressed fears that failure to implement fully his 22-point election program. The Tory administration has declared it will come before the House, but vigorous attack along the lines feared is not expected to continue.

Labor legislation to be introduced in the coming session is believed to include redrafting of the Conciliation Act to provide for setting up a permanent conciliation board, revised regulations on disclosure of details in financing of trade operations and with severe penalties for infractions.

Election Act Changes.

Under changes in the Election Act which will be introduced, it is anticipated for the proxy vote for those serving in the Canadian Army and the government legislation is expected to include extension of the list and implementation of the 23-point program and post-war development and rate establishment plans. The government's assumption of 50 per cent of Municipal relief costs also will appear only in estimates.

The Ontario budget is due and a half hour session yesterday to prepare its legislative program. It also had held a Monday night session which lasted until one hour each day. An outline of major legislation is expected to be presented at the next session of the Progressive Conservative members at two p.m. tomorrow, on which day the House session is scheduled to open.

The effective strength of the Progressive Conservative group is expected to be 37 with the addition of member, Hon. Capt. the Rev. A. W. Downer from Dufferin-Simcoe, is a chaplain with the Canadian Army overseas and is not expected to return before summer.

TORONTO AIRMAN KILLED

Toronto, Feb. 14. (CP) — Sgt. John D. Lewis, R.C.A.F., a former member of the Broadview Y.M.C.A. Dominion Championship Basketball team of 1940-41, was killed Monday when an R.C.A.F. Training plane crashed in Saskatchewan, his parents were informed yesterday.

Combines Beat Corbyville In Playoff Game

Finals Now Being Played In Hastings County Hockey League

Stirling, Feb. 14 (Special)—After overcoming an early first period lead, the Stirling Combines beat the Hill-West Huntingdon "Combine" team here last night in the first game in three series for the championship in the Hastings County Hockey League when on Tuesday evening they downed Corbyville by a 6-3 score.

The ultimate winners were ahead in the second period, leading by the scores being 3-2, 4-3 and 6-3. The Corbyville team never led after the opening 6th check the championship, while Combines have won the next tussle to stay in the running.

Lyle Walsh and the Sills brothers were a great asset to Combines while for the "Combines" win in the first game of the finals, and the former counting twice in the 1st stanza, and the Sills brothers accounting for another brace of goals in the second and third periods. For the losers Martin played an aggressive game and chipped in with two counters to help out the cause. For Corbyville drew first blood in the first period with Sheffield getting the first goal on an assist from Clew. The "Combines" came right back however, and counted three with C. Wright getting two and J. Tummon scoring on a long shot from the blueline. The first goal for Corbyville on a pass from Jarrell made the score 4-1 at intermission.

Corbyville gained a momentary lead in the second period when in the second stanza, but L. Sills regained the winners advantage on a goal from his brother one minute later. Scores by A. Tummon and Jarrell, in the 3rd period, made the victory sure for the winners.

The game was quite rough with ten penalties being handed out, including one to Tummon, one major, two to Jarrell and Brough, and one each to D. Wright, Gray, Martin and Clew.

Lineups:

Corbyville: Goal, Ritz; defence, Walt and Guay; forwards, Sheffield, Tummon and Jarrell; subs, Martin, Sills, Jarrell, Empson and Clew.

Combines": Goal, Oldford; defence, Brough and Thompson; forwards, A. Tummon, Wray and C. Tummon; subs, L. Sills, R. Sills, Lyle Walsh, D. Wright and McCurdy.

SECURITY MARKETS

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Algoma Steel	41½
Bathurst "A"	14
Beatrix "B"	17
Bidgood	46
Brantford 17 1-4	
Brazilian	74
Bruck Mills	20
Bulolo Gold Dredging	205
Calgary and Edmonton	30
Can. Bakeries	116
Can. Canners	13
Can. Celanese	21
Can. Cement	30
Chesterville	21
Crown Cork	36
Dominion Bridge	84
Dominion Foundry	130
Dominion Steel	20
Dominion Textile	94
Fanny Farmer	30
Fleet "A"	18
Ford "A"	78
Goodyear "A"	53
Gypsum, Lime & Alabastine	30
Hamilton Bridge	14
Hamilton Cotton	30
Harding Carpets	11
Hollinger	12
Howard Smith Paper	30
Imp. Oil	34
Imp. Tobacco	32
Imp. Tobacco of Can.	13
Int. Nickel	42
Int. Petroleum	26
Kelvinator	13
Kerr Addison	19
Labatt "A"	18
Labatt "B"	18
Lake Shore	23
Little "A"	16
Little "B"	16
Loblaw "A"	33
Loblaw "B"	33
Lowney	23
Mackinnon "B"	13
Massey "A"	13
Massey "B"	13
McColl	63
McKenzie	14
Minnes	106
Mitchell	10
Montreal Locomotive	30
Montreal Power	28
Montreal Telegraph	40
Moore	93
Nat. Breweries	30
Nat. Steel Car	30
Niagara Wire	30
Ogilvie	30
Ont. Steel	30
Page Hersey	30
Penmans	30
Price Bros.	30
Provincial Paper	30
Quebec Power	30
Robertson "A"	30
Robertson "B"	30
Russell Motor	30
Shawinigan	30
Simpsons "A"	30
Simpsons "B"	30
Steel of Canada	30
Thrift	30
Walkers	30
Walkers "B"	30
Wilsons	30
Winnipeg Electric	30
Wood, Gundy	30
Wrigley	30

TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, Feb. 14.—(CP)— Wide gains were posted this afternoon on advancing industrials, all four groups advancing. Trading swelled to 1,050,000 shares.

Leading spots in the golds included Giant, Pickle Crow, Lorado, Little Long Lac, Chesterville, Willans, Beatrix Malartic, O'Brien, Moneta, God's Lake and Siscoe. Lorrimount sold over 10 cents and heavy selling of Trans-Canyons weakened the price of the issue.

Smelters gained a point and fractions, Noranda, Hudson Bay, Falconbridge and Nickel, Walte-Amulet, Labrador and Pend Oreille were up.

Base metals were active and gains of 2 to 5 cents were showing for Lake Shore, Dominion Steel and Consolidated.

Utility, Inner, food and senior oil stocks were higher in industrials.

WALL STREET

New York, Feb. 14 —(AP)— President Truman's pump-primer had leading industrials higher in the stock market today.

The rise was general although there were a few pronounced issues slipped from the best levels.

Sullivan 197
Steep Rock 377
Sylvanite 208
Teck-Hughes 460
Ventures 18 1-8
W. Amulet 470
W. Hollinger 406
U. Canada 327
Malartic 215
Noranda 81 1-2

TORONTO
Bell Telephone 163
B. A. Oil 34 3-8
Brewers 10
Brss. Trac. 33
Can. Dredge 10
Can. Ind. Alcohol 6 3-4B
C.P.R. 14 3-4
Canada Cur 11B
Con. Smelting 56 3-4
Dominion Foundries 26 3-4
Dominion Stores 14 1-2B
Fleury Farmer 30
Ford "A" 78 3-4
Gypsum 23 3-4
Int. Nickel 42
Int. Petroleum 26 1-4
Imp Tobacco 32 1-2B
Imp Tobacco 13 1-4
Massey Harris 13
Steel of Canada 60 1-2B
Walker's 76
Walker's Pfd 52
C.P.R. 2 3-4

Maple Leaf 13 1-2B

NEW YORK
American Can 77 1-2
Anaconda 22 1-2
Bethlehem Steel 71 1-2
Chrysler 59 3-4
General Electric 30 3-4
General Motors 54 1-4
U. S. Steel 63 1-4

Roosevelt May Report Directly To the Congress

Churchill Also Expected to Make Statement in House of Commons

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
(AP Staff Writer)

Washington, Feb. 14 — (AP) President Roosevelt may report directly to Congress and the people of the United States on the accomplishments and significance of his meeting with Prime Minister Churchill and Premier Stalin.

He is reported to be greatly cheered by the agreements reached on both military and political issues.

First-hand information on the historic Big Three gathering in the Crimea came, meanwhile, from Major F. Byrnes, War Mobilization Director, who arrived yesterday from the Crimea and met reporters in late afternoon. Mr. Byrnes said he hoped Mr. Roosevelt would make a radio broadcast or address Congress.

He disclosed that the President had acted as chairman of the meeting and presided over all the sessions of those on liberated areas and the Dumbarton Oaks voting issue, which was announced in Monday's communique.

Temporary Guest

The Dumbarton Oaks decision, like many others arrived at, remains temporary in character, but it cleared the way for the April 25 United Nations conference at San Francisco. That date, Mr. Byrnes indicated, may be changed, depending on the future military developments by the Big Three.

He expressed conviction that it had nothing to do with Russia's entry into the war against Japan or against Japan. He described it as unfortunate that any date at which the leaders thought the conference could be called in view of the military situation.

If there is any hope that the nations battling Germany may be finished by that time, however, Mr. Byrnes did not indicate it. It is believed the military plans made in the Crimea call "for a war involving the utmost in effort and sacrifice until this conflict."

The military chiefs, he added, are "do not minimize the possibility of civilian collapse in Germany" but they are counting only on fighting to the bitter end "with greater concentration of power than ever before existed."

Reminds a Scene

London, Feb. 14 (CP) — Prime Minister Churchill is expected to give the House of Commons a full report next week on the "Big Three" conference in the Crimea, it was learned today. He will present whereabouts today re-mained a secret.

It was believed the conference report may be one of the longest ever made to the House of Commons.

While the "Big Three" conference was still well reported in both Houses of Parliament, some members here expressed fear for a clearer definition of some points.

Churchill also is the subject of speculation that Mr. Churchill may visit Italy

Thirteen Teams Join Ki-Y Loop

Thirteen hockey teams in the Ki-Wanis sponsored Ki-Y loop will shortly swing into action on Kiwanis sponsored rinks in the east and west ends of the city when Ki-Y hockey schedules are started either this week or next. The first meeting of the league officials, to be followed by a general meeting of the Ki-Y hockey players, will be held on Thursday night at the east end rink.

Although public skating will be held on both Kiwanis rinks, the Ki-Wanis Kiwanis operated rinks will be reserved for Ki-Y hockey on Monday evening when they will be open eight o'clock and members of the Ki-Wanis club will be on hand to act as time-keepers or otherwise aid in the games originally during the period allotted for the games.

To arrange for drawing up schedules in the different age groups and to discuss other matters pertaining to the running of the league sports committee members of the Ki-Wanis club will meet with officials from the Ki-Y clubs on Tuesday at 8 o'clock in the evening when a display asked for volunteers to officiate at club-operated rinks during the Christmas holidays. That was a way learned members were not expected to officiate at the Ki-Y games sufficient number of volunteers could not be found.

City Council will back the Public Utility Commission in the fight that it takes in dealing with General Electric Control, said Mayor Robert Saunders.

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STERN MEASURES ON W.D.'

Toronto, Feb. 14. (CP)—Board of Control today told Dr. J. A. Pequegnat, director of the Department of Health control in the Department of Public Health, to "take stern measures" to see that no places found to be sources of V.D. continue.

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LIVESTOCK

Montreal, Feb. 14 — (CP)—Sows were up $1 and other classes steady today on livestock markets. Receipts were 1,100 cattle, 1,100 hogs, 300 calves 150 sheep.

Cattle: Steers sold at $11-11.50 with common $10. Good heifers $10.75 and good cows $9.25. Common butchers $6.25-7.25. Canners and cutters $5-6. Bulls $8.50-9.25.

Veal calves $11-14, mostly $14-15, and grasers $6.50-8.50, several around $8. Good quality lambs $12 and bucks $11-11.50. Hogs $18 for good grade A. Sows in demand at $15-16.25.

LIVESTOCK

Toronto, Feb. 14 — (CP)—Cattle trade was very dull with prices about steady up to mid-session on the limited run of fed steers today. Calves, hogs, common to medium lambs and sheep were steady.

Receipts reported by the Dominion Marketing Service were: cattle 600, calves 100, hogs 1,200 and lambs 50. Unsold from yesterday were 1,000 head of cattle.

Prices in the trade included:

Cattle: butcher steers $9-$11.50, a few choice heifers at $11.75 and medium $7-$9, canners and cutters $5.50-$6.75, bulls $7-$9.50.

Calves: choice $13.50-$16.50, common sealed veals down to $10.

Lambs: common to medium $9-$13.50.

HOGS

Toronto, Feb. 14—(CP)—Prices were up 15 cents cwt. at Hamilton and Toronto today on the basis of bacon-hog markets, reporting today, Dressed Grade A, delivered, Hamilton $17.90, Lansdowne $17.56, Hull and Sherbrooke $17.75, Stratford, at farmers, $17.56, to truckers, $17.65.

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Burrs

Burrs—The February meeting of the W.A. met at the home of Mrs. Ewart and Mrs. Douglas Harris on Thursday afternoon. Though cars could not be used due to drifted roads, an attendance of sixteen members was reached with the aid of sleighs. Plans for holding the annual birthday supper were discussed. A letter from the Dominion Women's Association, Council of the United Church of Canada was received inviting the Association to become a group member of the Dominion Council. Mrs. Douglas Harris, Mrs. Eric Edwards and Mrs. Stella Brooks contributed readings. The roll call was responded to with Valentine greetings. The March meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Tom Riordon. Mrs. Don Osterhout was received on the program committee.

Mrs. Harold Hall and Mrs. Cyrus Pulford opened their homes for Red Cross quiltings on Tuesday.

Mr. Douglas Harris has been confined to his home through illness for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Murney Parks were recent guests of friends and relatives in Oshawa and Toronto and were in attendance at the Ice Follies at the Maple Leaf Gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Osterhout were tendered a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blake Richards of the Dundas Community on Monday evening.

Several homes have had interesting guests. Mrs. Ida Wood is the appearance of blue jays in quest of food, where they had been cut up at the home of Mr. Gerald Brooks at Consecon. Cee came to the kitchen window sill at the home of Mr. George Huffman while a pair have been coming for crumbs and fat for several weeks at the home of Mr. R. Bates. Also a pair of nut hatches.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Burkitt and Pte. Harry Burkitt were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burkitt on the occasion of the host's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. E. Anderson and Mrs. S. LaPointe were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Worden on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osterbout were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Adams, Amelias-burg.

Miss Mae Brooks was the tea hour guest of Miss Pauline Burr on Saturday. Miss Pauline Burr was the Sunday noon hour guest of Miss Mae Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Middle were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Fulford.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sobie and family, Consecon, had a happy surprise, at an early hour Wednesday morning when their front door opened and a familiar voice said, "Hello, Mom!" It was their son, Cpl. A. W. Sobie, arrived home on relation leave after several years' service in Italy. They had not received the cablegram stating his home coming and were much surprised and overjoyed.

Marmora

Marmora—Two euchre parties were held in St. Paul's Parish Hall this week. On Monday evening, March 5, C.G.I.A. were hostesses, the sponsors. The winners were Henry Blake and Mrs. A. Ellis. Henry Fluks also won the consolere in the drawing held the same evening. On Wednesday evening, members of St. Paul's Ladies' Guild held a party with the honors going to Mrs. Don McInroy and Mrs. John Fox.

The Young People's Guild, a thriving organization of young ladies of Deloro who banded together a few years ago to help the church effort, decided upon a Mothers' and Daughters' meeting for Thursday evening in the Deloro Hall, to which they also extended invitations to the Deloro Red Cross executive, Mrs. F. B. Wright, Mrs. G. E. Blake (formerly of Deloro, but now of Tweinton) to be guests. All the mothers were in attendance, thus fulfilling the best hopes for the success of the gathering. The program opened with greetings to the mothers being extended by Anne Barlow, which was followed by a short address by the president of the Y.P.G.I.A., Audrey Jane McNally. Next the girls rendered their Club Song. Succeeding this was the Roll and the Secretary's report. Then the mothers were asked to view the girls' work which was on exhibit and later given to the Red Cross through the President, Mrs. L. K. Crawford. Mrs. C. W. Whittemore, vice president, Mrs. Lorne Brickman, secretary of the Deloro Branch, then conducted a question bee, girls asking, "Carry on Canada", and the girls presented a short skit, "Hot News". A few games of bingo and progressive euchre after which the presentation of a small gift with a bouquet of spring flowers was made to Mrs. L. B. Wright, who will be leaving with Mr. Wright on Wednesday for their new home in Vancouver. The serving of a delicious lunch concluded the evening's program.

The girls of the Club are now preparing for their annual February stamp drive in which the executive receives the hearty support of the organizer, Miss Sara M. Scott.

Victoria

Victoria.—The attendances at Sunday School, Sunday morning, was rather small owing to road conditions.

The Women's Association met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Brickman on Wednesday. A pot luck dinner was enjoyed and two Red Cross quilts were quilted. Proceeds amounted to $6.50.

Mr. W. H. Mooomey spent a few days recently in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bedell spent Wednesday at Mr. Lorne Brickman's.

Mrs. Will Hubbs, Hayland, accompanied by Mrs. G. Pyrach, spent a recent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adams, Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Green were recent supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brooks.

Mr. Farm Forum was held last Monday at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brickmark. Following the regular discussion euchre was enjoyed by all.

Master Raymond Waterhouse is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. W. Hubbs.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Waterhouse on the birth of a daughter, at the Belleville General Hospital on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brickman, Odd and Margaret, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sarah Fox and Ray at Belleville.

Leo Fox and Wilbert Green spent Wednesday evening with Carl Brickman.

The Girls' Club met at the home of Percy Storms of Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Brickman spent Friday afternoon in Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Green, Wilbert, Ronald and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox and Leo, were callers Saturday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Sarah Fox's.

R. Fox's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Montgomery were Sunday visitors at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Barber and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wall and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Montgomery.

ELECTRIC EYE RECORDS SPEED

Schenectady, N.Y., Feb. 14 (AP)—An electronic eye that records the exact level of slovenly rotation known is now in war work. General Electric Company announced that the newly-developed photoelectric tachometer will indicate a speed of approximately 200,000 revolutions a minute, or one-so-slow the human eye can hardly follow it. In the war effort, it may be used to measure the speed of model aircraft plane motors in wind tunnels.

WEEKEND FEATURES

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A ruffled, puffy dot marquisette curtain. Colors of blue, green and dusty rose on a white ground. Four-inch ruffle including tiebacks. These are beautiful bedroom curtains. Size about 36" wide, 3¼ yards in length.
Pair 3.50

COTTON

Printed Cambric

A floral or paisley patterned, printed cambric in a glazed finish. Suitable for quilt covers, cushion covers, curtains and chair covers in combination colors of green, rose and blue on a black ground. About 31" wide.
Yard ..... 59¢

COTTON

Oval Rugs

A reversible oval style cotton chenille rug. Underneath, bedroom, and washable, suitable for bathroom or sunroom. Size about 22" x 36". Each 3.50
Size about 36" x 48". Each .. 4.75

PRINTED FLOCK

Marquisette Cotton

A very pretty cotton marquisette curtain material. Colors: blue, red, green, and a white ground with a design in the glaze. In breakfast room, kitchenette, bedroom or bathroom. About 48" wide.
Yard ..... 69¢

Rexoleum Rug
WITH TWO MATS

A felt base, printed pattern, borderless floor rug and two bordered mats. In a modern style pattern in combination colors of green, brown and dark wine on a fawn ground. Rug size about 6' x 9'. Two small rugs about 18" x 36". Set 2.95

C.D.S., Second floor

PERKY AS THE FIRST ROBIN

COATS
FOR "MISS 7 TO 16"

Just as surely as robins return in Spring, so will your girl want a Boxy raglan, gaily and casual Polo Cloth Coat and like early bird first comers have best selection. Colors: Red, green, fawn, buttons to match. Cotton plaid body lining. Shawl collar is a style fit with extra warmth and seasons of wear. Slash pockets should be plaid reversed to the back to help fill the sentimental weather. Casual raglan sleeves — vent effect in blanket and set in pockets are details that spell "Miss 7 to 16". Sizes 7 to 16. Each 11.95

WELL MADE

Clothes Horse

Sturdily built of wood, about 5' high, with three sections, each 23" long. Folding type and has twelve drying bars in all. Folds flat when not in use.
Price 1.09

Water Pails

Made of heavy galvanized iron. Ball handle makes it easy for carrying. Size about 10½ quarts.
Each ..... 39¢

Folding Tub Stands

Wood construction. Stands about 21" high. Light, handy washday need that folds flat when not in use. Size about 16" x 16" inches.
Price 1.29

Washboards

With zinc surface, length about 22" long and 11½" wide. Inexpensive washday need.
Price ..... 49¢

C.D.S. Basement

Water Glasses

Bright colored water glasses in tulip design. Colors red and blue.
Each 10¢

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Rayon Crepe

New Spring patterns in light and dark grounds, with gay contrasting floral figured and stripe designs. Make pretty dresses, house coats or blouses. About 36" wide.
Yard ..... 49¢

Striped Flannelette

Soft, firm and fleecy quality that will wear and wash well. Makes cosy pyjamas or night gowns. About 36" wide.
Yard ..... 29¢

C.D.S., Main floor

Children's Overalls

Made of checked gingham covert cloth and cotton ties lots of freedom for fun, lots of protection also. Colors: blue, red, navy, green, brown and khaki.
Prices ..... 89¢ to 1.98
Sizes 1 to 3 years.

CHILDREN'S

Cotton Frocks

Made of prints, seersucker and linene in one and two piece styles. Jackets with buttoned front and skirts pleated all around. Colors: green and white, and blue and white.
Sizes 3 to 6X .... 1.49 to 3.98

DIAPERS

Flannelette absorbent white cotton with fluffy nap on both sides. Size about 27" x 27".
Price, dozen 1.69

BIRDS' EYE

Tiny diamond pattern smooth finished on one side with soft brushed nap on the other. Size about 27" x 27".
Price, dozen 2.29

"CURITY"

Woven of fine super soft cotton, light, cooler, more absorbent. No hems or bulkiness. Bleached snowy white. Size 21" x 40".
Price, dozen 2.98

—C.D.S., Second floor.

YOUTHS'

Fingertip Length Topcoats

Snappy, reversible type in wool and cotton hound's tooth tweeds, with tan cotton shower resisting twill on reverse side. Made with slash pockets, military collar. Colors: brown, green and grey. Sizes 32 to 36.
Price 18.95

BOYS'

Sweater Jackets

Button front, wool and cotton jacquard knit sweaters, with two pockets and button-up neck. Colors: green, and tan. Sizes 26 to 34.
Price 2.98

Boys' Fine Shirts

Fine quality stripe cotton broadcloth in collar attached style. Fully cut for comfort. Colors: tan and blue. Sizes 12 to 14½.

1.00 and 1.39

—C.D.S., Second floor

CHILDREN'S

SHOES

Neat looking in black or brown side leather and oxfords for children; ample toe room, smooth insoles, leather arch cuticles, for dress or general wear.
Sizes 6 to 7½. Pr. 1.98
Sizes 8 to 10½ 1.79
Sizes 11 to 2 ..... 1.98

—C.D.S. Main floor

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GIRLS' SPRING COATS

- The Fitted "Junior Chesterfield"
- The Boxy "Slip-on"

Two winners for budding stylists of 12 to 14X who know what they want in smart coats. Junior Chesterfields with the flattery of a contrasting velveteen collar — trim Guardsman-like smartness of eight-buttoned, double-breasted styling, in rayon and wool Fleece coating with Rayon lining. Colors: Sand, Blue, and Gold-color. Sizes 12 to 14X in the group.
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Chantal wool Shag coat in Boxy slip-on style in warm camel shade .. buttoned neck .. self-in slash pockets .. novel shoulder detail .. raglan effect sleeves .. twilled rayon lining .. simulated leather buttons. Sizes 12 to 14X. Each 15.95

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CHILDREN'S

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With tuck front, Peter Pan collar with lace around edge of short sleeves. Sizes 7 to 12.
Price 1.98



Children's PLEATED SKIRTS

All-a-round all plaid wool pleated skirts on white cotton top. Colors: blue, turquoise and red. Sizes 7, 8 and 10.
Each 3.98

C.D.S., Second floor

THE CANADIAN DEPARTMENT STORES LIMITED

Probabilities
Lower Lake Region: Cloudy and mild with occasional rain tonight and part of Friday, followed by strong winds and colder with snowflurries.

The Ontario Intelligencer

Temperatures
Max. Min.
Today 36 30
One Year Ago 30 5
Snowfall: 1 inch
Weather: Cloudy.

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CANADIANS REACH RHINE OPPOSITE EMMERICH REDS REACH GOERLITZ IN 22-MILE THRUST

Speed of Drive Indicates Dresden DefenceCrumbling

Cross Neisse River in Area Only 65 Miles From Berlin

(By JAMES P. KING, ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFF WRITER)

London, Feb. 15 —(AP)— A German military spokesman said today Russian tank and cavalry forces, smashing ahead 17 miles in 24 hours, had crossed the Neisse river in an area only 65 miles from Berlin in the drive on the German capital from the southeast.

Other columns of Moscow dispatches said, had raced 22 miles in the offensive west of Breslau and reached Goerlitz on the Neisse only 53 miles east of Dresden and now were battling for bridgeheads in southern Germany.

Marshal Ivan Koney's steadily reinforced blow fell with a speed and success which suggested that German resistance had been almost paralyzed.

Allied Bombers Assist

Allied bombers continued one of their greatest offensives just ahead of the Soviet columns.

British, Canadian and United States bombers smashed at the clogged railyards at Cottbus, only 12 miles west of the deepest penetration claimed by the Russians, and dropped tons of bombs at Dresden, Chemnitz, Berlin and Magdeburg.

The Berlin military spokesman said Koney's free-wheeling columns had reached military highways both northwest and southwest of Forst, 65 miles from Berlin.

Forst is on the west side of the Neisse, 12 miles east of Cottbus and 40 miles north of Goerlitz.

The town is the west-east of Sommerfeld, which the Germans said the Russians reached yesterday.

The Germans said Koney in this area had established a "loose connection" with Marshal Gregory Zhukov's forces fighting east of Berlin, where they have established bridgeheads over the Oder south of Fuerstenberg. Fuerstenberg is 57 miles north of Forst.

To the south Koney apparently had by-passed the important railway junction and stronghold of Kohlfurt in 22-mile thrust from Bunslau to Goerlitz on the Neisse, last natural barrier before Dresden.

Kohlfurt, 11 miles northeast of Goerlitz, is a fire-point ready to give way centre.

Pravda first announced Koney's thrust to the Neisse, the last major water barrier before Dresden. Its correspondent said when groups of German troops had been captured, by-passed or sealed off in a spectacular 35-mile advance.

The speed of the drive indicated German resistance in the sector was crumbling.

The new successes of Koney's troops left the Silesian capital of Breslau surrounded some miles to the behind the Soviet vanguards, and the German said the fight for the city of 620,000 was at a climax.

Moscow announced that Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's White Russian army had completed the conquest of the holdout fortress of Schneidemuhl 9 miles below the Soviet lines in Pomerania to the north, hitting more than 7,000 Germans and capturing 5,000 after a two weeks' siege.

Other Russian troops driving northward through the Polish corridor captured 50 additional towns in an area some 60 miles southwest of Danzig and were little more than two miles from the communications centre of Chojnice.

In the drive across Silesia Koney's army was credited with having killed 100 prisoners yesterday and taking more than 300 localities, including seven German city strongholds. Breslau said the northern prong of his advance had reached Sommerfeld, 71 miles from the German capital, and 200 Germans planes were captured, making 540 in two days.

The other prong of Koney's drive was aimed at Dresden, which was aglow with fires set by 4,000 tons of R.A.F., R.C.A.F. and American bombs. The closest co-ordination of British and American air power with thick cloud formations possibilities possibly marked the first fruits of the Crimea Big Three Conference.

A BBC broadcast quoted a Soviet military observer as saying the Allies were working together "with precision and according to definite plan."

Koney's onslaught, besides ringing Breslau, had left in its wake many pockets of German resistance including Glogau, on the Oder river 35 miles northwest of Breslau.

Moscow news dispatches said 1st Ukraine Army units had crossed the Queis River defence line, west of the Bober River, in the advance on Dresden.

Weather Forecast

Lake Superior—Strong winds with snow or part sleet. Friday, strong winds and gales, much colder again with light snowfalls or flurries.

Kenora and Rainy River—strong winds and gales tonight and Friday with snowflurries.

Manitoba—Strong winds and much colder today and Friday with scattered snowflurries.

'Greatest Political Event of Modern Times,' Says Smuts

Capetown, Feb. 15 — (CP-Reuters) — Prime Minister Smuts yesterday hailed the Crimea "Big Three" declaration as "the greatest political event of modern times" — evidence that the great powers had achieved unity in purpose.

He was replying to Dr. D. F. Malan, opposition leader in the Union Assembly, who had questioned whether the objects set forth in the declaration were the same as those for which the Union entered the war.

Dr. Malan had asserted that while, for Marshal Stalin, Yalta was a victory, for the western powers it was defeat. He accused Smuts of being flanged in Bolshevising Europe and expressed misgivings that the Polish question had been discussed without Field Marshal Smuts being consulted — "a slap in the face for South America," he said.

The Prime Minister said in reply that Russia today was not the Russia of 25 years ago and that South Africa and the U.S.S.R. were partners in the great commonwealth of the world.

YANKS CARRY OUT GREAT OFFENSIVE AGAINST GERMANY

1,300 Heavy Bombers In Night Assault Pound Chemnitz In Dresden Sector

London, Feb. 15 (CP) — United States heavy bombers carrying out one of the greatest air offensives of the war, blasted Dresden again today, and bombed the clogged railyards of Cottbus, only 12 miles from a sector in which Russian advance units were reported operating.

The raids continued an offensive highlighted Wednesday night by an RAF-RCAF attack by 1,300 heavy bombers on Chemnitz, 35 miles southwest of Dresden and one of the last undestroyed cities in Saxony.

Still another force of American heavy bombers today again attacked the synthetic oil plant outside Magdeburg, 75 miles southwest of the smoking German capital.

Sound New Alarms.

Even while this great fleet of more than 1,100 heavies with 450 fighter escorts was making those attacks, the German radio sounded new alarms. Fresh formations of Allied bombers were reported flying in over Holland and also from the south over Austria.

The attacks brought to about 12,000 tons the number of planes which have linked the eastern and western Allied fronts under a blanket of explosives and incendiaries in the last 48 hours.

Pravdia reports said tactical aircraft, also, were having another great field day against enemy road movements.

It was the second night in succession more than 1,000 R.A.F. bombers were out. Tuesday night 1,400 planes struck at Dresden and other targets. R.C.A.F. heavies also participated in both attacks.

Five powerful waves of heavy bombers, each with a strong fighter escort, were reported participating in the new daylight raids, giving Germany a scourging exceeding anything she previously had experienced.

9,000 Planes Used.

During the 36 hours up to dawn today more than 9,000 British and United States planes had loosed thousands of tons of explosives and incendiaries upon German cities, supply lines and troop concentrations.

Chemnitz was hit a few hours before the big fleets of U.S. 8th American heavy bombers, part of a force of 1,350 planes, struck at targets in Germany yesterday.

The Flying Fortress bombers last night also attacked a synthetic oil plant at Rositz, just south of Leipzig, while Mosquitos hit refugee-packed Berlin.

Announcer Nervous.

R.C.A.F. tactical planes flew almost the 1st. Canadian Army operations.

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Legislature Sittings Under Way In Most Canadian Provinces

By The Canadian Press

The Quebec Legislative Assembly having disposed of the Throne Speech today settled down to the business of its first session since the 1944 provincial election while legislation skirtings started in Ontario and Saskatchewan and continued in three other Canadian provinces.

The Quebec House last night registered its approval of the Throne Speech after minority group leaders had called for cessation of "economic dictatorship" in the province.

Andre Laurendeau, young leader of the four-man Bloc Populaire, in his maiden speech said the Bloc would co-operate with the government of Premier Duplessis but "we are and shall remain absolutely independent."

After approval of the Speech, the House went into committee of the whole to study the family allowance act.

At Toronto, where the second session of the 19th Ontario Legislature today, forecasts of a stormy time for Premier Drew's Progressive Conservative government hinged on a return of former Premier Mitchell Hepburn to House leadership of the 16-man Liberal group in the House and Agriculture Minister Douglas today leads his C.C.F. government into its first full-dress session since its election by a landslide victory in June. A special session was held last fall.

Labor legislation scheduled to be introduced covers post-war working hours, changes to bring higher compensation rates, holidays with pay and allied subjects.

The Manitoba and British Columbia legislatures have been in session for more than a week.

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CANADIANS CLOSE TO RHINE



Canadian "water rats" in the northern sector of the 1st Canadian Army front are close to the Rhine. More than 100 miles south the United States 3rd Army has made a new break in Hitler's Westwall, south of Prum.

JAP ATROCITIES IN BURNED MANILA UNBELIEVABLE

Unarmed Civilians Shot and Bayoneted by Enraged Japanese

Manila, Feb. 15 (AP)—Hundreds black from new enemy destruction destruction, United States troops cautiously tightened an interstate drive across today on Japanese so desperate they coldbloodedly shot and bayoneted civilians in bizarre revenge.

Americans of three divisions closed in on the enemy, fighting for each street intersection, amid a flood of front line reports of Japanese artillery matching the rape of Nanking.

The Americans had to move carefully as Manila's hospitals overflowed with the wounded of the Pasig River assault. The Germans were brought by demolition charges, threatened to equal that which ravaged the Escloza business district north of the river.

The doomed Japanese, holed up primarily in the Intramuros, where some walls are 20 feet thick at the base, were weakened but still fighting. Japanese artillery fell off markedly after American big guns poured a deadly barrage into the enemy-held sector Thursday and Wednesday.

Japs Hold Hospital

Troops one of the 37th. Division, bearing the brunt of the Intramuros house onslaught, yesterday reached the grounds of the Philippines' campus, a half mile from the old walled stronghold, and overran on this bay front.

The Japanese still held the general hospital nearby, however, and the American position was unlencumbered by casualties. They converted into one of the enemy's strongest positions.

(George Thomas Folster of NBC broadcast that men, women and children had been burned to death in houses fired by the Japanese, and killed if they fled the flames. He said some civilians had been bayoneted or hacked to death with sabres in "this wanton mass murder.")

A Dark Chapter.

CBS reporter John Adams said Japanese atrocities in south Manila "undoubtedly will go down in history as a darker chapter than the rape of Nanking." He said army photographers documented the story of the atrocity incidents found, at the south Manila intersection, "the bodies of 26 civilians, of which nine were babies. It was the worst I had been bayoneted, and many of them with their hands tied behind their backs. It was the worst story in other parts of the city.")

Across Manila Bay on Bataan, 28th. Division troops captured Anyay in an 11-mile push southward on the east coast of the bitterly-contested jungle peninsula. Anyay was the eastern anchor of the first defence line of the Americans and Filipinos fighting a valiant delaying battle in the spring of 1942.

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MORE ECONOMIC AID TO ITALIANS IS PREDICTION

Relaxation of Armistice Terms to Some Extent is Expected

London, Feb. 15 — (AP)—A joint British and American statement relaxing Italian armistice terms to some extent was reported in the official today as Paris dispatches declared President Roosevelt was expected to visit Rome before returning to Washington.

It was predicted the statement would promise greater economic aid to Italy and lift some of the Allied control of administrative affairs.

An Associated Press dispatch last night from Rome declared it was understood there the declaration would be announced soon in Washington and London. This dispatch said: "agreement on the most important points for post-war reconstruction for Italy was reported to have been reached after the British *steadfast*ly refused an American suggestion that the present armistice be scrapped.

The new pronouncement is believed in Rome to keep Italy still definitely in the category of a conquered country. Some Italian officials are said to have advocated full elimination of the armistice agreement on the ground it constitutes a psychological impediment to full Italian collaboration in fighting the Nazis.

The Rome dispatch said that despite the expected new declaration it was believed all secret clauses of the surrender terms signed in September, 1943, by Marshal Pietro Badoglio, would remain known only to a few.

Military security still is said to be involved.

Superfortresses Hit Again Japan's Home Island

Washington, Feb. 15 (AP)— B29 Superfortresses hit again today at Japan's home island war industries, the army communique broadcast after a war department announcement here said the important Musashino aircraft engine plant was hit by 80 superforts as well as areas in Tokyo. Structure at Musashino Bay suffered "some damage" from high explosive and incendiary bombs.

The mission was blown by a force of 500 from the Mariana Bonin command in the Marianas. A communique gave no additional details.

Earlier, the Tokyo radio reported that superforts had bombed the Tokyo-Yokohama metropolitan area and the Nagano district last night and early today and returned later in reconnaissance flights.

POPE HAS INFLUENZA

Vatican City, Feb. 15. (AP)—Pope Pius XII is suffering from influenza and audiences have been temporarily cancelled, it was announced today. Although confined to bed, the Pontiff is continuing some work through the Secretariat of State.

THRONE SPEECH FORECASTS PLAN POST-WAR WORK

Foundation To Be Laid 'for Municipal Planning'—Need Of Conference Seen

Toronto, Feb. 15 (CP)—Legislation "laying the foundation for municipal planning" and providing for the establishment of conservation and flood control authorities was foreshadowed in the Speech from the Throne read by Lieutenant-Governor Albert Matthews at the opening of the second session of Ontario's 21st. legislature.

The 4,500-word speech also said measures would be introduced providing for the fixing of minimum wage rates for women, co-ordination of the administration of advanced agricultural education institutions at Guelph, replacement of city and county jails with regional institutions where necessary and for the control of social diseases.

5,000,000 Man-Days' Work in Ontario.

A post-war building construction programme with the help and assistment of Public Works will "provide 5,000,000 man days of employment out the province" and plans of the department of highways for a road construction progress will be reached the stage so "work could be started as soon as materials and labor became arise to provide employment for returning war veterans or those now engaged in war industries."

The Speech said the government is greatly concerned about the delay of the calling of a Dominion-Provincial conference at which it has been pressing for considerably broader powers.

"With brighter hopes of victory in Europe, the need for such a conference becomes increasingly imperative and the government has again stated that at such a preliminary meeting be held to settle the principles upon which inter-governmental co-operation must rest if agreed upon, important plans for post-war reconstruction and full employment will scarcely are to be prepared on a realistic basis."

Last year the Ontario-Electric Power Commission constructed 400 miles of rural primary line, chiefly short extensions of existing lines, Speech said. This year it plans to extended service to 10,000 new customers, 7,000 of them receiving service from the Hydro-Electric System.

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CANADIANS REACH RHINE

With British Troops in Germany, Feb. 15 — (AP) — Canadian troops reached the Rhine today directly across from Emmerich.

By HOWARD COWAN
(Associated Press Staff Writer.)

Paris, Feb. 15 (AP)—Canadians fought flood waters to the wet bank of the Rhine opposite Emmerich today swung slowly along the northern end of the Rhine Valley in a drive behind the Siegfried Line threatening to outflank the Ruhr munitions industries.

The 2nd Canadian front was the only active one in the west. On its south flank, British Empire troops crashed a series of violent German counter-attacks and pressed close to the key defence bastions of Goch and Calcar, respectively eight miles south and seven miles southeast of Kleve.

More and more Germans were drawn into the semi-static battle which steadily was turning the Germans flank in the north.

Barrages from hundreds upon hundreds of Field Marshal Montgomery's big guns and huge fleets of Allied planes paralyzed every German attempt to regain country and exacted terrible casualties.

Nowhere was the German so road to the Rhur and Rhineland, the heart of every German war effort, that Field Marshal Von Model must defend every reserve he could scrape for his defending army group.

Rhine Reached at Nurendaich.

The Rhine was reached at Nurendaich. There the river is normally 2,270 feet wide but now lies in dykes in the desolate lowlands have made the river over a mile in some bulging.

At low points north of Kleve and west of Emmerich, the Rhine was as wide as the English Channel between Calais and Dover and flood waters were eight feet deep, leaving only hilltop villages and the Canadian "water rats" used amphibious tanks to advance.

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Ruhr Munitions Industries Likely To Be Outflanked

Two-Mile-a-Day Advance Made Since Drive Opened

ward the Cologne plain. On the west edge of that plain, the British 2nd and the United States 9th and 1st armies were bunched by Roer river floods, flowing from the Ardennes and Eifel borders.

The Canadians, Britons, Scots and Welsh commanded by Gen. Crerar captured Hochsteinen, nine miles southwest of Kleve, Heiden, Asperden, Winnekendonk and south of Gennen, and Warfheyen, three miles southeast of Kleve. Opposite Emmerich and its plants producing iron, chemicals, heavy goods, textiles and fall equipment, the Canadians were 13½ miles inside Germany and 49 from the great Rhine city of Duesseldorf.

Resistance Stiffens.

German resistance stiffened on the eastern and southern flanks of the oozing battleground between the Rhine and Meuse. Two bridgeheads were widened and strengthened across the Niers river along which the Germans hoped to shield Goch. One was at Hommerden, the other at Weeze. There are five miles from Goch, but vantgarde pressed to within three miles of that town yesterday.

The small Kleve state forest three miles north of Goch, was cleared. Empire troops were within three miles of Calcar, and another drive to the Rhine and seven miles southeast of Goch.

Gen. Crerar's Canadian and British troops advanced 14 miles beyond the jump-off line during the first week of the offensive, broadened the base sector five to 30 miles and on a curving front between the Meuse and Rhine, and took more than 5,500 prisoners.

Yank Outposts Withdraw From Coastal Sector

Rome, Feb. 15 (AP) — German infiltration tactics drove back American outposts on the Tyrrhenian coastal sector of the Italian front and an evening raid on the Serchio Valley indicated another slight withdrawal but the main defense line was regained, Allied headquarters announced today.

Brazilian troops repulsed an enemy attack on Mount Belvedere of Affrico, a village 27 miles southwest of Bologna.

Fifth Army forces suffered some casualties when Germans laid down heavy fire on them today from strongly-entrenched positions north of Castelnuovo.

Action on the 8th. Army front was limited to patrol activities, it was announced.

One enemy patrol attacked a Canadian post but Canadian troops south of the Valli Di Comacchio repulsed the 1st. Canadian Corps has been strengthening its sector.

The Italians, who moved into the line only a few days ago and in several weeks ago, hammered back the attackers. A second German attempt to take the positions was thwarted by heavy artillery and mortar fire.

British coastal craft torpedoed and sank a 500-ton enemy merchantship and destroyed three heavily armed vessels during the night in the Istrian peninsula at the head of the Adriatic Sea, the Allied naval command announced today.

Resolution on War in Pacific Amended at Request of Red Delegates

London, Feb. 15 — (Reuters)—A resolution on the Allied war effort which called for the prosecution of the war against Japan until unconditional surrender was amended at the request of Vassili Kuznetsov, leader of the Soviet delegation, after it had been presented to the Inter-Allied Union Conference today as the unanimous recommendation of the committee concerned.

On this committee were two Russian delegates.

The sentence, as amended and unanimously accepted by the conference, read "The war against Japan must be prosecuted by the nations at war with her" with the same vigor as the war in Europe until unconditional surrender is wrested from her as well."

Another reference in the resolution to "maximum delivery from the Nazi and Japanese aggressors" was also amended to read "Nazi-Fascist and Japanese aggressors."

Britain's reference to the Japanese war in the resolution, asking for maximum assistance by the Soviet Chinese people against the Japanese invaders, was restricted to the countries at war with Japan already in the original draft.

The amendments were not publicity submitted by the Soviet delegation, but put before the conference by the spokesman of the committee. No objection was raised in the conference to any of them.

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Coming Events

RESERVE FRIDAY, FEB. 16th. for Catholic Bazaar and Variety Social Ice Show, starring Canadian figure skating champions of Toronto Granite Club, and Belleville City Club. Reserved seats Bill Cook's Cigar Store, Ont.

City and District News

PROPOSE INCREASE IN HONORARIUM

Members of the Belleville city council are getting generous with their mayor and want to raise his honorarium to $2,000 per year, according to a news release from the city hall in the Peterboro Examiner. At the present time the mayor in the Limestone City gets $1,500, the proposed increase being added to $500. But Peterboro mayor thinks he is living all right at present and is reported to have asked the finance committee to leave his honorarium as it is. Council, however, is not with the answer that the job of mayor is gradually becoming a full time job with little time left for looking after private interests. The matter will be decided when the tax rate is set.

SGT. JACK LAIRD BACK IN CANADA

Overseas for the past 5 years the Bismillah Belleville weapon, Sgt. Jack Laird of Kingston, has returned to Canada on repatriation leave from service on the Western Front. His wife has been informed. A member of the topographical division of the R.C.E. Sgt. Laird has been serving in Holland. Attending the investiture, Mrs. Laird was advised in Belleville for the past four years as a hairdresser but, on the completion of action recently to meet her husband. While her war has been spent in Jacqueline, whom her daddy has never seen.

VALENTINE MAIL LARGEST ON RECORD

Wartime shortages of paper labor and so on can't daunt Dan Cupid his dastardly arrows it seems, with February 14th coming in the largest flow of valentines ever handled by the local postal department, according to Postmaster C. C. Trudeau. "Why a couple of days it appeared as though Christmas cards had returned," commented Mr. Trudeau. "We even had to call in extra staff to handle the rush on Wednesday." A large volume of valentine mail was dispatched for overseas and this was not so noticeable as they were mailed over a longer period.

FORMER BELLEVILLIAN WINS MINK AWARDS

One mink award at Ontario Mink Show at Woodbridge, the largest ever held, went to Mrs. Ken (Dr.) Munnings (nee Irene Kemp), of Pumsley Park, formerly of Belleville. She exhibited 3 mink and did exceptionally well. The awards are one to fifteen prizes, fifteen to twenty-five awards in each.

From a total of ninety-one standard-bred silk males, Mrs. Munnings took first and tenth, while her awards were as follows: kit males one and ten, adult male, tenth, kit females tenth and two A awards in kit females.

BELLEVILLE CLUB HOLDS PARTY

Members of the Belleville Club paid party bonges to St. Valentine on Wednesday night at an enjoyable party held in the club rooms. Members, their wives and guests danced to the music of an orchestra while those not dancing attended to enjoying themselves at cards.

Refreshments were served at midnight and dancing continued until the early hour. The function was enjoyed by approximately eighty members and their guests.

Roy Cronk Dies In Hospital After Brief Illness

Employees of the local post office department for 62 years, Mr. Roy Cameron "Wargy" Cronk, 216 Albert street, died at the Belleville General Hospital on Tuesday morning following a very brief illness. Taken suddenly ill one week ago, he had gone to the hospital for an operation but failed to rally.

Resident of Belleville all his life Mr. Cronk was born in the city, son of Mr. Charles Cronk and of the late Mrs. Cronk. He was educated in local schools, high school, and was a veteran of the last great war going overseas with the 79th Battery and transferring to the Canadian Field Artillery to the artillery. He served overseas for two years, and rejoined the postal staff here following his discharge from the army. At the time of his death he was assistant in the money order office and when working nights acted as foreman of the night staff.

He was also a member of the Masonic order.

Surviving besides his father are three sisters, Miss Hazel Cronk here and Miss Jean Cronk, both at home and Mrs. R. A. Pringle, Toronto.

The funeral announcement is made elsewhere in this edition.

Garage Owner Captures Intruder at Gun Point

Captured at the point of a gun in Irwin's garage in Deseronto, Pte. Ken Whitmore of the Canadian Army stationed overseas, was charged on a charge of breaking and entering the garage in the village of Deseronto early yesterday morning.

Edgar Irwin, proprietor of the garage, heard a disturbance in his garage and notified Chief Laughton. Mr. Irwin held the robber at the point of a gun and police arrived and arrested the soldier. Whitmore appeared before a justice of the peace and was remanded in custody until Feb. 23rd. He is also reported to be absent from the unit without leave.

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Dept. Game, Fisheries To Expand When Material Available

Toronto, Feb. 14 — (C P) — Ontario's Department of Game and Fisheries is prepared for a substantial expansion as soon as personnel and material are available, Hon. Thomas Kennedy, Minister of the Department, said in an address to the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters in Toronto.

If Ontario was to benefit from a possible tourist trade of $200,000,000 after the war, it was necessary to rehabilitate the province, he said. Further hatcheries would be built when it is possible to build them.

Dr. Norman R. Douglas of Owen Sound, suggested formation of a commission to control Game and Fish management. He said the commission should be "non-political" and should be given freedom to undertake rehabilitation of game and fish resources along practical and scientific lines.

OIL BUYS NEW PARSONAGE

Salem, Ill., Feb. 15 — (AP)—Six oil wells in the Antioch Methodist Church yard have pumped $75,000 into the church treasury, so the little congregation celebrated by purchasing a new parsonage with 10 acres of land for Rev. R. W. Roebling, pastor.

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MORTAR MEN IN ALPINE KIT



British mortar platoon commander, Lieut. D. Hemming, directs the shoot on the 8th Army front in Italy. These mortar platoons wear Alpine kit, including duffle coats, sun goggles and ski caps.

P.O. D. Beare Glad To Be Home After 35 Trips Over Europe

There is joy in the Front Street, Union Club, once again. For the popular proprietor, Dick Beare, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Beare, Bleecker Avenue, and a veteran of the war skies over Europe, has arrived home once more than two years "over the pond."

It is a modest cuss, won't say much about his experiences in his manner, while reminiscent of the well known "Dick", who formerly dispensed Bill Cook's tobacco and cigarettes, is tempered with the experience of being close to death in the camaraderie, that is born of knowing one's turn for the great beyond.

Dick is a navigator. He has sailed the flak-torn skyways of a continent that has seen its like, has himself flirted with death up to the hilt and come out.

From his navigator's seat in his Halifax bomber, he has seen the enemy hopped-up Me 109 pitted with the holes caused by the 1,000 shells of the gun mine. Thirty-five times he has flown over Germany and French territory in formation with flotilla terrifers of the air dividing wing level to keep off enemy interceptors.

In Palatine Show

He rode his big ship in the Palatine show with 1,000 other bombers. "The sky was black with our stuff," he said. A forest used as supply depot by the Jerries was blasted completely off the face of the earth by the RCAF and RAF bombers.

"There was a absolutely nothing left but a huge scar on the landscape after we went over the target," Dick related.

Like England

"England is a wonderful country," Dick asserted. "Picadilly and Trafalgar Square are places to be remembered as are other spots of the old land, but this Province in Belleville is just about heaven to me. Brother, it is certainly good to get back to a country where the sight of aircraft, the roar of big guns and other war noises seem to be very remote."

Dick left the RCAF over two years ago and did his early training at No. 5 Initial Training School in this city. He took advanced training at other stations and graduated as a sergeant navigator from a Quebec station. Shortly afterwards he went overseas and was posted to a Halifax squadron.

At the end of his second flight over Germany, Dick was given his commission as a pilot officer.

LEGISLATURE

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Attorney - General McLaughlin Manitoulins, announced in the House yesterday that every automobile owner in the province will be assessed a dollar, in addition to the car licence to establish a fund for which cannot be collected by civil action.

The scheme, which sets up an "uncontrolled judgment fund," is believed to be the first of its kind on the continent. Legislation to put it into effect was delivered during the present session, the attorney-general said.

Under the plan, a fund of from $1,000,000 to $175,000 would be established on the Highway Traffic Act to protect motor accident victims with no financial resources. An estimated 100,000 automobile owners will be assessed a fee not to exceed $1, in addition to their annual licence fees.

Leonard A. Sheppard (CCF-Delta) said in the British Columbia House yesterday the economic prosperity of agriculture depends on a permanent international action. Speaking in the throne speech debate, he said the price of Canadian wheat during the years preceding the two great wars "was set in Europe by an international cartel."

He said neither the Canadian government nor any Canadian company had anything to say.

The Speech from the Throne was confined to a review of the Liberal government's record last year and announced that the report of a royal commission studying postwar reconstruction financial resources will be laid before the House.

ATTENTION SKATERS

Due to the fact that tomorrow evening we have the big attraction of the Quinte Ice Show, which demands a big crowd for top skaters, and entertainment of the highest of city and district people who are trying to attend there will be NO public skating at the Arena tonight. We are sorry to disappoint the large number of skaters as well as with prevailing temperatures, we can look for ice in good shape, and depending on the weather we would not be able to get it right after or for two hundred skaters next same tonight.

For the information of Ice Show patrons, tickets laid away are to be picked up by 8.15 p.m. will be put back on general sale at Arena. Plan closes at 8.15 p.m. at Cook's. Box office at Arena opens at 7.45 p.m. Your co-operation in this is solicited so as many people as possible may have reserved seats and none will be idle.

Hume Arena Management.

JAP

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Sweep Entrance to Bay

San Francisco, Feb. 15 — (AP) — Twenty American mine-sweepers swept an entrance to Manila Bay Tuesday under cover of a naval and air bombardment, the Japanese radio agency reported today in an uncontirmed dispatch adding "some 10 enemy transports" were believed to be following for a sea-borne thrust at Manila.

The Domei dispatch, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, said 11 United States warships sailed in an artillery duel with Corregidor's remaining big guns while the minesweepers went to work on channels lying between the rock-like fortress and Bataan.

Domei said two battleships, four cruisers and five destroyers opened fire against Corregidor, coupled with heavy attacks from enemy aircraft. Domei asserted one of the 20 minesweepers, which appeared later was sunk and the rest "were effectively checked in their attempt to make a way through the channel."

PERMITS NEEDED

Vancouver, Feb. 15 (CP)—The Vancouver Sun in a newspaper story yesterday says that a Dominion government officials have informed chartered transforth permits will be necessary in Vancouver as well as Westminster to rent homes. The step was taken as a means of relieving the housing shortage.

COPS TITLE



Poised proudly and bedecked in ribbon is the winner of the Saluki, Ch. Marlin II. It was Marlin's 130th victory and his sixth in the Westminster. Scene was at Madison Square garden, New York, during the 68th annual dog show of the Westminster Kennel Club.

Sqdn. Ldr. Hollanquist Arrives Home After Three Years Overseas

Veteran of Mediterranean skyways and former commanding officer of Belleville's famous 400 ... Squadron Leader A. M. Hollanquist, DFC, arrived home from overseas today after spending nearly three years overseas. He is the husband of the popular Betty Westen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Westen of this city.

Squadron Leader Hollanquist is a westerner by birth, coming from Three Hills, Alberta, as his home town. He enlisted early in the war in the RCAF, and was trained as a pilot attending at the Trenton Air Station. It was during his course of training there that he met and married Miss Westen. The couple have a baby daughter.

Graduating as a sergeant pilot in Canada he was soon promoted to the rank of flight sergeant going overseas in October, 1942. He was commissioned as a pilot officer shortly after arriving in England and a few months later was posted to the Mediterranean area of operations.

He flew on several operational flights in Libya and was a few months ago was promoted to the command of 400 Squadron with the rank of squadron leader.

Brig. H. Graham Helps Soldier Wounded in Italy

Cpl. Corp Borden, Feb. 15 (CP) — Signal Sgt. Frank Ide of Kingston, Ont., today gives drill instruction to Canadian soldiers in training here, thanks to a Canadian officer who saved his life.

RSM. Turner was invalided home from Italy after Brig. Harold (Mike) Graham sniper's bullet had passed through his helmet and creased his head during an action near Ortona in the fierily fighting.

Cpl. Ide remembers only when a corporal with a couple of German prisoners came in a ditch along the road near Valguarnera," he said. "They bandaged my head, gave me water and a smoke and moved on. After that I passed out."

Brig. H. D. Graham, Deputy Chief of the General Staff, then in command of the first brigade, recognized him in the ditch, he said.

"I and other wounded were given first aid and the brigadier sent for an ambulance to have me evacuated to North Africa."

With Lieut.-Gen. Crerar, Canadian corps commander, Brig. Graham has got his old hobby, photography, and photographed hundreds of X-ray plates on 35 mm. film for a unique lecture described at length in a London medical journal.

His father, RSM. F. J. Turner, now is stationed at No. 3 Vocational Training School, Kingston.

John Thompson Sentenced To Serve 3 Months

John Thompson, Rosemore, was sentenced to serve three months in the common jail after being convicted of several charges in police court, held before Magistrate F. Wills last week. Thompson was originally charged with attempting to steal a motor car, stealing a bus, breaking and entering the Belle Ewart Inn, theft and intoxication.

Crown Attorney Arnott, K.C., represented the accused and on each count pleaded guilty to the court his client had been misled and that no conviction he was charged. The charge of attempting to steal a motor car Thompson's car was dismissed, while the charge of theft of a battery was withdrawn as was the theft charge at the Belle Ewart and the Glen Roy Creamery charge. Thompson was convicted on the stealing of the bus, breaking and entering and three months in the common jail. On the breaking and entering charge the Belleville Theatre office the accused received a three months' concurrent sentence and a similar concurrent term on the drunk charge. Assistant Crown Attorney for G. Robertson conducted the prosecution in all cases.

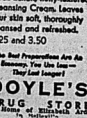
FO. William Anglin Seriously Injured

Flying Officer William Anglin, son of the late Lt.-Col. Leo Anglin and Mrs. Anglin, of Anglin-Northcroft Construction Company, and cousin of Pro. S. M. Anglin, Arts and Science, Toronto, seriously injured on active service accordingly information received through the R.C.A.F. headquarters in Ottawa. Although details are not given it is presumed the injury was the result of a flying accident. Trenton and while he was stationed there he and his wife lived in Belleville. Flying Officer Anglin is the instructor's course at Trenton and while he was stationed there he and his wife lived in Belleville. Flying Officer Anglin was in the line of injury. His mother is a former Bloomfield girl and was

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BIRTH

TURNER — At the Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday, February 14th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Turner, a daughter.

DEATHS

WHELAN — In Belleville General Hospital on Tuesday, February 13th, Margaret Hogg, beloved wife of John Whelan, 1915, Bridge street, Belleville, Ontario, in her 61st. year. Resting at Corrigan & O'Brien Funeral Home, West Moira Street. Funeral service on Friday, 2.30 p.m. Interment will take place on Friday, 3.30 p.m. in St. Michael's Church for Requiem Mass at 8.00 a.m. Interment St. James Cemetery. P14-2t

CHARLTON — At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Johnston, 10 Patterson Street, on Thursday morning, February 15th, Mary Lennox Jane Charlton, widow of William Alfred Charlton, in her 85th. year. Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, from whence the funeral will take place on Friday, February 17th.; service in the chapel at 1.30 p.m. Interment Harrowsmith cemetery.

CRONK — At Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday, February 14th., Roy Cameron Cronk. Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street. Funeral from morning and then at his late residence, 216 Albert Street, from whence the funeral will be held on Saturday, February 17th. Service in the home at 2.00 p.m. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

MOORE — In loving memory of William John Moore, who passed away February 15, 1944. His memory we fondly treasure
Are a pleasure to recall
He had a kindly word for each
And died beloved by all.
Sadly missed by his wife and daughters.

MARACLE — In loving memory of Bessie Maracle, who died February 15th., 1944.
No one can tell how sad our hearts
have been
How deep the wound, that's never healed.
We may not seem happy, smear gay,
But the sorrow in our hearts is
there to stay.
We have missed you so, dear mother
For there's no one who can ever
take your place.
—Sadly missed by daughter and
son-in-law, Mae and Floyd
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112's GRAPEFRUIT	5 for	25c
300's LEMONS	doz.	39c

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Babcock and family, Harrowsmith, Ontario, wish to thank Drs. Robertson, Blaklee and Ross; Mr. Gordon Barclay; nurses; employees of The Canadian Warner-Lamb'te; relatives and friends for all their kindness to their daughter, Orpha, during her illness at Belleville General Hospital.

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STIRLING

Parker Block Purchased By William West

Stirling — The ladies of St. John's Anglican Church Guild catered to a record crowd on Shrove Tuesday, when they held their annual pancake supper. The supper which was held in the Masonic Hall was attended by many from out of town, despite heavy side roads.

The attractively arranged tables were well laden with good things to eat and everyone did justice to the delicious pancakes, sausage, and of course plenty of pie. The ladies are to be congratulated on the success of this event.

Business Block Purchased

The Parker business block at the corner of Henry and Front streets, was purchased by Mr. Wm. West on Thursday, February 8th for the purpose of installing a cold storage plant in the very near future. Work to commence soon in converting the premises and making an addition at the rear of same.

This business block has been the property of the Parker family for over fifty years, and was owned by Mr. Francis Parker and left to his daughter, Miss Emily Parker, who was the owner for many years until the present sale to Mr. West took place.

Women's League Organized

A good attendance of ladies was present at the inaugural meeting of the Women's League held at the home of Mrs. Percy Bell on Monday evening, February 12th.

The following officers were installed for the ensuing year:

President — Mrs. Robert Simpson

Vice Presidents — Mrs. Bruce Bell

Secretary — Mrs. Edward Kent.

Treasurer — Mrs. Charlie Fairs, Jr.

Regret was expressed at the absence of the rector, Rev. C. C. Strail and Mrs. Strail, because of illness.

Arrangements were made to hold the March meeting on Monday the 19th at the home of the president, Mrs. Robert Simpson.

Successful Card Party

The St. James' Church Group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Trueman on Tuesday evening, Feb. 6th., with six tables of cards taking part in euchre.

The prize winners were as follows: Ladies' first prize, Mrs. J. E. O'Donnell; gentlemen's first prize, Mr. John Ryan; and consolation prize, Mrs. John Ryan.

The hostess served a dainty lunch at the close.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fitchett are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Mary Elizabeth, at Belleville General Hospital, on Wednesday, February 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Sharpe, Stirling, Keitha Bush of River Valley and Helen Bailey, Hawdon, attended the reunion at Peterborough Normal School on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 9th and 10th.

Miss Lillian Wood was in Toronto for a few days and attended the pre Pullis at the Maple Leaf Gardens last week.

Cpl. Douglas Patterson of the R.C.N.V.R., St. Hyacinthe, Quebec, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Patterson and attended the Cavendish hockey game at Trenton on Monday evening.

Mrs. Ernest Wannamaker is in Toronto undergoing medical treatment. Her many friends wish her a complete recovery.

The deepest sympathy of the citizens of Stirling and surrounding district is felt for Mr. Vernon Mac-Dews and daughter Lillian in their great loss of wife and mother.

Among those from Stirling attending the Ice Follies at the Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, last week were Misses Iris Bastedo and Marion Rose, also Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Tompkins.

Friends of Mr. Cayman Pinfold, Fourth Line, will regret to learn that he was taken to Belleville General Hospital on Sunday, Feb. 11th, for medical treatment. Latest reports are that his condition is favorable.

Bonarlaw

Bonarlaw—The progressive euchre party held in the Parish Hall by the men of St. Mark's church on Friday evening last, was a decided success. The winners were Mrs. McMurray and Mrs. Ida Nichol of Marmora. Tasty refreshments were served by the ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Barker and daughter of Amelianburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barlow over the weekend.

The following were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Eastwood on Sunday evening, Miss Mildred Brown of Greenwood, Ont., Glynn Eastwood of Whitby, Pte. Jessie Baker of Camp Borden, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baker.

4th Sidney

4th Sidney — Mr. and Mrs. S. Bush and Allan and Mr. and Mrs. York Bushel of Belleville were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. C. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Woods were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Woods, Belleville, one evening last week.

The Frankford Co-operative held a meeting in the Stone Church Hall on Wednesday evening of last week. In Refreshments were served by the ladies of the W. A. and Red Cross.

Mrs. G. Evans and Nancy spent Tuesday afternoon with the former's sister, Mrs. Percy Hubbard, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Hay and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Woods one evening last week.

Miss Leonore Vermilyea entertained a number of her friends from Belleville and Tweed over the weekend. On Saturday evening a sleigh-drive was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Murray and sharon, Miss Lois Sutherland and friend were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Evans.

Rev. H. E. and Mrs. Hills spent Tuesday in Belleville where Rev. Hills attended a meeting of the Belleville Presbyterial and Mrs. Hills visited her friend, Mrs. Fraser.

Mr. Edgar Lane was confined to his home with a severe cold last week.

Mrs. A. Seeley has also been on the sick list with a cold.

Eldorado

Eldorado — On Tuesday evening a number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gordon to hold a quilting party in aid of the Happy Workers. A good crowd was in attendance and an enjoyable evening was spent. Prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hubbard.

Mrs. Robert Blakely spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ed. Blakely and attended a quilting and pot luck supper in aid of the Bannockburn group.

The Happy War Workers held their regular weekly quilting and pot luck dinner at the home of Mrs. Cecil Boyle. Two quilts were tied for the Russian Relief Fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCoy of Madoc were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pigden were ten hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Blackburn on Sunday.

Mr. Kenneth Campbell of the R.C.A.F. spent the weekend at his home.

Rev. A. Poulter of Madoc was the tea hour guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Post.

Mrs. Alex Gordon is visiting friends in Kingston for a few days.

Mr. Fred Cooke spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mr. Et. Wannamaker Sr. is confined to his bed suffering from the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaw were ten hour guests on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Blackburn.

Allan Mills

Allan's Mills — Mrs. A. McComb attended the W. A. held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Brownlie of Marmora on Thursday afternoon.

A large gathering of friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Andrews on Friday evening last, presenting them with a purse prior to their departure for their new home on the 4th concession of Rawdon.

On Saturday afternoon, 10th Mrs. Jennie Wellman received two cards from her son, Rflmn. David Wellman, prisoner of war in Tokyo which bore no date; one saying: "Dear Mother:

Sorry to hear of father's death. Do not worry. I am fine. Love to all my friends."

Your loving son David."

These cards prove that David was taken prisoner. Mrs. Wellman received a letter from him in April 1944, and official word in November 1944. DAVID had been move from Hong Kong to Tokyo prison camp.

The card was sent from Hong Kong prisoner of war camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Burkitt and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Burkitt, Patsy and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and Eldon on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Gerald Haskett and son, of Ottawa are visiting Mrs. A. Haskett and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Haskett.

Mrs. A. Gibson of Belaws, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Benson.

Mrs. Mark Short who is a patient in Belleville General Hospital is much improved.

Miss Geraldine Simpson is spending a few days visiting relatives in Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McAlpine and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lain.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lain spent Tuesday with Miss Jean Lain, nurse-in-training at Belleville General Hospital.

With R.C.A.F. Bomber Group, in Britain former district superintendent of the Ontario Hydro Power Commission in Smith's Falls, Ont., J. W. Stiles, Bomber Base electrical engineer, has been promoted to the rank of squadron leader.

A graduate of the University of Toronto, Squadron Leader Stiles is the brother-in-law and relay announcer for the C.B.C. of Campbellford. Enlisting in the R.C.A.F. in January 1942, he attended the School of Aeronautical Engineering at Montreal and served for a year at Mountain View. He was posted overseas a year ago, serving on one of the stations before becoming a base staff officer.

Foxboro

Foxboro — Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Cook spent Thursday in Toronto.

A number of young people attended the skating party in Stirling on Wednesday evening.

A number of W.A. ladies spent Tuesday at Mrs. Walter Wickett's and engaged in quilting.

Crews of the W.A. ladies held their meetings on Thursday afternoon at Mrs. M. Empey's, Mrs. J. W. Daniels' and Mrs. George Hicks.

Miss Helen Salisbury of Valparaiso, Sask., is a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Ewart Sills.

Mr. Carlton Fries, R.C.N.V.R. returned to the East Coast on Thursday after spending a furlough at his home here.

Mrs. Dave Lowe of Warkworth spent a few days this week with her son, Jim Stewart and was also tour guest on Wednesday at Mr. Harold Stewart's.

Mrs. Arthur Casey of Zion spent a few days with Mrs. Frank Reginton and was a guest on Friday of Mrs. Anne Boskin.

Mrs. Marion Daniels and Miss Doris Scott spent the weekend in Toronto, also attending a Young People's Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sills were host and hostess to a number of friends for dinner on Wednesday evening, February seventh, when Mr. Sills celebrated his eighteenth birthday.

A large number attended the entertainment at the school on Friday evening and enjoyed the pictures and address.

Mrs. Wallace Hopkins spent the week in Toronto and Ajax.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Hodgen of Belleville spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. Wm. Hodgen.

Union Vale

Union Vale—The new bull-dozer owned by the McFarland Consolidation Co., has been plowing out all the cross roads. Everyone is glad to get about once more.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Brown of Picton were seven o'clock dinner guests on Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Pearsall.

Mrs. C. A. Vincent has returned home after a few days' visit with her son, Mr. Allen Vincent and family.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nobis of Cressy on the arrival of a baby girl last week. Master Roger Nobis is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nobis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Pearsall were dinner guests on Tuesday of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Collier of South Bay.

West Huntingdon

West Huntingdon — The Young Peoples' Union was held on Thursday evening last at McCurdy's home with a good attendance. Mr. Russell Sills presided over a helpful program with Rev. W. H. V. Walker of Stirling as special speaker. Speaking on subject: Post-war planning for Youth. This address was much appreciated and Mr. Kenneth Stewart voiced the thanks of the Union to Mr. Walker.

Other items on program were: — Reading by Arthur Hazell, Instrumental Sills and Alex McCurdy, Mrs. Leslie Keene and Margie Haggarty contributed a duet. Mrs. Sandy McCurdy read the Scripture lesson. Following the business period and Benediction, Mr. Geo. Ashley conducted a contest and refreshments were served.

Mission Band Meeting

The Mission Band meeting was held on Saturday afternoon at Doris Donahn's home. The roll call answered by a woman or man from the Bible answered twenty three present. Gerald Cooke read the Scripture lesson. Readings were contributed by Don. McCurdy, Gerald Donahan, Cleo Cooke, Geo. Post and Gordon Donnan. The leader Mrs. Clifford Green gave a talk. Mr. Kenneth Stewart also gave an address. Mary Elliott and Doris Donahan gave a duet and Glen Wilson conducted a contest.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John Moorcroft attended the funeral of the latter's aunt, Mrs. George Lawrence of Frankford's held at Hick's funeral parlors in Picton on Monday.

Mr. Roy McGee of Campbellford was a recent guest of his brother, Mr. Harold McGee.

Mrs. R. T. Sarles visited Mrs. Albert Reid and Mrs. Harry Wicket at Pointon on Wednesday.

Mr. Philip Carr attended the meeting of Belleville Presbytery at Bellevile on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bishop of Belleville were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wright.

Mr. Gordon Kennedy and daughters of Zion spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Wright.

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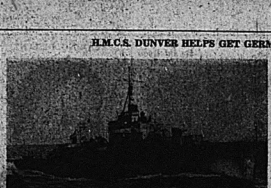
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Capitals Captured by Allies

Budapest, capital of Hungary, where Nazis fought for seven weeks at a cost of 49,000 Germans dead and 110,900 captured, has been the greatest German disaster as far as the taking of prisoners goes, since Russia was victor at Stalingrad. Material loss of the Germans has been staggering. Here Huns fought for Nazism and suffered losses which Germany cannot make good at this crucial time of manpower shortage.

Blows such as this have been frequent during the past year, that is in the point of losses sustained by the enemy. Allied armies in Western Europe have captured 903,206 German prisoners alone. This is equivalent to ninety divisions of the enemy as the divisions are now constituted and greater it is believed than the total of German troops now in the west. Of the captured enemy, 1st Canadian Army has credit for the taking of 124,520.

Budapest's fall to the Reds was accompanied by the loss of garrisons numbering 269, besides 1,257 cannon, whose seizure is credited to the second and third Ukraine armies.

These losses are fatal to Germany when considered in conjunction with the many hundreds of thousands they have lost in slain together with huge numbers of wounded.

Budapest was the seventeenth capital to fall. Berlin, seat of the lawless warlords of the Huns, will probably be the eighteenth to fall. While the loss of Berlin may not mean the end of the war it will be a great military loss and at the same time a psychological disaster of the greatest importance. It will be the sign of the end for nothing the Hun can do or say will offset the loss of the capital.

What this inspiring loss of Berlin may mean may be gathered from the words of a Russian statement regarding the drive of Marshal Koney's forces, "a sensational threat to split Germany asunder south of Berlin." That would cut off as it were Germany's head with Berlin chopped from the south of Germany.

Yalta and Great Men

Many Russian cities have been for generations in public knowledge in the Western World and the war has added to them thousands of others, many of which will remain familiar at least to the generation which has passed through the present war. But there is one name that has just been added this week, it is Yalta, that of a resort in the Crimea on the Black Sea. Yalta conference may be the last before the end of Germanic aggression and tyranny for it planned action that is to hasten the defeat of Germany and shorten the war. So Yalta will probably be remembered by posterity in connection with the Allied triumph over German tyranny.

Ages yet unborn will know the names and study the lives of the three great Allied leaders, Churchill, Stalin and Roosevelt, who met there and who will emerge from the war with the gratitude of mankind for their share with others in bringing this struggle to an end and bestowing the blessings of peace upon the world. They and the cause they represent will surely bring ages of fame to the various meeting places where the Western World chiefs have met to chart the course of freedom-loving nations through the Hitler-Nazi-Prussian-made struggle to a serene and enduring peace.

Made Into Hitler's War Machine

Germany's old and new cities have been paying a heavy price for the use that the German militarist class has made of them as channels for war traffic. Berlin, while dating back centuries, is largely a modern city but there are others of great antiquity such as Dresden, capital of the old Kingdom of Saxony, now much in the news. In the names of so many cities, now rail junctions and key positions in the Hitler war machine, one can read a part of the past of Germany. A list of the names of old capitals of political divisions of Germany indicates how ruthlessly the Germans from before the time of Frederic so called "The Great" have welded together into the anvil of conquest the separate German states, kingdoms, grand duchies, duchies, free towns, which today have only historic significance as the units which became engulfed into what has been known as the German Empire or Deutches Reich. Militarism, Junkerdom and Nazism have ruthlessly trodden on the separate German states and made one dead level as far as possible in moulding a military machine. Cities bearing old names now are considered in Hitlerite Germany only for the pivotal positions they occupy or the links they were in the chain Germany wished to forge into a power that would conques mankind.

But this military network that is and was Germany is being torn apart by the giant strength of Russia and the Western Allies and is blasted by United Nations air fleets and invaded by the armies of nations loving freedom.

War has been Germany's business for generations and everything has gone into making Germany a fortress or arsenal to enslave mankind. Nothing has mattered to her but war and aggression and everything German has been turned to the purposes of war. Old and new cities are but parts of the war mechanism of Hitler and in consequence they undergo attack because they are the homes of great war plants or centres of transportation systems.

Those "Handsomest" Males

(New York Times)

Lists of the most beautiful women, the best-dressed women, the best-dressed men or even the handsomest men never pose anything, are often amusing and do no harm. Katherine Ward Lane, Boston sculptress, thinks she has added to the sum of human knowledge by naming the ten most decorative American males, there can be no answer, except for the ten males to grin and bear it and not answer sharply when spoofed by their womenfriends. The two generals mentioned, Mark Clark and Douglas MacArthur, can't be spoofed by their subordinates, for this one believes could be considered an authority. Actors, such as Gary Cooper, Frederic March, Raymond Massey and Cary Grant, won't mind, because looking the way they do is with them a capitalizable asset. No doubt they could incorporate and issue stock on their manly beauty. Paul V. McNutt may have a grievance, and so may Admiral Richard E. Byrd, who certainly didn't rely on what nature has given him for "aristocratic features" when he ventured alone at the Antarctic.

All things considered, one is inclined to believe, first, that all women should be beautiful; second, that except in the theatrical and motion-picture worlds, all that a man needs in the way of looks is the usual number of features placed in about the customary way. The most popular men in our history have been more often plain than otherwise. Washington's expression was changed for the worse early in life by the loss of his teeth and a badly fitting new set. Franklin was as homely as an old stove and as pleasant to look at as a nicely burning stove on a cold day. Jackson's countenance was too long and angular, but he had his followers just the same. The best-loved of our Presidents had a beauty of spirit that grew until his death, but Lincoln's enemies called him ugly. He was a rugged, craglike grandeur that he achieved in the end. Perhaps it is strength that appeals, with kindliness added. Women would know about that. In the meanwhile there is little that any of us can do about the matter and therefore little to worry about.

Highest Stakes

(New York Herald Tribune)

Undoubtedly the Russians are taking chances in their drive, but they are playing for the highest stakes. And it is possible that the first flights of their real success—not in ground gained but in an army shattered—are beginning to appear. For if not the city or district that can be abandoned without a fight that is important; it is the corps or divisions cut off, the armies left without liaison with the other units on their flanks, the general disruption of organization and command that make for military defeat.

To choose time is to save time.—Bacon.

JUST FOLKS

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By EDGAR A. GUEST

AS GRANDPA

Now this, as grandpa, you will find:
That you are strangely less inclined
Than as a father round the place
From dawn to dusk, full-steam, to race.

You will discover, unaware,
As time has silver-dyed your hair
So it has also sapped your strength
And cut your walks to shorter length.

Amazed, as grandpa, you will be
To note a youngster's energy!—
You'll wonder when you were a lad
If such a boundless stock you had.

As grandpa, when their prayers are said,
You'll smile to see them tucked in bed,
And for an hour from tumult free
At evening you will grateful be.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



NEARING DEATH?



Colin Gray, five-year-old Vancouver, B.C., youngster, who must undergo a complicated heart operation before his sixth birthday on June 26, or he will die. His heart four times normal size, only specialists, one in ocion and the other in San Francisco, can save his life. Here he is at play, not knowing that death lurks near.

The War Today—
Fall of Budapest Releases Two Principal Russian Armies

By DeWITT MacKENZIE
(Associated Press War Analyst)

The European war is sweeping across the screen with such speed that there's only a flash of time in which to examine individual operations, but we shouldn't overlook the significance of the Russian capture of Budapest, for its potentialities are tremendous.

The fall of this great city—most important communications center in all southeastern Europe—goes far towards opening the Danubian route into Austria. It means that the Muscovite forces in Hungary have just about smashed the lock on Hitler's back door—a fact which should be considered in connection with the thrust toward Austria via Czechoslovakia by the converging of the Red Forces assaulting Germany. The two final operations complement each other.

Now that's the first thing. Naturally our attention is centred on the drive for Berlin from the Russian offensive to take Dresden and cut Germany in two—on yesterday's furious assault of 8,000 Allied planes under which Dresden and other key cities shuddered—on the Allied attack against the Shenish defences through the terribly floods and mud.

After Fall of Berlin

But after Berlin has fallen—after Germany has been slashed in two and the Russians have been kicked out of the northern half—what then? Well, if the Nazis still are capable of carrying on their fantastical suicide-war, we shall see them making a stand in Bavaria and Austria, providing their present plans materialize. Then they will have the Alps at their backs, and in order to shorten the war it will be vastly important for us to be able to get at them through Austria as well as by attacking from the north.

The fall of Budapest, after one of the most fiercely fought and bloody battles of the entire war, releases two strong Red armies and what there has been no announcement as to their further disposition. Observers generally have assumed that Budapest provided a terrific interlude in an offensive against Austria. Marshal Stalin "on the way" to Vienna." So he apparently is. Marshal Rodion Malinovsky, Nazi Leader at Budapest in Seven Indistinguishable Stalin also decorated a highly interesting item, in reporting that the Nazi commandant at Budapest, Gen. Karl Pfeffer-Wildenbruch, and his staff were captured in a sewer. Stalin also took pains to repeat that when the Germans sent envoys to the German command in Budapest to demand a surrender at the outset of the siege, the Hitlerites killed the envoys. Pfeffer-Wildenbruch, but the latter may well have been the man.

Whitehall Notebook

By JOHN DAUPHINEE
(CP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 15 — (CP)—There's not much danger any wooden-leg Pawkes will get into the House of Parliament in years to come. There are more guards there per square inch than almost anywhere in Britain.

When Prime Minister Churchill spoke there recently reporters had to show their passes as many as 10 times between main entrance and press gallery. One is stopped at every doorway.

Facilities for Members of Parliament to listen to debates are poor compared with those in Ottawa. The Commons Chamber was halved and the M.P.s now use the Red Chamber of the House of Lords. There are not enough seats to go around, and the members have no individual desks like those provided in Canada.

But even in the destroyed Chamber there were only 346 seats when there are 615 members. After the next election, following a parliamentary redistribution, there will be 640.

Older members, among them Mr. Churchill, argue that to increase the size of the Chamber would spoil the "intimacy" of debate which has been a characteristic of the British parliamentary system through the centuries.

But there is no argument that the House of Lords is much too small to accommodate the Commons when Westminster Hall is jammed. Sometimes there is a crowd right on the floor, or on chairs arranged outside the Bar of the House, that is the back. Space for visitors is quite inadequate.

An agreement on a proposal for the release from the services and subsequent return to their pre-election agents has been reached among the various parties.

ORDERED TENANT TO MOVE

Minneapolis, Feb. 15 — (AP) — Phillip Seltzo, real estate operator, said in court his second-floor tenant was saving heat by drilling holes in the floor just above his furnace room and kitchen stoves. Judge W. C. Lansen ordered the tenant to move.

SEEK FULL STATUS

Sudbury, Feb. 15 — (CP) — A bill to be tabled during the present session of the Ontario legislature will seek full university status for Sacred Heart College of Sudbury, it was learned. The bill proposes to give Sudbury the title of University of Sudbury.



Fuel Situation

Ottawa, Feb. 15 —(CP)— R. J. Manion, coal controller, has announced the following announcement by the Munitions Department of restrictions on deliveries of anthracite coal, coke, and bituminous coal to householders and industries in the Dominion, with regard to the capital as a strategically important defence centre "on the road to Vienna." So he apparently is. Budapest provided a terrific interlude in an offensive against Austria. Marshal Stalin "on the way"

TRENTON

Service Clubs Asked To Join Fight Against V.D.

Trenton Rotary and Kinsmen Clubs this week were asked by Trenton physicians to join the crusade against venereal disease, now much to the fore in this dominion. In connection with national health week, the Rotary club was addressed on the subject "Social Hygiene" by Dr. J. V. Byrne, a member of the Lions Club, and while Dr. E. A. McQuade, medical officer of health for Murray township, a Rotarian, spoke to the Kinsmen Club on "Victory over Disease."

Dr. McQuade told the Kinsmen that V.D. is the next big plague in Canada to go, and that Canada must be prepared to do what other countries have done in its eradication. He suggested the need for public enlightenment and personal education regarding the disease; the recognition of social and economic factors as profoundly influencing the presence of V. D.; a national and personal morality that envisages Canada as a nation of homes where all, warmth, security and affection abound, together with a high regard for justice and enforcement of the laws directed against third party participants in prostitution and against other unsavory community conditions that favor the spread of the disease. He described syphilis as a "fifth columnist," and gonorrhoea as a "fire." He advised measures to protect mothers and unborn children, also couples contemplating marriage, also early treatment of the disease when discovered.

Turning back the pages of time Dr. Byrne showed the Rotary Club that venereal disease had been a scourge in many countries in the early centuries. Dr. Byrne in urging early competent medical care pointed out various means of treatment some of which had been many or less successful. Dr. Byrne said that the disease can be cured in its early stages. To delay means oftimes death. The health of mothers and babies should be protected in this respect and many causes and sources of infection avoided. Treatment often involved long period but it depended upon early detection and early medical consultation. Speaking of the new wonder drug, Penicillin, Dr. Byrne stated that as a cure for V.D. it has been disappointing, it was also too expensive as a cure.

The speaker invited his hearers to join in the crusade against the disease.

PILOT NOW ICEMAN



Formerly a special pilot for Winston Churchill on the Prime Minister's history-making trips to all parts of the world, Capt. John Howard Ruggles now delivers ice in San Rafael, Calif. Ruggles was discharged from the R.A.F. Ferry Command because of injuries sustained last year in a Greenland air crash.

Red Roses Sent.

Undoubtedly many thousands of Valentines passed hands on St. Valentine's Day, 1946, but none with more feeling than the one received by a local high school teacher here. From a far off German prison camp came a greeting to her from one of her former students, Warrant Officer Taylor Beale, a dozen red roses and half a dozen daffodils.

Warrant Officer Beale has been a prisoner of the Germans for more than three years after having been shot down over enemy territory.

Before enlisting he attended high school here and later worked in a local drug store. His parents now live in Toronto but two sisters teach public school in Trenton.

FORMER WPB CHAIRMAN WEDS

Washington, Feb. 15 — (AP) — Donald M. Nelson, 56, former War Production Board chairman, was married last night to Marguerite S. Coolbaugh, 36, former campaign beauty queen in a civil ceremony. Nelson is now special representative of President Roosevelt and was observed about five weeks ago in Chicago.

TELL-TALE VAPOR TRAILS POINT TO NAZI TARGETS



Somewhere in the skies above the Mediterranean war theatre, vapor streams trail from Allied Liberators as they streak toward the railyards at Vienna, their bomb bays loaded with missiles that later spread destruction over a wide area. Such attacks are supporting the rapid Russian advance.

IS THAT PALE YOUNG GIRL YOUR DAUGHTER?

Parents should not ignore the depressed health, the listless, tired air, the pale face, the poor appetite of the spring spells — many develop subtle ailments that hamper when they are passing into womanhood.

If her health at this stage is not unlike that of a sufferer of good rich blood, all kinds of conditions may arise to make her later life unhappy.

So should you notice any of these distressing signs in your daughter, we suggest Dr. Williams Pink Pills at once. They help to build up the blood, to enrich the blood and have helped to transform thousands of thousands of sickly, pale girls suffering from simple anaemia into happy, healthy girls. Start them on Pink Pills regularly for a while and help with the housework, attractive in others. Remember simple anaemia may be weakening the strength and resistance your daughter will need in the years to come. Dr. Williams Pink Pills today.

Large Contingent Of Fighting Men Back in Canada

Ottawa, Feb. 15 — Many hundreds of Canadian fighting men, one of the largest contingents to return from the battlefronts in this war — came back to Canada recently after service in the European theatre.

Some of them veterans of 60 months overseas, almost all of them in the Dominion's Army were in the massive movement, which also brought British and Canadian naval personnel, airy warriors of the R.C.A.F., and some 400 wives and children of Canadian and British servicemen.

Four hundred and forty-eight of the big Canadian Army group returned on rotation leave — the second such quota from northwestern Europe and the United Kingdom. The initial lot arrived in Canada just before Christmas.

The remainder are back for numerous reasons. Some on duty, others on exchange, compassionate leave, and for medical reasons.

Still more came under the "tit-wound" scheme, which provides leave at home and posting nearby after a soldier has suffered three wounds.

Nursing Sisters in Party

Several Nursing Sisters and Auxiliary Services Superiors and a Canadian Women's Army Corps officer were among the Canadian arrivals.

A small group of British Army officers and other ranks, another detachment of the Corps of Canadian Firefighters and a South African Nursing Sister also were among those arriving.

Members of the R.C.A.F. Women's Division also disembarked.

Passengers reported a rough voyage, but otherwise, they said, it was uneventful.

Army officers, included: Lt.-Col. A. H. Jarvis, of London, Ont., and Lt.-Col. G. O. Gamble of Ottawa.

"Fellows over three or four years are raring to go to the Pacific, Tpr. Michael Torelick of Windsor, Ont., who served with reconnaissance units in the western invasion, said shrapnel from a last 88-millimetre shell cut into Kerelluk's left hand last fall.

HUGE RAF ARMADA

(Continued From Page One)

tions.

The R.C.A.F. announced Tuesday night's operations cost only one Canadian bomber, instead of four as reported previously.

German radio programs were interrupted every few minutes this morning by the voice of "Achtung Ann," the girl who warns of approaching Allied bombers. Apparently nervous, she got her announcements mixed up several times and made a number of false starts.

Chemnitz Hit Twice.

The German radio reported 1,100 bombers again over Saxony, but west of the Chemnitz, Dresden and Leipzig areas. The spearhead of one formation 100 miles long was declared approaching Neimar, southwest of Leipzig.

More than 1,300 aircraft participated in the four night R.A.F. attacks. Chemnitz was hit twice, each time by approximately 400 bombers.

The first night blow at the city was timed at 9 p.m. Fires still were raging when the second wave struck hardly after midnight.

Like Dresden, Chemnitz is believed packed with refugees fleeing the Russian advance. It also is one of the places where some Berlin government offices are reported to have been moved.

Chemnitz became the major Allied target in a quick switch from Dresden, aflame from three concentrated attacks within 12 hours.

Schoharie

Schoharie — Mr. and Mrs. Burton Baxter entertained about fifty friends and neighbors at their home on Monday evening in honor of their son and his bride Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baxter.

Mrs. George Ketchem of Wellington, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Milton Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Fox and family spent the tea hour on Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Foster.

Mrs. Harold Walters spent Sunday and over night with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Taylor.

Mrs. Walter Taylor spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Leavitt.

Miss Mary Walters spent the weekend with friends in Peterborough.

The Mount Pleasant ladies sponsored a card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs Harold Clarke on Friday evening with twelve tables in play and a very enjoyable time was had by all. The proceeds go to help provide treats for the local boys overseas.

Mrs. Ralph Stone and Barbara spent Friday afternoon in Belleville.

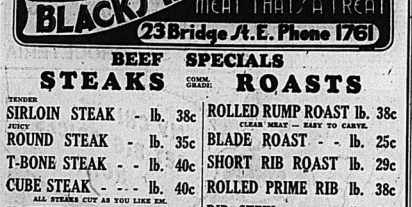
COMPLETELY CEASED

London, Feb. 15 (CP)—Manufacture of civilian goods in Germany "has now completely ceased," the German D.N.B. agency reported in a broadcast last night. "Even everyday necessities cannot be produced anymore," the radio report stated. "Everybody should use old reserves, and materials available now must last until the war is over."

NAMED AFTER QUEEN ANNE

Five rivers in Virginia were named after Queen Anne of England.





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—From the President's address.

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for the Year 1944

REVENUE (*From fees and investments*)	$2,961,029
CHARGES	2,242,490
PROFIT (*Before taxes*)	718,539
TAXES	273,588
NET PROFIT	444,951
DIVIDENDS	320,000
BONUS ON STOCK (*Paid 1 February, 1945*)	40,000
PENSION FUND (*Special contribution*)	50,000
SURPLUS (*For year*)	34,951

CAPITAL, RESERVES and SURPLUS
$7,594,154

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Ivy Horton and son William of Oshawa, have returned home after spending the past week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Joby, Ealry Street.

The Merchinier Ave. Community Organette Club held a successful card party on Monday evening at the home of R. Babcock. Prize winners, ladies, Mrs. Mabel Shepherd; Mrs. Lenora Walker. Special lady, Cheryl, consolation Mrs. D. Brock; Mens' set, Mr. Dunsberry; consolation G. Langdon, hand, Harold Darling. The draw on the apron donated by Mrs. W. La Rue was won by ticket no. 160 held by Mr. A. Barlow.

The members of St. George's guild were invited to Christ Church Rectory on Tuesday by Mrs. Speaking for a social afternoon. The tea table was decorated with a bouquet of gladioli. The president Mrs. Will Colbyer, poured tea with Mrs. Rose and Mrs. H. McPee assisting in serving. A vote of thanks was given Mrs. Keating for a pleasant gathering.

Mrs. Harry Semark of St. George St. received flowers for St. Valentine's Day from her husband Mr. Harry Semark who is with the 19th Spec. Duty in Holland.

Mrs. P. O. McTaggart, 302 Albert St. received a cable from her son, Pte. Morley McTaggart, of his safe arrival overseas.

On last Friday evening St. Michael's Academy auditorium was the scene of a very Valentine colored party given by the Sodality of the Children of Mary of St. Michael's parish. A centre table was tastefully arranged with lace cloth, red candles in silver candelabra. Nightlights of the evening were the spot dance, won by Miss Rita Flynn and Mary Kane, and the elimination dance, won by Miss Mary Jane Rinden and LAC Glynn. Prizes for the best costumes were awarded Mrs. Betty Flynn, Miss Maureen Upper, and Thel Boyle. Near the close of the evening, welcome refreshments of sandwiches, cakes, and coffee were served to the many guests.

Out of town guests at the Knast-Ebler wedding on Monday included, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Keast, of Copper Cliff; Mr. Clarence Keast, Sudbury; Mrs. I. P. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shannon, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Shannon, all of Madoc; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Henderson, Seaforth; Mrs. Wemyss and Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Wemyss, of Trenton.

WEDDINGS

KEAST—ETHIER

A very impressive ceremony took place at the Church of St. Michael the Archangel, Belleville, on Monday morning, February 12, at eleven o'clock, when Margaret Helen (Peggy), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jules Ethier, of Deloro, was united in marriage to John David, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Keast, of Copper Cliff. Rev. Father O'Donnell performed the marriage ceremony in Nuptial Mass.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father, Mr. Jules Ethier to the strains of the Bridal March played by Mrs. James Grant. During the service, Mrs. C. Clapp sang beautifully Gounod's "Ave Maria", "This Day, O Beautiful Mother", and "Because". The bride wore a stunning fiber-length white crepe gown, sweetheart neckline with dainty floral design picked out in tiny white beads. The bead motif was repeated in the long sleeves. The skirt fell in many folds and a dramatic figurine note was struck with the graceful half bows over the hipline. Full sleeves to the silver end-ed in gracefully shirred fashion over the wrist. A tiny Dutch cap with the original petal points completed the wedding dress. A bridal bouquet of Killarney roses was carried.

Miss Dorothy (Dotsy) Feeney was bridesmaid, wearing a floor length gown of rich fuchsia crepe and matching pill box hat. She carried a bouquet of Butterfly roses.

Mr. Clarence Keast of Sudbury, brother of the groom, was groomsman for the event. William Ethier, brother of the bride, was usher.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Bridal cake where dinner was served. Later the wedding party proceeded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Lascombe, Dundas Street, and the guests of the bride, from where the bridal couple left to take the evening train for Toronto and western points.

Out of town guests were from Copper Cliff, Sudbury, Marmora, Seaforth and Trenton.

It's About Time

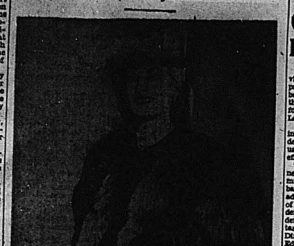


IT'S ABOUT TIME to try this subtle touch of spring upon a black coat or suit. On the lapel a bunch of violets with green leaves. And on your black hat have both green and violet veiling.

OUT-WITTED BANDIT

Montreal, Feb. 15 —(CP)— A quick-witted bandit failed at a branch of the Banque Canadienne Nationale yesterday, escaped with the theft of more than $6,000 when foiled by an alert girl. The bandit's loot was $600. The teller told him "I'm sorry," which he gave the bandit who fled.

Mid-Season Fur Style



Faye Emerson wears a silver fur table with her navy blue wool dress.

By PRUNELLA WOOD

The fur stole is tops in fur fashions just now, and one which is vastly more becoming to most women than the short fur jacket. It is just as fashionably for evening wear, too, and making an even dressier affect with one's evening gown.

Shown here with spring's light weight navy blue wool, the hat giddy with daffodil coloring ostrich and a triple choker of pearls to finish the neat affect.

C.G.I.T. Week Being Observed

"C.G.I.T. Looks to the Future" is the theme being discussed during the week of February 11-17th in the Protestant churches when the Canadian Girls in Training, a program of Christian Education for adolescent girls is reviewed. This program which is sponsored by the National Girls' Work Board of the Religious Educational Council of Canada came into being during the last war to fill the demand for a church-centred program for teenage girls. It now numbers approximately 40,000 girls.

What is C.G.I.T.?

The ideal C.G.I.T. group is the Sunday School class meeting in the midweek. The basis is the development of Christian character through vital connection with the whole life of the church. Activities or programs include worship, business, project, activity, games and singing, with fun and fellowship as important factors. The organization of group is judged in terms of growth—knowledge, skills, attitudes, Christian citizenship relationships in daily living.

A Provincial Girls' Work Boards, their secretaries and denominational secretaries direct the planning of programs and other work. National oversight is given through the National Girls' Work Board of the Religious Education Council of Canada by means of publications and through the work of the National Girls' Work Secretary. Provincial camps are promoted during the summer months and in the past summer all previous records in attendance were broken.

To fit into the theme of C.G.I.T. Week, the hymn chosen is "These Things Shall Be" a Loftier Race" with the Scriptture passage from Paul's Letter to the Philippians "Let this mind be in you which is also in Christ Jesus."

HOLLOWAY C.G.I.T.

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 13, the Holloway Street C.G.I.T. met this their mothers and members of the W.M.S. to take part in an affiliation service and also to observe C.G.I.T. week.

The rooms were prettily decorated in C.G.I.T. colors and three group secretaries, Jean Campbell, Muriel Duffin and Carolyn Rickette wrote name cards, while the Pres. Denis Dorothy Dobbs, Jean Scott, and Doreen Matthews punned them on the 25 guests.

Betty Olmen president of the department, presided and the meeting opened with the girls singing the C.G.I.T. hymn, followed by prayer.

After welcoming the guests the president conducted a brief business period. Jean Thurston reading the minutes of the previous depty meeting and Phyllis Kane giving the treasurer's report.

Since it is C.G.I.T. week in Ontario, the girls first order was the organization of the local C.G.I.T., inducting the two new local officers and groups. Jean Scott explained all the insignia of a C.G.I.T. uniform and Doris Forlard explained the necessary requirements for a chevron recognition. Mrs. Hornby and Mrs. Judd then gave a short synopsis of the work of C.G.I.T. in Ontario emphasizing the part played by the Ontario Girls' Work Board in it.

The offering for the Girls' Work Board was received by the group treasurer's Betty Nesbitt.

Mrs. Hornby, Janet Sopha with Ruth Oliphant, leader of the Junior group, leading in the dedication prayer.

Mrs. Larry Buck, leader of the Senior group told the Mission and aims of the missionary project of the year, while Dorothy Dobbs outlined the study taken, the story of the girl pioneers a true story of the Japanese Canadians.

The meeting was handed over to Mrs. Leonard Reid, president of the W.M.S., who spoke a few words of welcome to the mothers and ladies and also of appreciation to the girls and leaders for their work.

A very impressive re-affiliation service was then conducted with Mrs. A. C. Chapman, dept. of the Grp. Secretary, Bernice Stoneburg, Lois Buck, and Maureen Upper assisting from the C.G.I.T. and Mrs. Denton, Mrs. Ross Gordon and Mrs. L. Wilkes assisting from the W.M.S. The girls in turn presented the W.M.S. with $10 as an affiliation gift from the girls.

Miss Ruth Oliphant led in a few enjoyable games after which the ladies of the W.M.S. served the gathering with refreshments.

Mrs. Leonard Reidford on behalf of the C.G.I.T. expressed their appreciation to the W.M.S., and Donna Ferguson conveyed the thanks of the girls to the mothers for attending also to Mrs. A. McIntyre, C.G.I.T. mother and to Mrs. A. Hitchins, mother of Mrs. Wilkes for their help. Mrs. O. Dobbs expressed appreciation to the leaders from the mothers. The singing of Taps brought a very pleasant evening to a close.

CHATTERTON W.I.

Chatterton Women's Institute met at Mrs. Harry Reid's home in the form of dinner and Red Cross sewing bee, ten members and two visitors were present. Dinner monies realized $4, $2.85.

Mrs. MacInnes, president conducted a short business session. Plans were made for a supper meeting in March. Several more letters of appreciation, were read from boys overseas for Christmas boxes received by them. One letter worthy of special mention from a boy sent an unknown soldier in care of Capt. Lafferty. The recipient being Cpl. Gus Allen in Holland, a West Indian, who had been in Canada, only four days before enlisting in Oct. 1941 in Canadian Army.

Miss Lunn Prest expressed appreciation for her mother for a plant and white mice sent to the hospital. It was decided the treasury hold $10 to War Charities General Fund, $5 Milk for Britain, $5 to Belleville Red Cross rooms.

ST. ANDREWS W.M.S.

The last meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, was held in the church hall on Feb. 13. The president Mrs. Barnard presided and Mrs. Fleming and her group were in charge of the programme. The treasurer's report was given, three of the other department Secy's, following. The president, Mrs. Barnard was appointed to take the place of Mrs. Wood as "World's Day of Prayer" program designated for St. Andrew's. A grant of $15 was made to Miss Fraser, for her work as port secretary in Halifax. Mrs. Fleming spoke of the C.G.I.T. work and the Girls' Work Board of the C.G.I.T. Mrs. Hornby and Mrs. Wood were appointed to the board. The meeting was received and dedicated by Mrs. Hornsby and a vocal duet was sung by Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Mantis.

Wives of Members Of Kiwanis Club Form Auxiliary

Wives of members of the Belleville Kiwanis Club, noting with pride the increasing interest and better halves, decided to do something about it. As result of the formation of the first 'Kiwanis Ladies' Auxiliary' was formed.

The organization sprang into being a few days ago when the ladies decided that some ambitious could be used to good purpose behind the efforts of the male Kiwanis club members.

The ladies went about the business of organization in an efficient manner. Officers were elected by ballot and their duties will be adhered to annually. The officers of the new organization are: President, Mrs. Jack Marsh; Vice President, Mrs. Norman Edwards; Secretary Treasurer, Mrs. Ruby Flynn; Directors, Mrs. Cliff Baragar, Mrs. Sid. Logan, Mrs. Len Foard, and Mrs. Ross Silver.

One of the principal objects of the new auxiliary is to assist in the welfare work of the Kiwanis club, their wife extra efforts will be devoted to this phase of work other services sponsored by the club will receive the attention of the ladies.

Meetings will be held at the Kiwanis Centre on the first Thursday of each month, while weekly meetings will be held at the Centre on Fridays with the club centering its activities on assembling supplies for the Blood Clinic kitchen.

CENTENARY W.A.&W.M.S.

The February meeting of the Centenary Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Allens with dinner at noon. Mrs. H. Robin, the president, opened the meeting Rev. Mr. Adams led in prayer. The scripture reading was read responsively followed by the Lord's Prayer. The business conducted the business period. It was decided to contact the ladies by ring our nickles, Mrs. G. Sills and Mrs. F. Sutherland acting as leaders. A letter from Mrs. Keens was read by Mrs. F. Sutherland sang a solo which was enjoyed by all.

After the singing of hymn 156 the meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction.

W.M.S.

The Women's Missionary Society of Centenary held its meeting on Feb. 8th at the home of Mrs. Fred Allens with a good attendance. Mrs. Hall, the president was in the chair.

The meeting opened with the Doxology and hymn followed by prayer. The President conducted the business period. The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Mrs. Chas. Denton as appointed Friendship secretary in Mrs. R. Hart's place. The meeting was invited to the home of Mrs. O. Sills, Belleville to a service of prayer on Feb. 16.

Mrs. F. Allens was in charge of the study period. The theme was "Kingdom of God in Our Nation." She was assisted by Mrs. Ivy Rex, Mrs. G. Sills, and Mrs. O. Avery. The study was very interesting and educational. It was decided

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The World Day Of Prayer for Women

The World Day of Prayer for women falls on the 1st Friday in Lent.

After more than 50 years of prayer fellowship, the movement has girdled the globe and drawn into its circle women from various faiths and many nations.

Women throughout the world who have a part in this movement believe that God hears and answers prayers and that united prayer, as in the case of the early Christians can open the flood gates of Heaven and bring down showers of blessings upon those who pray and those for whom they pray.

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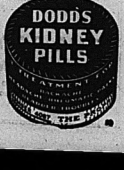
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CANUCK ALLIGATOR ON THE JOB



Here is one of the many amphibious alligators manned by Canadians, as it takes to the lowland flood waters, in its current big push.

Wooler

Wooler — Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mitchell spent a day with Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Yeomans at Codrington, recently celebrated their wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Wm. Ames has returned to her home at Codrington after visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Ellis, a few days.

Mrs. Clinton Turrill who has arrived home from Belleville General Hospital, is progressing favorably, with Mrs. Clarmont Thomas, Reg. N., in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Parley of Frankford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Chard on Monday.

Mrs. Walter Carr has returned to her home after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Palen, of Dobourg, former residents of Wooler vicinity.

Mrs. Roy Darling of Morganston was visiting her father, Mr. A. Vanblaricom, recently.

Miss Mary Orr has returned home after a week's visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Woods, of Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long entertained their daughter, Mrs. Govarin with her two children of Peterborough for several days.

After spending several weeks visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Garnet Moore, Mr. McGee and children, Mrs. Dan Hennesey, has returned to her home.

Mr. Jack Hennesey of Toronto was very recently visiting his mother, brothers, sisters and father.

Mr. Robert Cowan of Scarboro, Sask., is a guest of his sister, Mrs. M. J. O'Sullivan and will be visiting other relatives in Consecon and renewing acquaintances here.

Mrs. Dalsey Day has returned home after several days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Doonan of Pickering.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. O'Sullivan are entertaining their niece, Miss Jean Rose of Toronto at their home.

Mrs. Walter Ellis and Mrs. Roscoe Jenners spent Wednesday in Trenton guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kennedy.

Mr. John Fox of Bird's Creek spent a few days at the home of Mr. Walter Fox.

The Red Cross workers met in the United Church parlors on Thursday last with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bell were entertained at a dinner party on Wednesday, last week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clegg, Clegg, ton, in honor of Mrs. Clegg, who was celebrating her birthday.

Miss Wanda Ellis spent Saturday with Miss Betty Walker at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bell for dinner on Sunday evening were, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Moore of Belleville and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clegg of Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kennedy of Trenton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ellis on Friday.

Mr. Leo McAuley spent a couple of days in Belleville visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell entertained to dinner on Sunday friends from Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mitchell were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McAnn.

Dean Whitney and Alex Bell spent Saturday in Trenton.

6th Tyendinaga

6th Tyendinaga — Moult's War Workers held a get luck dinner and quilting at Mrs. Roy Bolderick's on Wednesday. Two quilts were completed.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bolderick were Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Goodman and family of Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Reynolds and John, Mrs. J. Reynolds and Mrs. G. Thompson and family, Carmel, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Emerson and Barbara.

Mr. Lorne McKenzie attended the funeral of Baby Bradshaw at the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Cronkrite, 4th Hungerford, spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. R. Bolderick.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McKenzie and family visited Mrs. T. Bradshaws, 3rd Line, on Sunday.

Salem

Salem — Several from this line attended the Co-operative meeting held in Melrose town hall last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. Cole and Mrs. S. Sherman have returned home after visiting relatives at Tweed.

Mr. Ross Conley also Mr. and Mrs. O. Conley, Flatford, visited and attended the Ice Follies.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blatherwick and George also Miss Marion Blatherwick, Shannonville, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Badgley.

Mrs. Merle Robinson and Donna, Rollin, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. Robinson.

Rawdon

Rawdon — Mrs. Carleton Potts spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Ray Sherry.

Jim Graham, R.C.A.F., Halifax, N.S., visited Mrs. Frank Young and George last week and then Jim journeyed to St. Catharines to visit his mother.

The church service at Mount Pleasant was cancelled Sunday evening because of road conditions.

A few from Mount Pleasant attended the Presbytery skating party in Stirling last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Phillips visited her daughter, Miss Winnie Phillips, in Belleville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sharp and family of Hoards, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Andrews.

The Peterborough bus had difficulty navigating the Iroquois Hill and on Monday the snow plow made its rounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Andrews of the 10th concession will shortly be moving to their new home on the Gerrison farm fourth concession. Last Friday evening their neighbors and friends tendered them a pleasant surprise and they were presented with a purse of money to purchase a suitable remembrance from their friends.

Miss Mabel Sharp, Wellman's spent a few days last week with Misses Alma and Jessie Johnson.

Mrs. Lindsay Pollock is recuperating in Belleville hospital following an operation.

Miss Hazel Dunham, Belleville, spent a recent weekend with her parents.

Mr. Henry Brooks, Semana, Sask., is visiting relatives in the Carmel district.

A large number of Rawdon folk attended the funeral of Mrs. Carl Spry at Springbrook United Church also the funeral of Mr. Lewis Wilson at his home, eighth concession of Rawdon.

Woman's Missionary Society.

The February meeting of Mount Pleasant Rawdon Woman's Missionary Society was held a week earlier at the home of Mrs. Don Campbell with 17 ladies in attendance.

Mrs. Ross Hoard played quiet music and Mrs. T. F. Townsend used the opening service reading as suggested in the Missionary Monthly.

Fourteen members answered roll call with the keynote "prayer."

Mrs. Percy McMullen gave some thoughts on Stewardship and all sang a special hymn. The morning's amounting to $6.30, was dedicated and four fees were paid. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ross Hoard.

It was decided to meet with Stirling women for the World Day of Prayer next year. Owing to road conditions it is easier to gather at the Anglican church in town.

Mrs. Kenneth Weaver outlined the study based on French Indo-China. In this country is the famous Angkor Wat which was buried for centuries in jungle growth. To this day no one has solved the mystery of this eastern Hindu kingdom in the forest. Rev. Gordon Hedderly Smith a Christian missionary has accomplished a great deal in this land where 150 dialects are spoken among the tribal people.

The leader read a prayer written by a distinguished Thai lady, Mrs. Rose Hoard brought a Temperance message.

The worship service was conducted by Mrs. Frank Jaffs, with Mrs. George Weaver reading the Bible verse.

Mrs. John Holmes gave a special message on the theme "Anxiety." She closed with the thought "Do not fret about troubles you never see. Trust in God and rest assured He is ever near you."

Mesdames Weaver, Holmes, and Jaffs sang a trio "God Will Take Care of You."

The worship closed with prayer for all missionaries everywhere.

At the close of the service the hostess, and her committee served lunch.

Mrs. A. Sharp had the misfortune to fracture her hip and she is now seriously ill in Belleville hospital.

Springbrook W. A. were unable to hold their special service Sunday evening because of road conditions. It is hoped to hold the service at a later date when the weather is more favorable.

Mr. and Mrs. George Watson entertained Wellman's Young People's Sunday School Class for their annual meeting.

The class made plans to hold their fifth anniversary at the church in February. They also chose as their special name "The Wellman's Wide-Awakes."

The new officers are:

President — Miss Fay Fleming.

Vice President — Ted Pollock.

Secretary-Treasurer — Jack Dunham.

Pianist — Mrs. Fred Beckett.

Assistant — Misses Mink Draney and Dorthy Hinds.

The Women's Institute of Consecon will hold their regular meeting on Thursday afternoon, February 20th, at the home of Mrs. Ernest Hall. Roll call will be answered by a current event. Mrs. Hall will have charge of the program.

Mrs. Ernest Hall has returned home after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ross Hall, Toronto.

Mrs. Ross Hall, Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ernest Hall

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Picton, Feb. 14. —The sum of $887.57 was realized from the sale of T.B. seals in P.E. Co., R. L. Bronskill announced yesterday. Sale was in aid of the Prince Edward Division of the Ontario East-Central Committee Tuberculosis Society, with headquarters at Kingston. Mr. Gerald Allison is chairman of the local committee.

Mrs. George Hepburn received word that her husband, Capt. Hepburn, who was reported seriously ill in hospital in England, is improving. Earlier, he served in Sicily and Italy.

Arrives Overseas

Pte. George Vanskiver has arrived safely overseas, a cable yesterday informed his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Vanskiver. He has been stationed at Kingston.

Valentine tea emblems decorated Andrews church hall yesterday for a Valentine tea given by the Y.W.A. and Daughters of Dorcas. Mrs. Harry Bowers and Miss Naomi McDonald welcomed the guests. Mrs. James Harvie had members of her group in charge as guests. Others entertaining parties included Mrs. (Dr.) L. Maginn, Mrs. A. E. Calnan, Mrs. G. Johnson, Mrs. F. Laird, Mrs. J. Pralick, Mrs. H. U. Tuber, Mrs. H. Hepburn, Mrs. Miss C. Hill, Miss M. Dunkley.

I.O.D.E. Meeting

A total of $6,336 was raised during the past year by city Chapter, Picton Chapter, I.O.D.E., it was disclosed at the annual meeting. It was reported that the sum of $214.50 had been raised in the recent drive for the I.O.D.E. Red Cross Library Fund. Mrs. S. J. Collier and Mrs. Fra E. Martin were convenors of the drive.

Mrs. W. O. Grottsler, who is leaving town, resigned that office.

YANKS MOPPING UP IN MANILA



American infantrymen and tanks move through Manila past the Far Eastern university building on one side and a dead Jap, who didn't get far enough, on the other, as the mopping up of Manila's industry every building of importance in Manila by retreating Japs. Today the remaining Japs in the city are believed trapped in the old walled section.

Mrs. Ray Clapp was named as successor to the Regents are Mrs. Nesbitt McKibbon, Mrs. A. Walton; Secretary, Mrs. Earle Bennett; Mrs. Harold Carpender, assistant; Treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Storms, with Mrs. Roy Leavitt assistant; Educational Secretary, Mrs. Sherman Young; Echoes Secretary, Mrs. Ralph Gibson; Standard Bearer, Mrs. C. Goodwin; Councillors, Mrs. R. Gibson, Mrs. Nick Gilbert, Mrs. F. McKee, Mrs. S. M. Sinclair, Mrs. N. J. Medhurst, Mrs. W. Tait, Mrs. J. Collier, Mrs. J. Irvine, Mrs. M. Conway, Mrs. G. Hicks.

Mrs. A. H. Walton gave a report of work done during the past year. This included a large quantity of knitting and sewing as well as comforts sent to Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment overseas.

Mountain View

Mountain View — Miss Elizabeth Jordan was a Monday afternoon caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones, also Mrs. David Howe, attended the Ice Follies at Toronto on Tuesday.

Gnr. Harry Burkitt of Toronto spent a couple of days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Burkitt and Muriel.

Miss Betty Keeble of Belleville spent Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Keeble and Mary.

Miss Yvonne Poste spent the supper hour on Wednesday with her aunt, Miss Lillian Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Burkitt and Harry spent the afternoon on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burkitt of Stirling.

Mrs. Jack Miner and Mrs. Patrick Gallick of Odessa, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wood and Mrs. Bruce Graham.

Miss Rita Foster spent the weekend with Mrs. Bert Stetson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton spent Sunday visiting friends at Consecon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibson and family of Ameliasburg, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Gibson and family.

Miss Yvonne Poste was a Saturday visitor at the home of Miss Lillian Sprague.

Several people are suffering from severe colds and flu in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wallbridge and Douglas of Massassaga, and Mr. Leland Sprague were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. J. G. Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Anderson, Mr. John and Miss Ann Anderson, spent the dinner hour on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Davern of Wellington. Mr. and Mrs. Harley Anderson were also guests at the same home.

Mrs. Mary Belle Cunningham spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. William Burkitt and Muriel.

Marmora

Marmora — Flight-Lieut. Thomas G. Reid, D.F.C., is spending a month's leave with his mother, Mrs. Thomas Reid, at Deseronto. His citation reads: "During the past two years, this officer has completed a large number of operational sorties, the majority of which have been transport operations in support of the army air forces in North Africa, Sicily and Italy. He took part in both the landing of troops and supplies in the operations in Burma, where, despite adverse weather, he showed the utmost determination to reach his objectives. At all times he has set an inspiring example by the skill, courage and resolution he has displayed."

Flight-Lieut. Reid was awarded the D.F.C. on June 2nd, 1944. His homecoming was saddened by the demise a month past of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Shannon, Mrs. L. P. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shannon attended the Knox-Ehler wedding at Belleville on Monday.

A miscellaneous shower was held in the town hall on Monday evening in honor of the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Auger. About two hundred and fifty guests were present and dancing was enjoyed to music furnished by the Trent Valley Ramblers. The couple received many useful and pretty gifts for which they thank their friends. Lunch was served.

The Junior W. A. of St. Paul's Church attended in a body the W. A. gathering in Christ church hall, Belleville, on Monday evening.

Mr. Gordon McFarlane is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

C. W. I. Meets

The February meeting of the Catholic Women's League was held in Sacred Heart School hall Monday evening with the president, Mrs. R. D. O'Connor, presiding over a good attendance. The meeting opened in the usual manner with prayers for peace led by Rev. M. J. Farrell. Letters of thanks were read from sick members of the parish who had received gifts of fruit, etc. Miss Mary Hughes, convener of the Red Cross, gave out yarn for knitting and also material for making quilt blocks. The president advised the members that the box of used clothing for Russian Relief had been packed. It was decided to hold a bake sale in February/30th. Rev. Father Farrell gave a brief address after which a sing-song was held. The members of the Holy Name Society then joined the members and some bingo was enjoyed and lunch was served. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

Holy Name Society

The February meeting of the Holy Name Society was held in Sacred Heart School on Sunday evening, with the president, W. A. Shannon, presiding over a good attendance. The meeting opened in the usual manner after which the president gave a brief report of the activities of the Society in the first six months of the fiscal year. Charles Nicholson gave a talk on the patron saints of the different branches of the armed forces. Rev. M. J. Farrell then addressed the meeting after which a free dance session period was held. The members then joined the Catholic Women's League and bingo was enjoyed and lunch was served.

Popular Couple Leave Delora.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Wright left on Wednesday afternoon for their new home in Vancouver. The former has been associated with Deloro for a period of forty-seven years, the last thirty-eight of which have been spent in continuous service for the Deloro Smelting and Refining Company, Limited. As has been truly said "You cannot think of Deloro without thinking of Mr. Wright." Mr. Wright received his early training as a chemist in England and joined the staff of the Canadian Goldfields, Limited, at Deloro, as a chemist in 1897. By this association he was interested in the production of gold from the local ores, and continued to work for the Company until 1901 when the operations at Deloro were terminated. Still interested in the production of gold, he moved to Australia. After several years in that country, where incidentally, he met Mrs. Wright, he returned to Canada via England and in 1906 came back to Deloro to be superintendent of the newly organized Deloro Mining and Reduction Company, Limited, serving in that capacity until 1913 when he was appointed manager. The following year he was promoted to the position of general manager which position he held with the original company until 1916 when the name was changed to Deloro Smelting and Refining Company, Limited, continued as general manager of the new company until 1940 when he was appointed vice president and succeeded by the late R. (A. Elliott as general manager, in addition to this, Mr. Wright has filled a real niche in the affairs of Deloro village. He served as reeve of the council for many years, eventually seeing the village incorporated. He was a prime mover in the formation of the social welfare of the community and a member of the curling Quartette and playing violin solos which will be pleasantly remembered by those privileged to hear him. In the field of sport he was a top notch tennis player and a keen supporter of all pastimes apshores by the former Athletic Association. In particular he enjoyed watching a soccer game. Mrs. Wright has been linked strongly with all that has been carried on in the village in the form of women's activities. For the past two weeks Mr. and Mrs. Wright's many friends have been entertained in the district, and while their loss to the community will be keenly felt, their best wishes for a prosperous future in Vancouver go with them to Vancouver.

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SMITH BROS. COUGH DROPS	59c, $1.50
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SOMETHING AFOOT IN GERMANY SAYS CORRESPONDENT

Sees Signs Rank and File of German Troops May be Asking Awkward Questions

By JON KIMCHE
(Reuters Military Correspondent)

London, Feb. 15 —(Reuters)— Something is afoot in Germany, it may surprise the Allies.

"The evidence comes from the Nazis themselves. During the last week the radio press transmissions by the propaganda ministry to the German forces at the front have become a long series of arguments with the German rank and file.

The newspaper for the German forces in Norway discusses the situation in the east and echoes questions that the author has heard asked on every side:

"How could all this happen? Had we again under-rated the Russians? Has the whole of our centre been blown away like a cloud of dust? Have we no more reserves? What about our armament and food supply now that we no longer hold Upper Silesia and Polish territory?"

The answer to these soldiers' questions is striking by the lack of Nazi self-confidence it reveals.

"We must remain sober and not make pathetic statements nor yield to worries about the past or speculations about the future. Shut up the people, pessimists and rumor mongers."

Another event has clearly upset the German rank and file on many fronts. Monday's issue of the German forces paper contained this significant item:

"When hearing the German High Command communique, many a German may ask why should the German soldiers capture Szekesfehervar (in Hungary) when Oppeln (in Germany) has to be adandoned? Why can formations of the army and the Waffen S. S. break through enemy positions between Lake Balaton and the Danube (Hungary) while Soviet tanks endeavor to establish bridgeheads across the Oder?"

Again the official answer can hardly convince the questioners.

Field Marshal Albert von Kesselring in Italy appears to have the same problem on his hands. On Sunday a special, grave, translation to the German troops in Italy sought to counter the German worries on that front.

These are a few examples of what is going on at the German front. They all indicate, without a doubt, that perhaps for the first time in this war the German rank and file are beginning to question the infallibility of their leadership, to ask awkward questions, to indicate a state of dissatisfaction.

Priest, Who Defied Nazis, Walks To Allied Lines, Then Broadcasts Back to Huns to Quit Fighting

By THOBURN WIANT
(AP War Correspondent)

With U. S. 94th Division, In Germany, Feb. 15—(AP)—A 36-year-old former priest of Theodow Cardinal Innitzer's Vienna Archdiocese never preached before as he preached Tuesday.

For few hours before he was a private in the German army on the front southeast of Luxembourg. For weeks he had not been permitted to say mass. Then, like Cardinal Innitzer, he defied the Nazis. He decided to go ahead and take the consequences. For that his commander kept him under arrest for 10 days and threatened him with confinement in a concentration camp.

When the 94th Infantry Division increased its pressure the commander ordered the priest to take a machine pistol and fight. The priest took the pistol and walked up to the front lines. He kept right walking—into the American front lines.

Wednesday, over a loudspeaker, his voice rumbled two miles deep into the German lines.

The priest said:

"As your comrade and chaplain I want to say a few words. When I was captured I was received with open arms.

"I want to implore you now, my comrades, to cease these bloody doings, this murder. Put your weapons away, come over to us here because it is senseless to continue fighting.

"To you really believe Adolf Hitler and those officers close to him can give you the promised peace? No, never, comrades. Because a man ridden by the Devil can never bring peace to our Fatherland."

Kinsmen Fag Fund

"We would practically have to do without cigarettes if it were not for organizations like yours in Canada," wrote J. V. Mills from overseas to the Kinsmen Fag Fund in Toronto. Similar admissions are weekly received by Chairman Buster Lalkarr to indicate the importance the gifts of tobacco, smilingly lives of Canadian boys serving overseas, mean to them. When a gift is as plentiful as they are in the Dominion.

Even from North Ireland, where John Dall put in port with his naval unit, came praise of cigarettes received there. "It doesn't take long for the Kinsmen Fag Fund cigarettes to catch up to we sailors and the whole crew enjoy them," wrote Dall. From the Army in Italy, Holland and Belgium come similar replies, all repeating in keep up the good work, send up plenty of those good old Canadian cigarettes.

The list of Belleville boys sent individual shipments of 200 cigarettes through the Kinsmen Fag Fund this week included:

Norm Adams, S. L. Allison, Harry Artis, E. F. Barrett, D. D. Beaupoon, R. Brennan, H. Blakely, W. H. Campbell, Bill Carson, Jim Clark, Bill Colder, R. J. Collins, J. W. M. Cook, V. Dulyea, O. Davenport, Clarke Doyle, W. A. Dennison, Sam Domenico, H. Edmondson, S. Ellis, Harold Ellis, H. Fitzgerald, D. B. Fralick, E. E. Fry, Jack Gilchrist, E. T. Givens, H. Goalin, C. Hill, G. J. Houle, D. W. Keays, Geo. Laughlin, Jim Ling, W. E. Lynch, Robt. Martin, A. A. Mills, Bill Morgan, J. E. Muir, Malcolm McLaren, Gerry Nelson, Jeffrey Noakes, L. J. Noakes, T. D. Patrick, Norm Pennington, K. L. Reid, Gordon Sisson, Percy Smith, J. W. MacPherson, J. T. Scanlan, L. M. Lawson, Keith Scott, G. Cecil Scuse, Scott, H. W. Adams, D. Seaborn, T. A. Duggan, J. H. Sharpe, W. J. Hunt, R. J. Shoebridge, M. Hall, Bill Short, E. A. Mitchell, L. W. Short, W. S. Mullins, J. Simpson, Wm. Stevens, T. J. Sutton, Prisoner of War O. J. Swanzer, Fred Taylor, Hagyn Thibault, Bill Towns, C. Wandamaker, A. Westlake, Jim Wilson and Louis Yanchuk.

One Man Killed In Garson Mine One Is Injured

Sudbury, Feb. 14 (CP)—One man was killed and another seriously injured last night in the nearby Garson mine of the International Nickel Company. The men were working on the drift round started to fire before they were in safe shelter.

Clarence McMillan, 36-year-old shift boss and driller, died in hospital a nearby Copper Cliff about two hours after the accident. He formerly lived at Strathclair, Manitoba, and has worked at Inco since 1942 except for a brief period on his Manitoba farm.

Nick Pearchuk, 38-year-old Sudbury driller, was seriously injured. Cause of the accident is being investigated.

EARLY ACK-ACK GUNS

As early a 1909 both the United States and Germany had anti-aircraft guns.

Silent Bats Hear Way Around

(By Alan Devoe in Pageant Magazine)

Bats, as everyone knows, are creatures of the darkness. They frequent the depths of pitch black caves; and they emerge in flight over the countryside only when daylight has gone.

How do bats, which skim through the air at high speeds, manage to avoid running into obstacles?

The answer to that ancient mystery of natural history has been a long time coming. The recent development of the scientific study of supersonics helped give it. In the soundproof Cruft physics laboratory at Harvard, Dr. D. R. Griffin and Dr. Robert Galambos fired bats and noted the fabulous skill with which the darting and swooping aerial mammals avoided striking the ceiling, walls, furniture and even the fine suspended wires with which the laboratory had been festooned. One by one the scientists eliminated, as possible motes by which the bats' uncanny skill might be explained, the senses of sight, touch, smell and taste.

Finally, stopping the bats' ears tight shut, the investigators found that the bats then began to bump der. Bats must hear the presence of obstacles, even of such delicate obstacles as wires. But how?

Modern science has established that man can hear, as sounds, only the vibrations frequencies ranging from about 30 vibrations a second to about 20,000 vibrations a second. Above the latter limit are "supersonics," which we cannot hear at all. With this en mind, the two Harvard investigators connected the laboratory's ap amplifier which translates supersonic vibrations into humanly audible sounds. And found their answer!

Everyone is familiar with bats knows that the winged mammals seem to be extremely silent. Only rarely are they heard to utter a little squeak. But the instrument of Galambos' amplifier was set up this "silence" of bats joined the host of other ultrasonic noises that from our narrow sense limits. Far from being silent, a bat's flight is continuously emitting an uproar of shrill cries. But its hearing is almost wholly supersonic, the bat laryngeal supersonics helped apply. In this such sounds and the bats' inner ear specially adapted to hear them.

The bat's hearing is indeed of an "soundlessly." In the summer dusk it actually seems to register every instant.

By patient experiment the investigators determined that the bat is guided through the darkness by hearing the echoes and reflections of the continual supersonic sounds it makes. As the echo bounces back from an obstacle, its angle lets the bat know instantly the obstacle's location. A bat can hear supersonics echo from a wire one millimeter in diameter.

Little Benny's Note Book

Cousin Oscar finished his 3rd helping of dessert and then he started lying room to talk to pop and me about different subjects now and whether Oscar was homesick yet. Him claiming he was not and didn't sick in his life, or even seasick, and just then everything went dark on account to the electric going out, and pop said, Keep calm, everybody I'll find out what's going and have it right in half a jiffy, or in a jiffy and a half at the most.

I intend to keep calm, but not to pitch darkness for land sakes, ma said.

And she took 2 candles out of the table draw and lit them and pop said, Undoubtedly a use has blown out. Now the thing to do is to start with firm, masterly steps to the fuse box and look very close in the eye till one of them gives you a black look, and that'll be the guilty party. Then with a few deft trifles you remove it and replace it with a fresh fuse, and presto, there will be light, he said.

I don't know as I altogether agree Cousin Oscar said. In the army, when there was trouble we learned to go right to the root of it, and in this case the root of it may be in the main switch. So I say the first thing to do is look in the main switch box and examine the master fuse, he said, and ma said, And in the talkative meantime we're sitting here by candle light like people in the backward days of yore.

Which just then the lights went on again, and pop said, By golly it was some trouble with the city current. We were right not to stew around uselessly. Oscar, Harris makes waste, he said, and Cousin Oscar said, Absolutely, there is nothing to do and we did it.

Oh, you men are such wonderful creatures, ma said. This world would probably be an entirely different place with no men in it, she said.

CONDITIONAL FREEDOM

Fairmont, W. Va., Feb. 15 — (AP)— Benjamin Franklin Male, 73-year-old Oregon farmer who was convicted last week of voluntary manslaughter in a 60-year-old slaying, received conditional freedom last night. Judge Charles M. Miller imposed a suspended sentence of one to five years upon Male, after upbraiding him for remaining in hiding since the 1900 slaying of Wesley C. Smith, a village school teacher.

CAUSE FACES CRISIS

Hamilton, Feb. 15 — (CP) — Hon. W. G. Webster, chairman of the Ontario Liquor Control Board, yesterday told the Ontario Temperance Federation Convention here that as a result of the Federal Alcoholic Beverage Control Order of 1944:

"The cause of temperance in English speaking Canada faces a crisis comparable to the failure of prohibition 20 years ago."

PAUL REVERE ON THE MILK ROUTE



When 17 inches or snow fell in the Boston suburbs, milkman Duncan Mulder couldn't get his wagon through the drifts. He unhitched the horse, climbed on its back, and kept up his regular deliveries in the fashion depicted above.

CAN FACE FUTURE

Toronto, Feb. 15 (CP)—Mitchell Hepburn, Ontario Liberal House Leader, yesterday told the Canadian Guernsey Breeders' Association dairyman could face the future because of the federal government's policy of domestic financing.

TO CEASE PUBLICATION

London, Feb. 15 (Reuters) — The German Transocean Agency announced last night that "Der Angriff," propaganda Minister Goebbels own Berlin evening newspaper is to cease publication from Saturday.

BABY BURNED

Montreal, Feb. 15 (CP) — An eight-months-old baby girl was burned to death yesterday when fire destroyed the north-end home of Mr. and Mrs. Armand Lacombe, but Mrs. Lacombe was able to rescue a two-year-old son and escape by a rear door.

HEARING ADJOURNED

Montreal, Feb. 15 (CP)—Hearing of Mayor Camillien Houde's exemption to an action aimed at having his election last December declared illegal, stood adjourned yesterday until next Monday after the Mayor had been unsuccessful in attempting to have Mayor Adhemar Raynault say whether he had put up the money for the action.

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Mountain View "Bombers" Come From Behind in Last Period To Tie "Flyers" 6-6

Score Tied Four Times in Sixty Minutes of Sustained Speed

When it comes to unpredictable hockey, trust the Quinte R.C.A.F. service league to produce just that. On Monday night the Trenton "Flyers" raced back to gain a four all tie with the Mountain View "Bombers", and last night the "Bombers" rallied strongly in the final second to reverse such matters as the same two squads thrilled 3,100 fans rising through to a similar draw. And mike, that is modern hockey. The teams play again on Monday night.

It looked set for the "Bombers" early when Frank Aube and Bill Robertson whipped the rubber past Bernadine Gilbert in the initial stanza to put P/L Jimmie McCaa's Bomber two up. That advantage was cut down with rapidity when Trenton drives home three in succession, as the period ended 3-2 for Trenton.

How Goals Scored

In case there might be interest as to how goals were scored, "Duke" Duquette gave Frank Aube a perfect pass for the opening counter following which Williams, in the Bomber net again proved himself as Robertson's No. 1 rival as the goalies again stood out as the best. Following a face-off Pat Dowley whipped the rubber to Dinnie, who made no mistake and the Bombers were two up. Dutchie raced thru into the corner and passed to Thompson, who gave the Flyers their first goal. That counter sparked the "Flyers" to heights as Raymond made no mistake with Pringle's perfect pass and Marshall set up a "sweetie" for Hamminby as the "Flyers" ended the stanza 3-2 in their favor.

Early in the middle session goalie Williams stood precariously alone as the "Flyers" swept in, around and sometimes over the Bombers' goalie. With the pressure off, George Reid broke away and raced the length of the ice to score true and hard to even count. Back came Reinhardt and the "Flyers" hard-working defence-man, to solo and give the "Flyers" one up again. Apparently it was George Brock's night as he took Stef Bourdeau's perfect pass for his second goal of the night as the squads left the ice all even at 4-4.

Flyers Went Two Up

It looked like curtains for the "Bombers" when Paul Raymond stick-selected his way through the Bombers and fired, box true, on a solo effort and then Jack Farmer Les Canadiens star made little mistake when he picked up Sammy Rasmussky's pass in front of goal and put the Flyers two up.

Only game "Mac" MacMullin and before the 2,000-odd fans had settled back in the seats "Mac" set up a perfect pass for Don Willson and you then turned around and whipped home Dinnie's pass to knot the score once again and that folks is something of a record as the game was tied exactly four times throughout.

As suggested in the lead, this All-Service hockey is the most unpredictable hocked played, but, it, per-ACTION.

The line-ups — Mountain view: goal, Williams; defence, Dinnie and Brock; centre, Duquette; wings, Aube and Bourdeau; subs, MacMullin, Bernadine, Gilbert, Gerry, Foster, Conley and Wilson. Trenton: goal, Robertson; defence, Currie and Marshall; centre, Raymond; wings, Hamminby and Pringle; subs, Reinhardt, Prigon, Harper, Perry, Ray, Thompson and Dutchek.

Referee — Bidwell. Campbellford, Puffer, Hastings.

SUMMARY

1st Period—
1. Bombers—Aube (Duquette) 1.19
2. Bombers—Dinnie (Cowley) 8.01
3. Flyers—Thompson—(Dutchek) 13.44
4. Flyers—Raymond (Prigon) 18.55
5. Flyers—Hamminby (Marshall) 19.01

Penalties: Reinhardt.

2nd Period—
6. Bombers—Brock 5.11
7. Flyers—Reinhardt 7.55
8. Bombers—Brock (Boudreau) 15.09

Penalties: Boudreau, MacMullen, Dutchek, Marshall.

3rd Period—
9. Flyers—Raymond (Hamminby) 2.53
10. Flyers—Willson (MacMullin) 2.51
11. Bombers—MacMullin (Dinnie) 4.11

Penalties: Ray.

K. Watson's Rink In Consols Finals

Winnipeg, Feb. 15 (CP) — Ken Watson's Winnipeg Strathcona entered the Brier Consols finals of the 37th annual Manitoba bonspiel last night by defeating Doug Cartwell of Glenboro, 16-8, for the rink's 26th victory in 27 starts.

The Watson four will meet Howard Wood of the Winnipeg Granite Club in the Manitoba championship final tonight. Both are former Manitoba championship skips. Wood defeated Cliff Wite of the Strathcona club 13-8 in the semi-finals.

Earlier, Watson won the grand aggregate for the fourth successive year, first skip to achieve this feat in curling history in the province.

BOTTOM TEAMS IN SPOTLIGHT OF HOCKEY LOOP

Losers of Chicago and Rangers May Slip Into Cellar for Good

By The Canadian Press

Interest in the current National Hockey League race today is centered on the bottom of the standings.

With Montreal Canadiens secure in first place and Detroit Red Wings enjoying a six-game lead over Toronto Maple Leafs who are six games ahead of the fourth place Boston Bruins, attention has been diverted to New York Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks, respectively the fifth and sixth clubs in the standings.

The two teams, battling one point apart for the cellar slot, tangle tonight at New York and the loser will slip into the cellar, probably for the remainder of the season. The question is, how will Rangers react to Chicago's new defensive tactics which proved troublesome to other N.H.L. clubs.

The Bluebirds dropped a 4-2 decision at Detroit last night, which insured Wings a berth in the Stanley Cup play-offs and left Hawks the opportunity to climb out of the cellar with a win tonight.

Goalie Flash Hollett paced the Wings to victory with two first period goals, one a 65-foot shot which broke the period wide open. Goalie Doug Stevenson, playing his second professional game for Rangers, kicked into the net. The second resulted from a solo dash late in the session.

Stevenson kicked out 16 Detroit shots in the second period, holding the Wings scoreless. Kilby MacDonald slapped a rebound past Al Lumley from five feet to draw Detroit early in the period.

Wings beat Stevenson twice in the final period, the goals coming from the sticks of Jim McAtee and Ted Lindsay, while the best Rangers could do was a goal by centreman Al Dewsbury on a scrambled between the other two.

What's Doing in Sport

By The Canadian Press

Bill Quinlan abandoned his early retirement as president and general manager of the Boston Bruins while observing his 39th birthday yesterday at Boston. He would devote his attention to the development of extensive farm system of the Maisons-ard League club, he said, and the post of general manager would be taken over by his son, John, now secretary of the club. He said the Bruins hoped to secure a working agreement with some class AA club.

Well known as a track star with the Belleville Rowing Club and prior to enlistment in the R.C.A.F. in 1942, P/O William (Mel) McQueen has been killed in action after service as bomber pilot overseas since January, 1943, according to word received by his relatives in Hamilton yesterday.

Six Toronto high school hockey teams engaged in a triple-header last night at Maple Leaf Gardens during which injury played under the experimental code which eliminates the 5-minute penalty and calls halts for offsides were reduced by half. It was decided to continue with the new rules for the balance of the season.

After winning 23 successive fights by the knockout route, George Costner, Cleveland Negro welterweight, last night did not last one full round at Chicago against Ray (Sugar) Robinson of New York, No. 1 contender for the title. Robinson flattened him in 2:55 minutes.

Previously turned down by the draft board because of high blood pressure, Al Norton Cooper, retired pitcher of the St. Louis Cardinals, yesterday was again rejected for service with the U. S. Army and then was returned to 4-F category following a re-examination at Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis.

LAST NIGHT'S STARS

By The Canadian Press

Flash Hollett, Detroit, who scored twice to lead Red Wings' to a 4-2 triumph over New York Rangers.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo





CASUAL COMMENT

by K.J.C.

Action.

Two men worked side by side at the Belleville Board office. They never spoke, but one watched the other. One man left work daily at 4 o'clock. The other toiled on till 6 or later.

Some months passed. Then the harder-working of the two approached the other.

"I beg your pardon," he said, but do you mind telling me how you can clean up your work every day at 4 o'clock?"

The other looked at the other man. "When I come to a rough piece of detail," I mark it, 'Refer to Commander Smith.' I figure that's a department as large as this there is sure to be at Commander Smith and I must be right; those papers never come back."

The harder worker started to remove his coat.

"Brother," he said, "prepare for action. I'm Commander Smith."

Jesters In.

Handicapped with the absence of players, Toots Holway's Belleville Junior O.H.A. race with a 6 to 1 win at Norwood last night. Now the Belleville kids can get in a little practice before shifting and Trenton battle matters out in the end of the series. Minuts Al Meagher and Rance Bush led the local kids and their way back last night by scoring three goals apiece. The players from Lakefield in a bobsled picked up three in a hurry. With Trenton playing at Stirling last night there should be a goodly sprinkling of local fans who attended that fend between the "Combines" and Stan Jackson's Frontenac. In the meantime the Bears can sit back and relax and take their time as they get the "Combines" in the finals. After all the boys think they have a score to settle with the only team that haven't beaten this season.)

What, Again!

Maybe the skeptics might think it's a frame-up. And who are we to disagree. First the Bombers and Flyers play a four-all draw, then they try it again last night and behold it's a six-all draw. Perhaps you know the answer, we don't. But there will be a definite answer on Monday night when the same two squads must declare a winner, which may be hard on reporters, especially after the initial two starts.

Never in the history of hockey in Belleville have fans seen two such evenly-matched teams. On many occasions either team could have won either game, but the only predicable seemingly entered into the picture just when it appeared as though either one of the squads had the upper advantage.

Again it was swell goal-tending by Williams and Robertson that kept the scores tied. But the fans went for Raymond's two third period goals. Coleman was picked Defence-man of the series. Incidentally next came Reinhardt, the Flyers' drifting defenceman.

Fits and That.

For those interested in the high-hoop game there'll be three splendid basketball games at the "Y" tonight commencing at seven o'clock ....Two local quintettes pry off the floor before the Peterborough "Y" girls and men tangle with Shorti's Belleville "Y" squads. The Peterborough girls raises the basket lassies in the second game while the schools' City men tangle with Ed Shorti's Intermediate squad in the final game of the evening....Three games for admission, just a bargain night; folks....Then on Friday night the Bear carnival at the Hume arena is the centre of attraction....There really must be big dough in this game, folks....According to the story out of St. Louis Harold (Muddy) Ruel, the former Washington catcher and now coach of the Chicago White Sox, along with one Donald F. Rickard, has purchased controlling interest in the Rochester club in the International League. The Sladen bank's total capital, surplus and undistributed profits are nearly $500,000....Deposits up to Dec. 31 of 1944 totaled $7,750,000.

Remember When.

Forty-one years ago Canada's oldest racing fixture, the Queen's Plate, run at Toronto, had its value increased to $2,000 by the Ontario Jockey Club. The event was first run in 1860 when Queen Victoria donated the plate to encourage Canadian racing.

Attention Local Schools.

The American Baseball League has released for distribution a new motion picture entitled "Inside Baseball," covering the fundamentals of play, in slow motion. It will be a three-reel sound-on-film movie in 16 mm. size, safety film, running approximately 30 minutes. Pitching and hitting and shorter sequences on catching, base running and infield play are demonstrated with Bob Feller, Red Ruffing and Lefty Grove showing the pitching; Ted Williams, Joe DiMaggio and Hank Greenberg batting; Joe Gordon, Pee Wee Reese, promotional department of the American League, Room 2450, 210 South Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

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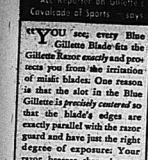
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Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 15 — (CP) — One of the oldest arguments in Canadian women's basketball circles was cropped up once more. Percy Page, whose Edmonton Grads were such championship claimants in their hey-day, again comes to the defence of his smooth-passing, back-happy girls.

The silver-topped cage coach, who keeps abreast of court doings at his western home, backs Roy Van Grafan to task for the umpteenth time. Van Grafian coaches Rochester Flyers which won Canada's first in Ritzies as a basketball umpire and continually has contended that his Flyers could have beaten Grads had the teams met. Page, of course, is inclined to disagree.

And Percy has substantial factual evidence to back up his claim that Grads — any edition of them — could have held their own against their Rochester successors. In 25 years of play, the prairie girls ran up a 300-win total while dropping 30 games, some of the latter to boys' teams, yet they cleaned the boards at four Olympic Games and stopped every team of note in the U.S. at the time.

Congenial Percy told Bill (Nagal-Pala Retiere) Cayman he has no desire to enter an argument with Van Grafan, but thinks the Rochester mentor has gone overboard on a question that never can be satisfactorily settled.

Grads had one opportunity to play Flavets some six years ago, but forewent it in favor to attend a presentation to their coach Nell MacDonald, in Toronto. Noei, king-pin centre of the team, was being awarded the Rose Bowl, symbolic of outstanding ability in Canadian women's athletic circles.

Coast to Coast:

Among athletic Haligonians' post-war plans are those for baseball under the arc lights . . . Willie Woo, Chinese athlete who recently returned to Montreal from occupied China is coaching his alma mater's basketball team — the George Williams College — in the Montreal Y.M.C.A. Conviction Hayes Trophy winner senior cage titilets of last year, have taken unkindly to the University of Western Ontario Mustangs. Mustangs handed them their first defeat of the years last Saturday . . . The Manitoba speed-skating championships slated for Winnipeg tomorrow and Saturday, look fair to be an international event on a grand scale . . . Curlers' cross-country are hot at it with Bessemer and Stan and Edmonton way skip Tommy Dark paced Regina Royal rink to a new record in the city bonspiel by sweeping home six eight-end . . . Revelstoke's ski instructor school got under way this month after a two-year lapse. Bill Irwin will professor the downhill-Dominies during the six-day course.

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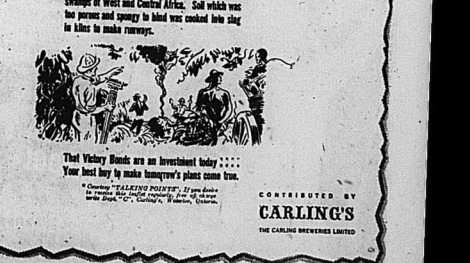
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By Jack Sords



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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 607
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

The squeeze is such a heartless play. You cannot overcome it. No matter what you do, so to say, you cannot wriggle from it. Lay out these cards:

NORTH	
♠ A 10 3	
♥ None	
♦ None	
♣ None	
WEST	**EAST**
♠ None	♠ K J
♥ Q	♥ None
♦ None	♦ None
♣ J 10	♣ K
SOUTH	
♠ Q	
♥ None	
♦ 3	
♣ Q	

What you see are the last three cards of a deal in each hand. The tricks have been played. South is declarer. The trump suit is diamonds. South is still in the lead.

It happens that declarer has taken the first five tricks. He has four of which were straight trump lead. It was at a time when no trumps were in the other three hands.

West and east and dummy discarding side cards on the four last trump leads. The cards you now see in each hand are the best they could hold under the circumstances.

Will declarer be able to take the three remaining tricks? The west cards in this case are immaterial. Sit yourself in the east seat and see if you can stop a trick.

If south leads the club queen, you are sure to win a trick with your club king. If south leads the spade queen and wins with the ace in dummy, he must trump the next spade. But you will get a club trick.

But there is an entirely different story to tell if south leads the last trump. Because that will squeeze you in spite of anything you may try to do.

On that trump lead, you dare not give up the club king. If you do, south will take the club queen and spade ace for the last tricks.

On that trump lead, you must give up the spade jack! If you do, south will then lead the spade queen. Dummy will win with the ace and your spade king will drop. The spade ten is then good.

When you gotta get, you gotta go.

11 "Hopefuls" For Kentucky Derby Train

Miami, Fla., Feb. 15 — (AP) — With midnight tonight the usual deadline for Kentucky Derby nominations, 11 "hopefuls" whose names are already in the hat "just in case," went through their paces at Hialeah race course today.

The Calumet Farms' trio of Pot O' Luck, Good Blood and Hail Victory head the list of three-year-olds at Hialeah who are getting ready to "run" should the ban on racing be removed in time for the big race.

Gertrude Donovan's Fighting Don an early summer sensation among last year's juveniles, "has done everything asked — and more," in trials, says trainer H. E. Battle.

The colt has been breezed twice and once worked a half in :51. An ankle which was "tied" last September is reported "good as new."

Trainer Jean Parks rates Hopp Jr., ahead of Alabama in choosing between Fred W. Hopper's two derby aspirants. Parks, however, admits that it's "close picking."

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FRICK DENIES TALKS PLANNED WITH MR. BYRNES

Baseball Not Asking Any Favors Says National League President

New York, Feb. 15 — (AP) — Hinted by reports that baseball would waste little time in hurrying to Washington to clarify its status, Ford Frick, president of the National League, denied yesterday that any talks were planned with James F. Byrnes, war mobilization director, or other government officials.

"There is absolutely no truth in the stories," said Frick bluntly "neither Will Harridge (president of the American League) nor I have an appointment with Mr. Byrnes or anyone else in Washington and we are not seeking appointment with anyone, until we know what happens to the pending man-power legislation."

Frick, who was named with Harridge to represent the major leagues in Washington, said he would go to the capital only if there was a reason for doing so.

"As I have said many times, baseball has never asked for any favors and has no intention of doing so. We will go to Washington only when certain developments arise which aren't clear as to how they apply to us."

Frick also revealed that the major league schedule was in the hands of the printers with only minor changes from the 1944 playing pattern.

Frick insisted the removed proposal of a regrouping of the two leagues on an east-west basis was never seriously considered and there was no indication the Office of Defense Transportation would make any such request according to his recent conversation with Col. J. Monroe Johnson, director of the O.D.T.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.,
Associated Press Sport Writer

New York, Feb. 15 — (AP) — When an American Army boxing team from Anzio Volcanic Club up in the All-India boxing tournaments at Calcutta last week, it had been brought to light a few items that might be worth noting by Eddie Hagan in his efforts to improve boxing in New York. . . The tourney was fought under Marquis rules. The referee remained outside the ring, fans weren't allowed to make escape except between rounds and the bouts served to eliminate each of the six nights of scrapping. Still Getting Stupes

Tony Baldo, former National Collegiate 126-pound boxing champion from Cornell, now is on the road selling church candles in Pennsylvania, New York and New England. . .Tony, who pinch-hit as Syracuse coach for two years after Roy Simmons joined the Navy, is in demand as a college referee, but he declines all offers because his work "won't permit me to burn the candle at both ends."

Sports Before Your Eyes

Joe Binks, English track expert, claims that the president of Australia should be the world 100-yard record holder instead of Jesse Owens. In a race at Johannesburg, South Africa, in 1910 Donaldson was timed in 9 3-5 seconds over a heavy track.

That figures out to 9.375 as compared to Owens' 9.400. . . Indiana's Hank Johnson, vice president for Athletics of the American College Publicity Association, Hasta Football and Publicators for fake "sleep stories" in the current issue of the A.C.P.A. magazine.



Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

Eastern United States Amateur League

Baltimore Blades 6; New York Rovers 4.

Philadelphia Falcons 11; Boston Olympics 7.

Inter-Provincial League

Lachine Rapids 3; Valleyfield Braves 2.

Exhibition

Frood Open Pit 3; Hull Volants (Senior.)

Montreal Canadiens 17; Shawinigan Falls Cataracts 7.

O.H.A. Intermediate A.

Windsor Cottonwoods 12; Windsor Colonials 4.

(Cottonwoods win semi-final series 3-0.)

O.H.A. Junior B

Kitchener Greenshirts 9; Stratford Kroehlers 8 (tie).

(First game of semi-final series.)

Watford 11; Orillia 2.

(Watford leads semi-final series 1-0.)

Manitoba North Division Junior

Semi-Final

Canadian Ukrainian Athletic Club 6; St. Boniface 5.

(C.U.A.C. lead best-of-three series 1-0.)

Edmonton Junior

Maple Leafs 4; South Side 1, S. Seal, goalie.

Notre Dame Hounds 1; Regina Commandos 0.

Best-of-five series tied, 2-2).

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	W	L	T	Pts
Montreal	31	5	3	65
Detroit	27	11	2	56
Toronto	19	17	3	41
Boston	17	20	2	36
New York	7	22	8	22
Chicago	8	24	5	21

Wednesday

Detroit 4; New York 2.

Tonight

Chicago at New York

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pts
Buffalo	26	11	1	53
Hershey	19	20	3	41
Providence	18	23	3	39

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pts
Cleveland	34	7	1	69
Indianapolis	20	16	11	51
Pittsburgh	21	20	3	45
St. Louis	10	27	6	26

Wednesday

Providence 3; Hershey 5.

Pittsburgh 4; Cleveland 4.

Tonight

Providence at Cleveland.

Yankees Win Night Batting Championship

Chicago, Feb. 15 —(AP)— Joe McCarthy's Yankees have no lights in their home stamping grounds but they slapped the ball in other parks on the circuit for a team plate mark of .283 to win the 1944 night batting championship of the American League.

Figures released today by the American League Service Bureau show that the Yankees, who hit .278 points better at night than they did in all games, played 18 after dark contests, winning 13 and losing six for a .667 percentage mark. In the 36 games, the Yanks went to bat 563 times and banged out 795 hits, eight of them home runs.

Philadelphia Athletics, who won 14 night tilts and dropped 18, batted .261 under the lights. Finishing third in are- light hitting, the championship St. Louis Browns wound up with a .239 mark.

Recreation Alleys

Afternoon

Reliables 2 pts. — Cory 306; Stewart 533; Royle 409; Rawson 608; Hall 513. Total 2456.

Maple Leafs 2 pts. — Wright 385; Moreau 444; Mott 542; Moore 567; Cross 433. Total 2336.

Pirates 4 pts. — Marvell 392; Storey 535; Marchaugh 550; Noakes 566; Drumm 470. Total 2611.

Dodgers 0 pts. — Hurn 446; Bradford 361; Charlton 329; Hook 479; Hland 444. Total 2059.

Money Savers 0 pts. — Digby 453; Waldon 360; Foster 444; Ashley. 399; Cook 370. Total 1926.

Spoilers 4 pts. — Mundrey 468; Kelleher 486; Hallock 438; Giles 369; White 533. Total 2808.

Bellevue Mixed League

Aces 3 pts. — May 390; Tripp 819; Graduate; 546; Dixon 396; Kurtz 418. Total 2466.

Spitfires 1 pt. — Richter 466; Harper 399; staple 460; Pollwell 546; Luncloss 484. Total 2228.

Head Pins 4 pts. — Hogan 403; Connell 522; Wilkins 466; Alexander 467; Whitmarsh 348; Anderson 467. Total 2864.

Lucky Strike 0 pts. — Meens 366; Taylor 464; Wagner 374; Wright 369; Doe 333. Total 1936.

Bombers 2 pts. — Jeffs 487; Brooks 419; Meeks 377; Weesic 361; Bland 360. Total 2197.

Gremlins 2 pts. — Seames 436; Mathews 406; Gannon 372; Chaumont 361; Morris 346; Burgess 361; McKenna. 404. Total 2324.

Black Mesa Choppers — Williams 478; Mott 546; Hook 463; Shadduck 460; Bird 366; Black 426. Total 2639.

Sargent — Semark 606; Whalen 537; A. Whalen 459; Noakes 571; B. Whalen 465. Total 2536.

Cardinal — Kirkwood 464; B. Hardwick 432; Moore 826; J. Moore 481; C. Hardwick 834; E. Moore 300. Total 2637.

Saturday

Six Bits — Calberry 379; Rushlow 317; Woodhouse 395; Pulwell 468; Chavinard 434; Barret 664. Total 2637.

"T" ALLEYS

Evening League

Pick Ups 3 points: J. Moore 602; P. Lee 430; J. Fairbairn 499; F. Davis 368. Total—2802.

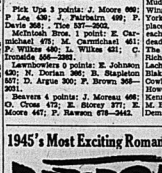
McIntosh Bros. 1 point: E. Carmichael 475; M. Carmichael 461; P. Wilkes 480. Total 1421.

Ironsides 506—2381.

Lawnboys 0 points: E. Johnson 420; N. Dorian 366; B. Stapleton 537; D. Argue 300; F. Brown 366—2031.

Beavers 4 points: J. Moreau 466; O. Cross 472; E. Storey 577; E. Moore 447; P. Rawson 678—3642.

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CAPS RECEIVE SETBACK BY BUFFALO BISONS

Pittsburgh Hornets Improve Chances for Second Place by Beating Barons

By The Canadian Press

Pittsburgh Hornets improved their chances of overtaking the second-place Indianapolis Capitals in the American section of the International Hockey League last night with a crushing 8-4 victory over the pace-setting Cleveland Barons. At the same time, the Caps received a setback at Buffalo, bowing to Bisons 4-3. In the other league game, Hershey Bears defeated Providence Reds 5-2.

At Pittsburgh, the Barons had gone ahead 3-0 on goals by Freddie Hartholome, but a four-goal splurge sent the Hornets ahead. Jimmy Jamieson had two of these with Marcel Bonetto and Bob Walton scoring singles.

In the second period, Tony Hemmerling and Bob Graves combined for Pittsburgh with Bartholome getting in white for Cleveland, and in the third frame, Hemmerling scored for Barons with Johnny Mahaffy and Jamieson another scoring the last two for Hornets.

At Buffalo, Phil Scrapur, Johnny Sherrell and Dick Kowcinak scored for Capitals, but counters by Paul Mundrick, Jack Hamilton, Bobby Jones add Oscar Artcukle gave Victory to Bisons. Referee Larry Hood, Buffalo defenceman, scored his 34th assist of the season and a new A.H.L. assist record for defencemen.

At Hershey, the Bears and the Reds ace-sawed back and forth for the first half scoring for Providence, but after that the scoring was all by Hershey. Cooper and Gooden each got another with Chuck Gooden earning a single.

The game was bitterly contested with frequent fist fights breaking out. In the final period, five majors and one match penalty were given. In the scramble, Manny Cotton, Reds' defenceman, was charged with whacking a spectator with his stick and was banished from the game.

Leo Gravelle Replaces' Blute As Leading Scorer

Toronto, Feb. 15 (CP)—Leo Gravelle, St. Michael's Majors' inside flankman from Quebec, replaced teammate Johnny Blute as leading scorer in the Ontario Hockey Association Junior A scoring race. Gravelle has 52 points while Blute has 51 with eight games to go. Tied with 51, Joe Sadler and Edmonton's Johnny McCormack. Also of St. Michael's, trail the leaders with 42 and 41 points respectively. Two western players playing with St. Catharines Paiocca, Laurie Peterson and Ted Sloan of St. Michael's are next in line with 37 points.

The Leaders:

	G.	A.	Pts
Gravelle, St. Michael's	30	22	52
Blute, St. Michael's	30	21	51
Sadler, St. Michael's	30	12	42
McCormack, St. Mich's	18	23	41
Sloan, St. Michael's	31	6	37
Peterson, St. Catharines	16	19	37
McKirdy, St. Cath's.	11	26	37

The standing:

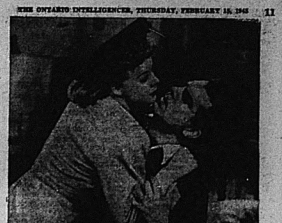
	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
St. Michael's	16	1	0	36
St. Catharines	11	7	0	22
Galt	10	7	0	16
Oshawa	8	9	0	16
Young Rangers	7	11	0	14
Marlboros	2	17	0	4

BIG SEVEN

(By The Canadian Press)

With only one game in the National Hockey League last night, most scoring leaders when like. Mud Bruneteau of Detroit Red Wings, and Alab Demarco of New York Rangers, tied for seventh place among the individual scorers, each added a point to continue the deadlock.

The Leaders	G.	A.	Pts.
Richard, Montreal	43	21	64
Lach, Montreal	19	44	63
Blake, Montreal	22	31	54
Cowley, Boston	22	31	53
Howe, Detroit	14	31	45
Kennedy, Toronto	23	18	41
Mr. Bruneteau, Detroit	26	15	41
Demarco, New York	18	32	40



AT THE CAPITOL — Not a bit shy, Betty Hutton goes to work on Fred MacMurray in "And the Angels Sing," currently at the Capitol Theatre. On the same program Roy Rogers' newest hit, "Hands Across the Border."

4th Belleville Cub Pack Wins Hockey Game

The second game of best out of seven series between 1st Belleville and 4th Belleville Cub Packs, was played last Monday to the tune of 3-3 in favor of the 4th Belleville Pack. The din could be heard from afar and not only the puck but the rules, (if any?) were smashed off-ice by these stalwarts. The next game is scheduled for Saturday at 10 a.m. Look out 4th Belleville, 1st Belleville are howling for revenge.

The lineups were as follows:

1st Belleville: Bruce Irvine, goal; Glen Blair (1), Bernard Harvey, defence; Bill Spencer, Ronald Elston (2), wings; Paul Baldwin, centre; Gary Spawn, Bruce Page, Albert Farrar, Robert Pearce, Lloyd Kellet.

4th Belleville: Teddy Goodier, goal; Kenn Lewis, Jack Cunningham defence; Doug Phillips (2), centre; Don Barclay (4), John Thompson (4), wings; spares, Larry Langman, Wayne Jorey, Hugh Barclay.

Referee: Barry Cornish.



AT THE BELLE — Bette Davis as a woman of many loves in the Book-of-the-Month Club's story, "Mr. Skeffington," featuring Claude Rains and Richard Waldron.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press.)

Chicago, Feb. 15 — (Jimmy Robinson, 147, New York, knocked out George Costner, 147, Cincinnati (1); Rubbert Hood, 178, Chicago, outpointed Johnny Clark, 180 (2); Joe Baksi, 201, Elizabeth, N.J.; Chim Miller, 196, Elizabeth, knocked out Jimmy Allen, 13? 3-4, Philadelphia, (3); Willie Hernandez, 133, New York, outpointed Ray Rogers, 133, Bridgewood, N.J.

THEATRE FEATURE TIMES

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"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 17

She powered her nose and put on new lips. Then she studied the pictures of the beautiful women whose faces adorned challengingly from the dressing-table top. "To Charlie—I shall love you forever—Bernice" was the inscription on one. Livia wondered whether Bernice was one of the wives or merely a passing infatuation.

The other portrait was a young girl. "She can't be more than sixteen," thought Livia. There was inscription on this.

There was another portrait by his low, wide bed. This woman was much older than the others and like the young girl, a stranger.

"One of his wives," concluded Livia. And, of course, she was the mother of the girl. How strange it would be to be the stepmother of a girl who was only a few years younger. Livia had decided to accept Charles as a husband.

The adjoining bathroom was almost as big as the bedroom. It was green and cool, with silvered racks and taps. A silky dressing gown lay across a white leather armchair. She felt closer to Charles than at any time since they had known each other.

She went downstairs, found him in an oak-beamed room which had a long bar on one side, and a brass rail. The Filipino brought in a tray of fried shrimps. They were hot and delicious. Livia drank from the long tumbler containing rum, and a few other things Charles told her. She sat on a high stool facing him and felt sophisticated until the liquor caught at her throat and she coughed. She took the tumbler from her.

"I'll weaken it," he said. She liked him for that. Fordyce was surprised himself. But he didn't make them drink. That wasn't his way. The last time a girl had insisted on getting drunk he had her driven home in the chauffeur—greatly to her surprise.

They had dinner by the candlelight in a dining-room of shadowy wood and gleaming silver. The Filipino was assisted by a twin, and the service was noiseless and swift. Later they returned to the room with the bar and were sitting on a wide red leather sofa.

Charles held her close and kissed her hair.

"I'm crazy about you," he whispered. "Do you love me—a little?"

"Yes, I do—a little," she said—and waited for him to say, "Will you marry me?" He kissed her again, passionately and possessively. Charles was unprepared for her sudden withdrawal.

"What's wrong?" he asked without getting up. There was nothing wrong.

"I'm a fool", she said. Her voice was hard.

"Livia!" his voice was genuine.

"I thought you were in love with me", she laughed.

"But I am," he protested. She really was sweet and her eyes were beautiful with tears. "Do you want me to marry you? Is that it?" he asked in a matter of fact voice. She was embarrassed.

"No", she answered hurriedly, "No, not that at all".

"Will you marry me?" he asked her. She paused, then said:

"Yes, yes, I will".

After his last divorce, Fordyce had sworn off marriage. No woman would possess him again. Now he was taking a girl, barely older than his daughter, to be Mrs. Charles Fordyce, number five. And he was the cynic who had coined the phrase, "The husband who marries again doesn't deserve to lose the first wife".

All right, he would marry again—probably make another fool of himself.

"Stay here tonight", he whispered, his lips close to hers. She thought of the loneliness in her apartment and almost said, "Yes". He saw her hesitation.

"We're going to be married. What difference does it make?" he persisted.

"None—I suppose", she said slowly.

"You won't be sorry—I swear it". He kissed her again. She stood up. "You don't really love me, do you?" said Charles watching her closely.

"Oh, but I do", she protested, "only——"

"Only you'd like for us to be married first".

"Yes. Is it prudish of me? But there hasn't been any other man I mean, I was in love with some one, but——"

"I'll hire a plane tonight, and we'll fly-to Las Vegas and get married". Now she was very agitated.

"Not tonight—I've got to get ready, and things", she ended lamely, "there are so many things to do".

"Like what?" Her brain refused the answer. "All right, darling", he said suddenly, "All right, we'll go tomorrow night, all right?"

"Yes"

"And now I'll take you home".

He kissed her gently at the door of her apartment, and she was glad when he left her there. She was still confused, but before she reached his car, she called him back. He came swiftly to her.

"Do I give up my career?" she squied faintly.

"Not at all", he assured her. "We'll be a family company—star and director".

"Yes", she said eagerly and brushed his cheek with her soft lips. "Good night, Charles". Livia waved while the car went slowly away.

The following day had the unreal quality of a dream. She was awakened at nine o'clock when an enormous box of flowers arrived. There were roses, daffodils, narcissus, iris, gladioli, jonquils, lovely poppies—all the flowers of California. And a large spray of white orchids.

Charles was calling for her at 11. They were to go shopping. There was much to do.

"I must tell Bruce", Livia thought suddenly. She wondered at the sudden depression dampening her excitement.

She called him. There was no answer. If she rushed, she could see Vera and get back in time for Charles.

"I'm eloping with Charles Fordyce tonight", she told her astonished mother.

"I'm glad, darling—" Vera kissed her. She had wanted Livia to marry Bruce. But she liked Fordyce.

"What shall I do about father? Shall I tell him?" Livia asked.

"No", Vera said quickly. "Why should you? You'll probably never see our miserable patent again. And why should you risk security and happiness for a man who has done absolutely nothing for you? I'll take the responsibility if anything ever happens".

(To be continued)

KNOWN BY COLORS

In the ancient Roman theatre actors wore symbolic colors: old men, white; young men purple; parasites, gray; courtesans, yellow.

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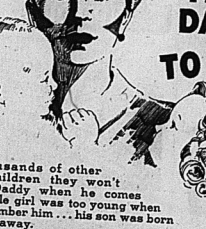
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—6.00 p.m.
CBC—News and Enjoy Music.
WBEN, WGR—News, 6.15—Sports.
WHAM—CBS—Major Eliot.
—6.15
CBL—News, Farm Markets.
—6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes. McKnight, sports.
—7.00 p.m.
CBC—BBC News and Comment.
WBEN—Lowell Thomas.
—7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7.45 p.m.
CBL—Alcoritz Quartet.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
—7.15 p.m.
WBEN, WGY-N—Vandercook News.
CFRB—Musical Review.
WKBW-CBS—Martin Block Show.
—7.30 p.m.
WKBW-WJR—Lost Persons Finder.
CKEY—Bert Niles' Little Band.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WBEN-NBC—Bob Burns.
—8.00 p.m.
CFRB—The Market Basket.
CJBC-NBC—Frank Morgan Show.
WKBW-CBS—Suspense.
—8.30 p.m.
CJBC—Service Forum.
CFRB—Dr. Christian Chesterborough
WKBW-CBS—Death Valley.
CKEY—Ben Miles—Beatrice Kaye.
WBEN-NBC—Dinah Shore.
CBL—Victor Show.
WOR-B—Art Kassel Meeting.
—8.00 p.m.
WJR, WKBW-CBS—Major Bowes.
—8.15 p.m.
CFRB—War Front Stories.
—8.30 p.m.
WGR-Blue—Tommy Tucker Orch.
CFRB—The Old-Timer.
WBEN—Village Store.
WKBW-CBS—Gene Archer.
CJBC—Canadian Cavalcade.
—8.45 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—News.
WBEN-NBC—Abbott and Costello.
WKBW-CBS—The First Line.
CJBC—Night up! and Listen.
WOR-Blue—Piano Time.
—9.30 p.m.
WBEN—Buffalo Variety.
CJBC—The Cavaliers.
CFRB—Musical Interlude.
WKBW-CBS—Ray Bloch.
WGR-Blue—March of Time.
—11.00 p.m.
CJBC—News and Commentary.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
CKEY—News; Mickey Lester.
CFRB—News.

FRIDAY, FEB. 15

—6.00 p.m.
CBL—Reisz and Enjoy Music.
WBEN, WGR—News. 6.15 Sports.
—6.15 p.m.
CBL—News. Farm Markets.
WKBW-CBS—Murray's Show.
—6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes McKnight, Sportview.
—6.45 p.m.
CBL—BBC News From London.
WBEN—Lowell Thomas.
—7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WGR-B—Ed. Wynn Show.
—7.15 p.m.
CFRB—Musical Review.
WBEN, WGN-N—Vandercook news.
—7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Name It.
WBEN—At International House.
WKBW-C—Friday on Broadway.
—8 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Aldrich Family.
CBL—"Romantic Pictures".
WBEN-NBC—Stepping In Melody.
WOR-Blue—Stars of the Future.
—8.30 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—The Thin Man.
WBEN-NBC—Duffy's Tavern.
—8.00 p.m.
CBL-NBC—Walts Time.
WOR-Blue—Famous Jury Trials.
WKBW-C—It Pays to be Ignorant.
—8.30 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—That Brewster Boy.
WGR-Blue—Jan Savitt Orchstra.
WBEN-NBC—People Are Funny.
—10.00 p.m.
CKEY-NBC—Amos 'n' Andy.
CBL—National News.
CJBC—Boxing.
WJR, WKBW—Moore and Durante.
CFRB—Paul Pidman Orchestra.
WGR-Blue—Doctor Talks it Over.
—10.15 p.m.
CBL—The People Next Door.
—10.30 p.m.
WJR, WKBW-C—Stage Canteen.
—11.00 p.m.
CKEY—News: Mickey Lester.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
—11.15 p.m.
CJBC—Orsie Williams Orchestra.
—11.30 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Mildred Bailey Show.
CBL—Vancouver Palyhouse.

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CFCF — Montreal	600
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BLONDIE — Elmer Meets His Waterloo!

By Chic Young



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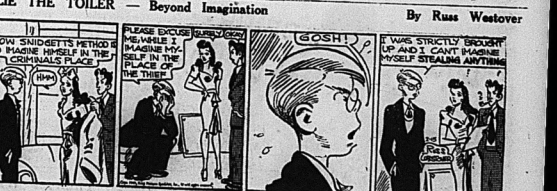
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Post-War Bonus Big-Family Plan Proposed in Britain

London, Feb. 15 —(CP)— A post-war bonus plan for big families providing five shillings (about $1.10) weekly for each child after the first was proposed in a government bill made public today.

Sir Walter Monckton, Minister of Social Insurance, estimated about 2,500,000 families with approximately 4,600,000 children, apart from the first child, would qualify.

The bonus would be part of the comprehensive government "Beveridge Plan" for social security. Beveridge originally proposed a bonus of eight shillings weekly. The government contended, however, the new bill was more generous for it would provide school meals and free milk worth 10 shillings.

EARLY SOLUTION EXPECTED

Winnipeg, Feb. 15. (CP)—Maurice Sterin, war correspondent for the Hamilton newspapers, in a Belgrade dispatch published yesterday by the Winnipeg Free Press, said an early solution of the Yugoslav Regency is anticipated in that country as a result of the big three conferences at Yalta, in the Crimea, and Mexico City.

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POLICE COURT

The Thursday session of County Police Court was presided over by T. Y. Wills, was rather brief when only three cases of interest were heard by the court.

Claude McInnes, Holloway, pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal passing with a motor vehicle in a restricted area on the highway. He was assessed $7.50, which included costs.

Fred McCutcheon, Stirling, appeared on a charge of failing to report an accident in which damage to an enlarged size de after the accused stop, agreed to procure employment.

"Did you ever live alone with no one to look after you?" McCutcheon asked Assistant Crown Attorney Hugh G. Robertson. The latter jovially admitted he had never experienced that problem.

Wm. J. Ayton, Foxboro, appeared on a charge of having obtained $175 from Gardiner Post, also of Foxboro, by fraud. The matter was enlarged for one week at the request of the defendant.

THRONE SPEECH

(Continued From Page One)

Bear Half Cost of Education

In a review of educational matters, it was noted that the most important single step taken throughout the year was the assumption by the government of 50 per cent. of the total cost of elementary and secondary education in this province. This would make it possible to equalize educational opportunity in all parts of the province and permit the acceleration of improvement of school facilities in less satisfactory schools." It also would lessen the taxation burden on real estate for educational purposes, mortgage on building and improvement of homes.

Steps had been taken to improve rural education through merging of the old township school sections into township school areas and through special grants to rural high schools adapting regular school courses to the needs of the locality, introduction of the study of practical agriculture, shop-work and home economics. More rural school with an enrolment of less than eight pupils have been closed, bringing the total so closed to 425. The value of these units not so much in economies as in improvement in instruction which could be given in larger classes.

"The Provincial scholarship plan has been extended to include scores of scholarships and bursaries were studying in universities, normal schools or other institutions of higher learning.

A new step was taken in advanced technological training by the re-opening of the Provincial Mining Institute at Haileybury in northern Ontario. A training centre had been opened for Trades where returned service men and women could obtain occupational instruction.

Teachers' Profession Act

The Ontario Teachers' Profession Act passed at the last session of the Legislature had led to the assumption by the teachers themselves of the Teachers Federation and "it appears that many improvements which are also necessary in educational administration would be greatly helped, if there were brought about the creation of a similar nature which would enable the boards of control or school boards and in the Ontario College of Education, to meet the shortage of trained teachers. Increased attention has been paid in the curriculum on history and the responsibilities of citizenship and the teaching of these subjects and explaining the history and operation of democracy. Legislation which would soon be ready for use in grade seven.

In the field of health, sustained efforts had been made to reduce the toll of tuberculosis and diphtheria and "during the past year there has been a substantial drop in the number or reported cases of the most serious of these diseases. Legislation has been introduced to further assist an effective control program.

Mass Radiography X-Ray Surveys.

It was planned to extend the use of mass community X-ray surveys to help control tuberculosis. Lack of general hospital facilities and facilities in smaller communities was a problem which was to be met in establishing a comprehensive program to meet such needs as soon as personnel was available.

"Investigation has shown that the number of mentally defective indigent patients in public hospitals is increasing. Because of the increasing cost of hospital care at the Provincial Institutions, legislation will be introduced to deal with this subject. Hospital accommodation is to be provided in such a manner as the needs of those municipalities which are to be brought under the Workmen's Compensation Act, the speech said, adding that "it is the opinion of my ministers that every person who works for an employer should immediately be given protection by this act."

The Ontario Labor Relations Board dealt with 400 cases since it was established last April and "it is a gratifying fact that the many days of work lost in industrial disputes in the province Ontario have been considerably reduced." The Regional Wage Boards, established by the latters federal wage control legislation in Ontario, dealt with 8,000 cases last year—one-third of the number for the entire Dominion.

Which would be set out and its regulations would be amended so provide "a more satisfactory remuneration for female workers and change the hours of work from 55 to 48.

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Officer Attempts Suicide After Wife's Body Found

Columbia, S.C., Feb. 15.—(AP)—His throat and wrists swathed in bandages, 30-year old Lieut. S. C. Epes was under guard today in a post hospital after, Detective Alex Heise said, he admitted bullying his young ex-col teacher wife in to shallow fashion.

Army authorities at nearby Fort Jackson said the action of a wealthy Virginia family attempted to kill himself last Monday by slashing himself with a razor blade. The body of Mrs. Mary Lee Epes, 26, was exhumed yesterday.

Heise said she had apparently been drugged and the state Identification Bureau announced after an autopsy that a blow on the head seemingly was the cause of death.

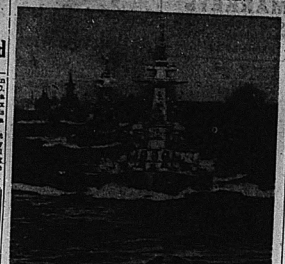
Mrs. Epes had left her job in Jacksonville, Fla., during the Christmas holidays and had come here to be with her husband while he awaited transfer overseas.

Although admitting he took his wife's body in the trunk of his car to the fortside, the sheriff said, the Lieutenant disclaimed any knowledge of how his wife was killed.

Traveling in an ambulance from the post hospital, Epes himself let officers to the grave, one of about 40 army-fashioned foxholes, recently dug by troops on manoeuvres, about 12 miles here.

Epes was quoted by the sheriff as saying that four nights after burying his wife he returned to the grave and placed a Fort Jackson sign over it. The sign, reading "Latrine closed," was still in place when officers arrived, sheriff Heise said.

MORE TROUBLE HEADED FOR JAPAN



"Somewhere in the Pacific" this mighty line of U. S. battleships and cruisers steams steadily ahead, symbolic of the strength of Allied naval power which is carrying the fight to Japan. Photo was taken from the island of an aircraft carrier, sailing ahead of the oncoming line. Planes of the carrier, their wings folded, may be seen at bottom of photo.

G. L. Goodhue Heads Holstein-Friesian Assoc.

Toronto, Feb. 15 — (CP) — G. L. Goodhue of Vandreuil, Que., yesterday was elected president of the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada, meeting in annual convention here. Vice-presidents elected were C. C. Hayland of Wilsonville, Ont.; W. E. Hicks of Agassiz, B. C.; J. M. Fraser of Streetsville, Ont.; and Ray McLaughlin of Oshawa, Ont.

Directors from Ontario elected included: W. H. Robinson, Georgetown; George M. Van Pater, Ayimer; George C. Bell, Sarnia; Fred M. Snyder, Waterloo; A. J. Trueblyn, Orono; Ray Wilson, Kenmore; F. C. Leigh, Fletcher; W. J. Fawcett, Winchester; Ernest Miller, Perth; C. J. Caswell, Beeton; J. D. Innes, Woodstock.

General Marshall Makes Surprise Visit to Front

With the 5th Army in Italy, Feb. 15 — (AP) — Gen. George C. Marshall, United States Army Chief of Staff, made a surprise tour of the Italian front, told 5th Army soldiers yesterday they have immobilized large German forces in Italy, preventing these troops from bolstering sagging lines on the eastern and western fronts.

It is estimated the Germans have 27 divisions in Italy. Gen. Marshall's statement was an obvious sonic to the 5th Army troops. He made an unexpected, three-day tour of the 5th's sector on his way home from the Crimea conference.

It was Gen. Marshall's first visit to the Italian front since last June. He gave officers and men here all the way from rear echelons to the front a general picture of plans for the defeat of Germany.

As his tour ended, Gen. Marshall said:

"Probably the most impressive phase of the operations in Italy is the degree of co-operation and unity evidenced by the Allied command of the forces. The guard of honor which met me at Clark's (Lt.-Gen. Mark Clark, Commander of the 15th Army Group) was composed of military representatives of 13 nationalities in the 5th and 8th armies and paraded as one body commanded by one officer."

Two Nazi Spies Sentenced To Die

New York, Feb. 15.—(AP)—William Curtis Colepaugh, an American whom the government called "a double-crossing traitor," and Erich Gimpel, his German accomplice, were convicted yesterday as Nazi spies and sentenced to die by hanging.

Without displaying emotion, Gimpel—and then Colepaugh—stood before a seven-man military commission and heard Col. Clinton J. Harrold, its president, say:

"This commission finds, by a secret written ballot, finds you guilty upon all three counts and you are hereby sentenced to be hanged by the neck until dead."

Colepaugh and Gimpel then were led by federal guards from the courtroom and taken back to the 12th year-old Castle Williams, Governor's Island guard house.

The charges against them were: They violated the laws of war by secretly landing behind defense lines from a submarine; they acted as spies in violation of the 81st Article of War and they conspired to commit espionage and sabotage.

The verdict meant that the 28-year-old Colepaugh, a native of Noank, Conn., had tried in vain to throw off the traitor label.

Pleads Compulsion

He testified he went to Berlin a year ago to join the German Army and was made an agent against his wishes. He said he became disillusioned with conditions in Germany and saw in the assignment an opportunity to get away.

The finely censored communiques of the closed trial indicated that he finally approached the Federal Bureau of Investigation—after a month after their landing last November 29 off Hancock, Me., and "turned in" Gimpel. Gimpel 30, was described by Colepaugh as an important person in army security headquarters in Berlin.

Before the sentences can be carried out they will be subject to review, first by Maj.Gen. Thomas A. Terry, commanding general of the 2nd Army Service Command, and then by the Board of Review of the Judge Advocate-General's office at Washington.

It took the commission less than three hours to reach its verdict, but whether it was unanimous was not known. Five votes—two-thirds of the commission—were necessary to convict.

Rossmore

Rossmore — The weekly euchre was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vanderwater on Thursday night, the prize winners were ladies' 1st, Mrs. J. Alyea; men's 1st, Mr. B. Gerow; consolation, Mrs. J. Empey, Mr. J. Empey; lone hand prize, Mrs. J. Alyea. The winners at the seven up table were 1st, Mrs. Chas. Bedick, Mrs. Roole low score, Mrs. May Belnap, Mrs. C. Moy; travelling prize, Mrs. F. Belnap.

Mrs. Elwood Demill, Mountain View, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. O. Bisdee.

Mrs. J. Belnap is sick in Bellville General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. F. Belnap and Joy, Mrs. Roole spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. Moy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bisdee and Eugene, Robbin's Mills, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. Bisdee.

Mrs. Brown, Belleville, is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. L. Pollitt who is ill.

Shirley Boulter had the misfortune to have her finger badly crushed at the arena on Saturday so it had to be amputated.

Mrs. F. Thompson is on the sick list.

Laura Belnap C.W.A.C., Kingston, spent the weekend with her mother Mrs. May Belnap.

The Ladies' Aid met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. Belnap, it was Mrs. Belnap's birthday meeting. After the business part of the meeting she was presented with a gift, for which she thanked the ladies. Mrs. Russell won the Aid prize and Mrs. M. Belnap the door prize. Refreshments was served and a very pleasant time spent. Collection $6.25.

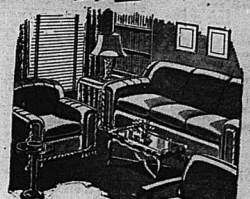
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Sweeping Decree Demands Utmost Devotion to Govt.

Civilians Showing Cowardice Subject to Death Penalty

London, Feb. 16 (CP)—Almost all Germany was placed under virtual martial law today by a sweeping decree calling for military trial of "whoever tries to evade his duties toward the community."

Civilians who show "cowardice" will be subject to the death penalty in the "Reich's defence areas threatened by the enemy."

The decree was one of the most drastic decrees ever issued by the Germans in their effort to bring every man, woman and child into their struggle. It was issued, Berlin said, on orders from Adolf Hitler and with the agreement of Heinrich Himmler.

The German radio gave the text of the decree:

"The hard struggle for the existence of the Reich demands of every German fighting determination and devotion to the utmost.

"Whoever tries to evade his duties towards the community, especially if he does it from cowardice or selfishness, must immediately be taken to task with necessary ruthlessness if he is not to damage should arise to the Reich from failure of an individual.

Test of Order.

"On orders of the Fuehrer and in agreement with the Reich's Minister and Chief of Reich's Chancellery, it is decreed:

"1. Members of summary justice will be established in the Reich's defence areas threatened by the enemy.

"Military courts of summary justice will be presided over by a man who will be assisted by a political leader of the Nazi leader of the National Socialist Party and an officer of the Wehrmacht, Waffen SS or police.

"The Reich's defence commissar will appoint members of court and a public prosecutor.

"2. Members of summary justice will be instructed to try all crimes by which German fighting strength or fighting determination is endangered.

"Proceedings will be in accordance with rules of the Reich's criminal code.

"3. The sentence of the military courts, summary justice is to be for death, acquittal or transfer to regular judicial proceedings.

"Decisions of the court requires confirmation by the Reich's defence commissar, who will also fix time, place, time and method of execution of sentence.

"If the Reich's defence commissar cannot be reached and immediate execution is absolutely necessary, his function will be exercised by a public prosecutor.

"4. Regulations necessary in amplification, alteration or execution of this decree will be issued by the Reich's minister of justice in agreement with the Reich's ministry of interior and the chief of the party chancellery.

"5. This decree comes into force with its public announcement in the press and on radio."

The decree did not mention civilians specifically, but the context made it clear they were affected. Makeup of the courts will be under control in the hands of the Nazis, although a German jurist usually will sit on the court martial boards.

Heavy Bombers Pound Mandalay

Kandy, Ceylon, Feb. 16 — (CP)—Heavy bombers of the Eastern Air Command pounded the port of Rangoon supply dumps south of Mandalay and hammered road and rail communications feeding enemy forces on the Burma fronts, Allied headquarters announced today.

One plane was lost.

Headquarters reported continued mopping up operations on Ramree Island off the Burma west coast and in the Kangaw sector of Western Burma, but otherwise gave little information on ground activity.

Severe Electric Storm Follows 6-inch Snowfall

Bancroft, Feb. 16 — (Special) — Following Thursday morning's fog, snow began falling and reaching blizzard proportions by late afternoon, which lasted until near midnight, during which time a severe electrical storm accompanied by sleet and rain which lasted for two hours, disrupting local telephone service during that period. Six inches of snow fell which together with high winds throughout the night blocking most of the side roads. The main highways are clear.

Dresden One Huge Inferno Since Raid

Stockholm, Feb. 16 — (Reuters) — Since the R.A.F.— R.C.A.F. raid last Tuesday night Dresden has been "one huge inferno where tens of thousands perished," the Berlin correspondent of the Dagens Nyheter reported last night.

Refugees from the bombed city, streaming into Berlin, told of a scene of horror, so that "the name Dresden now dominates the minds of Berliners," he said.

Almost all Dresden's well known buildings have been completely or partly destroyed."

RUMORS CIRCULATE

London, Feb. 16.— A Montevideo broadcast recorded here today quoted a Madrid English language saying rumors were circulating in Spanish government circles that Argentina was contemplating a declaration of war against Germany before the United Nations Conference opens in San Francisco, April 25.

RESERVE JUDGMENT

Calgary, Feb. 16. (CP)—The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of Alberta has reserved judgment on the appeal of Otto Strasser, prisoners of war, Otto Stolzl and August Kuesler, from conviction on a charge of stealing a truck while attempting to escape. The appeal hearing ended late yesterday.

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Legend of Blond Gertie Stimulates Marooned Soldiers in Rhine Valley

By NED NORDNESS
(AP War Correspondent)

On the Rhine, Feb. 12—(Delayed) —(AP)—In the wastes of the swollen, dyke-damaged Rhine where Canadian and British troops are fighting a forlorn, lonely battle, the legend of the mysterious Gertie of Keeken, blond Hausfrau, has done much to ease the herve strain of this ugly and depressing phase of this northern war.

And this is an ugly war — and a most depressing one in the present campaign.

Imagine a barrier of water almost as wide as the English Channel between Dover and Calais and 1 1/2 acres again in area, 5 feet of it the average depth of eight feet of water, the shells of houses, with here and there a miraculously sound building, buried in water to the second floor.

Telephone poles skeletonize the horizon and only the uppermost branches of trees are visible above the water. Roads disappear in the muddy flood and then you come on an island a few feet square with perhaps a house or a barn on it.

On these islands, soldiers are maintaining guard to protect the flank of Field Marshal Montgomery's offensive to the south of the Rhine.

From these islands and from sunken villages they drove the enemy beyond the rebellious Rhine at gunpoint — operating from amphibious buffaloes. They are out here alone, and the radio is the constant link at times from their own command posts. The loneliness, huge water and land craft, have been their constant companions.

Scarcely had the Canadians buffaloed into Keeken, ferreted out the enemy and taken their unconquered of a blond Nazi beauty spread like the sullen floodwaters. A beauty who, how long since the attack began who had taken to the Allied conquerors.

This delicious morsel of gossip was the meat of many a conversation during the early days of Keeken night and the lads began thinking of ways to get invited to Keeken, which even now is under enemy fire from across the Rhine.

Then came proof of blond Gertie. A Canadian platoon reporting by buffalo sent a note to the commander that "enemy quiet, blond beautiful and cooperative." Soon Cook blond Venus who marooned here and was also by now, not unfraternizing, but sure frail-gazing. Nothing to report."

Gertie still at Keeken and the boys who man this post have sent no complaints. It is said that volunteers by the score are prepared to take over the assignment to be had in Keeken and life in the watery wastes is infinitely more cheerful because of Gertie, the Nazi maiden.

Konev Bearing Down on Spree River Defences

Correspondents Say Neisse River Posts Shattered After Fierce Battles

London, Feb. 16 — (CP) — An armored mass of Marshal Konev's 1st Ukrainian Army bore down on Berlin's Spree River defences from the southeast today, smashing toward Beeskow and Cottbus, 31 to 52 miles from the capital.

Soviet war correspondents indicated that the Neisse river defenses had been shattered after fierce battles in the areas of Forst and Guben, Neisse river tributary, that flows into the Oder south of Frankfurt.

They told of columns of tanks and cavalry rolling through shattered villages within sight of the Spree, indicated that the main weight of Konev's 1st Ukrainian Army was directed in the "Berlin direction" after forming a link with Marshal Zhukov's, 1st White Russian Army for an assault on the German capital.

The Oder river defence line east of Berlin was rapidly being outflanked.

Reported Across River

Konev's southern wing, however, was reported across the Neisse and within 37 miles of the upper Elbe, the river that rises in Czechoslovakia near Prague, passes through Dresden and flows diagonally across Germany to the North Sea at Hamburg.

The Soviet armored trains bearing down on Berlin, Moscow disclosed, were using the Berlin-Moscow mile stretch between Beeskow and Cottbus and flanking the Germans who have held up Zhukov's attack on Frankfurt and Kuerstin along the Oder.

Beeskow is 31 miles southeast of Berlin and 13 miles southeast of Frankfurt on the Oder; Cottbus, directly east of Beeskow, is 52 miles from Berlin.

Both Beeskow and Cottbus are on many lakes and water courses to form a defence for Berlin. Both are important communication centres.

Soviet correspondents said fighting was raging near the east bank of the Spree. The dispatches indicated that Forst, 12 miles east of Cottbus, and Guben, 13 miles to the north, either had been by-passed or captured.

Beeskow Besieged

With his left flank now solidly anchored on the great river bastion of the 1st Ukrainian Army, Zhukov was free to launch the attack of his 1st White Russian Army on Poznan.

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On the Eastern Front Nazi Germany is confronted with a new threat from the south, as Konev's Red army drives through German Silesia toward Dresden. Budapest has fallen to the Russians, after 48 days of street fighting. Frankfurt to the north is threatened and reports indicate evacuation of women and children.

Canadian Army Patrols Land on Schouwen Is.

Crerar's British Forces to South Closing in on Goch and Calcar

Allied Supreme Headquarters, Paris, Feb. 16. (Reuters)—Canadian Army patrols landed on Schouwen Island in the estuary of the Rhine and Maas Rivers, Wednesday night, it was reported here today.

The patrols drew German fire, showing that Field Marshal Von Rundstedt's troops have not yet evacuated the island.

(Berlin radio said in a dispatch recorded in London that British Spitfires attempted a landing on the Netherlands Island of Schouwen Wednesday night.)

Schouwen Island lies north of the Beveland Islands, and Walcheren and Tholen Islands, which were captured by men of the 1st Canadian Army during the month-long campaign last autumn to drive the enemy from the Scheldt Estuary approaches to Antwerp and open that port to Allied shipping.

The German garrisons there previously have reported Allied landings on Schouwen but Allied patrols have mentioned only patrol actions against the island.

Germans Admit Raid,

London, Feb. 16. (CP)—The Berlin radio said today the British attempting a landing on The Netherlands Islands of Schouwen at the mouth of the Rhine north of the Beveland Islands on Wednesday night.

A transocean broadcast said the first wave of the amphibious assault was thrown back under the heavy fire of German coastal batteries, and a second attempt was repeled with British units leaving behind their arms and ammunition.

Schouwen Island is part of the Rhine Estuary between the Oosterschelde, a branch of the sea, and Oranjlegen Kraumer Volkerak, one of the mouths of the Rhine.

It is 22 miles northwest of Antwerp and 24 miles southwest of Rotterdam.

Transocean did not indicate whether the assault forces finally gained a foothold.

Weather Forecast

Lake Superior: Strong winds and becoming colder; snowflurries in east portion; Saturday — generally fair and cold.

Erie: Fresh winds; generally fair and decidedly cold today and Saturday.

Manitoba: Fresh winds; generally fair and cold today and Saturday.

Japs Resisting With New Fury in City's Heart

Documents Found Indicate Japs Contemplate Major Defence of Manila

Manila, Feb. 16 — (AP)—Documents showing that a large Japanese force expected to turn the tide of the Luzon campaign at Manila on a line from today as the cornered remnants of that out-smarted garrison fought with new fury in its blazing south Manila trap.

Headquarters, announcing a deeper penetration of Bataan Peninsula, a 113-ton bombing of Corregidor and the steady reduction of "the enemy's final lair" in the rubble of the once-proud capital, disclosed also the seizure of the Japanese documents.

These indicated that the enemy "contemplated a major and successful defence of Manila."

Headquarters reported the Japanese, prior to the American Luzon landing, had a garrison of more than 20,000 men in Manila, with great quantities of guns, mines, pillboxes and fortifications, expecting an attack from the south and from Manila Bay.

Several thousand Japanese may still be left in the thick-walled intramurous district of South Manila along the Bay shore just south of the Pasig River mouth, and in the adjacent Ermita and Malate districts.

Rains Limited to Yards

These Japanese, confined to an area about 8,000 yards by 1,500 yds. opened up at dawn yesterday with murderous fire and limited American gains in a matter of yards.

This renewed Japanese vigor blunted the 37th Infantry Division spearhead which had pushed through the University of the Philippines campus toward the bay shore. To the south, the 11th Airborne Division thrust was slowed by fierce opposition in their push from captured Nichols Field.

Many of the total of 536 Japanese artillery pieces captured or destroyed in the Battle of Manila have been counted around Nichols Field. This underscored the Japanese idea that the main American invasion spear would be from the south, rather than the north as it was the case.

Troops of the 11th Corps pushed four miles south of Abucay, along the peninsula's Manila Bay coast, to the Balanga-Pilar area, the eastern end of the last line held by the American and Philippine defenders of Bataan three years ago.

Water-Hemmed Huisberden Falls to the Canadians

United States 3rd Army Carves Out Half-Mile Gains in the Pruem Sector

Paris, Feb. 16 — (AP) — The 1st Canadian Army, aimed toward the target of the Industrial Ruhr, thrust almost a mile deeper into the lower Rhine valley of northwest Germany today through storms of heavy artillery and mortar fire thrown by an ever increasing flood of enemy reserves.

The Canadians held 30 miles of the south bank of the flooded Rhine from the Nijmegen sector to opposite Rees, holding the six bridges at crossing the wide waterway. They advanced and captured waterlogged Huisberden, four miles east of Kleve and 10 from the Ruhr gateway city of Wesel.

Scots, Britons and Welshmen under Gen. Crerar's command pushed toward the defence keystones of Goch and Calcar in the centre of the bulging 20-mile front. One front-dispatch said the British Empire troops spread out south of Moyland, indicating an advance in the area less than two miles from Calcar. Scots swinging southeast along the highway from Rees moved to within 1,000 yards of Moyland.

Other troops closed slowly toward Goch from three directions and were within easy artillery range. Goch and Calcar both are important military highway hubs, respectively eight miles south and 8 miles southeast of Kleve.

The German committed elements of 25 fighting divisions in the critical northern front, the 8th Parachute Division, three other parachute, two infantry and two tank divisions have been identified. Prisoners totalled 3,700 for the offensive.

Silence Army Resting.

The United States 3rd Army in the Pruem sector, also a big Prussen sector, slowly reducing German fortifications. The United States 1st Army in northern sector also rested after a local line straightening operation which overran Rimling, two miles south of the German Siegfried Line defence villages.

Only the Roer river receding rapidly at the edge of the Cologne plain, teh Germans increased their fire from the east bank. The U.S. United States 9th and 1st armies' artillery on the west bank of the river had been strengthened immensely by the recent offensive operations on the Rhine, 30 miles away Some 700 shells fell on the 9th army sector in Duesseldorf-Hilfarth, the only Southern southwest of the Roer army sector.

Ground mists covered sodden battlefields in the Northern sector, denying air support to the Canadian army. Three more Germans counter-attacks were repulsed and the sting appeared to have been taken from the enemy.

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Peterborough Football Star Shot When Gestapo Kills Camp Personnel

Peterboro, Feb. 16 — (CP) — The parents of WO. Griffin Young of Peterboro said today they had been informed their son, Griffin Young, son is believed to have been killed last Aug. 26 when the German Gestapo machine-gunned the entire white prisoner personnel in a mixed white-Negro prison camp.

Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Young, said they were not told the number of prisoners involved but they were British, Canadian and American. They said they were told of the affair by Flt. Lt. Kay Hall, padre, R.C.A.F. padre stationed at Trenton, Ont., and that his information was received by the R.C.A.F. in Ottawa through an escaped American prisoner.

Here is the story the parents were told:

Young was shot down over France last Aug. 22. His squadron leader reported that Young bailed out and landed safely. Two days after he was captured by German soldiers. He was said to have occupied, White prisoners were shot and the Negroes were taken by the Germans in the direction of Germany, a group set to work.

One of the white Americans was of dark complexion. He passed himself off as a Negro and got away. Later he escaped from France and on reaching England reported to the R.A.F. what had happened. Griffin Young's name was the only Canadian named he remembered.

Young, 20 years old, enlisted in 1941 and saw service in the Near East before being moved to the western front. In his younger days he played football with the Peterborough collegiate football team.

Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden disclosed in the British House of Commons last year that R.A.F. Dominion and Allied airmen were shot by the Germans after a mass escape from a prison camp near Dresden last March 22. Six of them were Canadians. Later 33 more fliers were shot by the Germans, alleged-ly while attempting to escape, but Two Into Airfields.

Rocket and bomb-bearing helicats and helldivers and avenger torpedo planes, numbering over 1,000 in 214 square miles, tore into airfields and military installations some at 7 a.m. Japanese time. They tangled over the city with the Japanese air force in fierce sky fights.

Admiral Mitscher appeared bent on knocking out the bulk of Japan's home-based air force as his Immediate attack. It was learned that the carrier air arm in January destroyed by 800 Japanese aircraft in sweeps from Saipon, French Indo-China, to Amoy, China.

"This operation has long been planned and is the opportunity to accomplish it fulfills the deeply cherished desire of every officer and man of the Pacific fleet," officially announced Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz at his new Guam headquarters, within 1,500 miles of Tokyo.

"Admiral Mitscher, whose carriers began the westward sweep in January, 1944, in the Marshalls, went the honor of completing the last mile of the 6,000 to Tokyo from Pearl Harbor where Japanese carriers struck Dec. 7, 1941.

Challenge Flung at Japs.

The close approach to Japan by the largest mass of American warships and carrier planes assembled flung a challenge at the Nipponese fleet. Japan was no invitation it had been accepted.

Admiral Mitscher's Associated Press War Correspondent who saw the giant fleet assemble for the Tokyo attack said: "Never in the world have I war fleet in history".

It included the largest and newest aircraft carriers, battleships, light carriers, cruisers, destroyers and destroyers.

It packs a wallop with "considerably more than 1,200 planes", Hanigund disclosed.

Battleships, warships and refueling units are participating. The warships are literally thousands of anti-aircraft guns to protect them and behind the best the Japanese air force can offer.

Superiority 20 to 1

Nimitz and his officers pointed out that in carrier sweeps of January-February in the greatest concentration of American carrier strength in the homeland, these officers said, Japanese air superiority can be maintained, even 20 to one.

Possibly the largest formation of Superfortresses ever to bomb Japan proper, 150 of the bombers are slated to come by plastering the Mitsubishi aircraft plant at Nagoya yesterday. Tokyo said Bibs also hit Yokohama, Tokyo's port.

Nimitz's fleet packed powder. More important, it is a mighty thing which to be reckoned with and again, Admiral Mitscher's planes are looking down on Tokyo with 2,000-pound bombs, their returning to reload with more of them.

Coming Events

RESERVE FRIDAY, FEB. 16th. for "Quint Skating Club" brilliant Ice Show, starring Canada's Greatest Skaters from the Toronto Skating Club and University Club. Reserved seats Bill Cook's Cigar Store, Ice. F12-3

A SUNDAY MORNING CLINIC for Blood Donors will be held on Sunday, February 18, from 9 to 11.30 a.m., Sharing in the Community required than ever. New donors and those whose appointments fall on that date will be welcomed. All must abstain from fat during Sunday breakfast and it would appreciate a large turnout from Belleville this Sunday. F16-2

SEE AND HEAR "THE CROSS-roads of Life," a song and drama by the Good News Club at Salvation Army Hall, Sunday, 7 p.m. February 18th. F16

EUCHRE IN CONSERVATIVE Club Rooms, tonight. Auspices of L.O.B.A. and L.O.L. Registrations 8 p.m. F16

City and District News

DESERONTO MAN SUFFERS BURNS

Percy Brooks of Deseronto, an employee at the Kingston Plant of the Aluminum Company of Canada, was admitted to the Kingston General Hospital on Saturday night suffering serious burns about the face, arms and hands. Mr. Brooks, who works in the rod mill department, was near a large vessel of molten metal that was being poured. It is thought a drop of molten metal from the vessel touched something in its surging. He was rushed to the hospital by one of the company ambulances, and a doctor and nurse were standing near Mr. Brooks and he received slight burns to the face, neck and forearms. Both goggles were wearing their protective shield which prevented the molten metal splashing in their eyes and perhaps saved their eyesight.

ENGLISH WAR BRIDES ARRIVE IN DISTRICT

Another group of English war brides arrived in Canada en route to Canada destined for Military District No. 3 where their soldier husbands make their homes.

The group arrived in Kingston yesterday but were prevented from proceeding westward because of a derailment near Brighton at the time expected the brides will be able to go to their various destinations some time today.

Included in the group is the wife of Sergeant R. J. McCaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. McCaw, 200 George Street, and Mrs. T. A. Boyle, wife of Bombardier L. A. Boyle whose brother resides at 31 Dundas Street.

A baby wife, Mrs. T. J. Cole, whose husband is Petty Officer T. J. Cole of 197 Station Street, also arrived at Kingston with the group.

RELATIVES RECEIVE MEMORIAL CROSSES

Mrs. Annie Absy and Mrs. Helen Absy, mother and wife respectively of the late Sergeant Stanley Absy of Mount Anne, have received Memorial Crosses from the Canadian Government to honor the soldier who gave his life for his country.

The late sergeant was a well-known resident of Point Anne and went overseas early in the war with the 1st member of the Hamilton Light Infantry and saw considerable service with that regiment prior to his death from illness in Belgium.

The Memorial Crosses are enclosed with a tribute to the memory of the fallen soldier.

BARTON HINCHCLIFFE NAMED ROAD SUPT.

Tax collector for the township for the past two years, Mr. Barton Hinchcliffe of Wallbridge, has been named as road superintendent for Sidney, it has been announced by Reeve G. J. F. Wilson. Mr. Hinchcliffe was recently appointed and succeeds Mr. Thomas Robinson who had held the position for approximately twenty years. It is understood the new road superintendent will relinquish his duties as tax collector.

BUILD FRIGID LOCKER SYSTEM AT STIRLING

Attesting to the popularity of the Frigidaire locker system, which are being built in many rural centres throughout the province, a system of this kind for storing of farmers' meats and other perishables will be constructed in Stirling, it has been learned.

Mr. Frank C. West, proprietor of Stirling Creamery, has purchased the Dundas Street Front Street in Stirling, and proposes to erect a modern locker storage for convenience of citizens in the surrounding district. Permission from the Warden and Township Council and Board to install the system has already been acquired, it is learned, and the necessary alterations to the building will be made as soon as possible.

PTE. C. L. STARK REPORTED SAFE

Member of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, Pte. Clayton Lorne Stark, formerly of Picton, is now listed as safe after being reported missing during enemy action, according to the latest Canadian Army Casualty list released for publication today. Pte. Stark's next of kin is given as his grandmother, Mrs. Annie Stark of Picton.

Also a member of an Eastern Ontario Regiment, L.-Cpl. Leonard Carl Hicks of R.R. 1, Hybla, Hastings County, is listed in the same casualty list as being wounded. Pte. Kuno is the son of Mr. Mursalo Kuno of Hybla.

FLT.-SGT. McKAY MISSING FOLLOWING AERIAL OPERATIONS

Air Force with a Royal Canadian Air Force member over overseas, Flight Sgt. Alexander Grant McKay, formerly of Montreal, is missing following aerial operations his wife has been informed. He has been informed from Air Force headquarters. The action from which her husband failed to return took place approximately one month ago.

A native of Montreal, Flight Sgt. McKay was stationed for some time at Mountain View and during his service there lived with his wife in Belleville at 24 Charlotte St. He went overseas in the spring of 1944. Mrs. McKay and her two children, Ronald and Peter have lived in this city for approximately three years.

SIX NORTHBROOK MEN LEAVE FOR YELLOW KNIFE MINING CAMP

Rigors of Arctic sub-zero temperatures hold no fears for men in the Northland district, it has been learned. Six young men from Northbrook ranging from sixteen to seventy years have left for the Yellow Knife in the Northwest Territories, following a survey of stake-claims for a Toronto mining concern.

All hardened outdoor men and used to life in the woods, the party will make the last 40-mile lap of their journey by air after which they will sleep in tents, cook in the open and travel by snowshoes and sleds. The men are Charles Ruttan, Donald Thompson, Thomas Ruttan, Ben Thompson, Russell Sedore and Roy Reid.

NAPANEE CAR STOLEN

Napanee police reported the theft of a 1935 model Ford sedan on Saturday night. It is then taken the vehicle was equipped with Ontario number plates number T-U-117.

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315 CASES PROBED IN FIRE FIRST OF YEAR

According to the records at the city police station Belleville police have investigated a total of 315 cases, including maintenance work, since the first of the year. This number does not include minor accidents investigated nor the matter of insured property, which are recorded otherwise in the police department.

Manchester, England — (CP) — Establishment of departments of child health in local medicine and industrial health at Manchester University was forecast by Vice-chancellor Sir John Stopford.

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AB Lawrence Cook On Corvette Which Sank U-Boat

Member of another fighting Belleville family, Able Seaman Lawrence Cook, son of Mrs. Mrs. J. Cook of 35 St. Paul street, Belleville, is serving with the crew currently when his ship the corvette H.M.C.S. Chambly, a submarine on the North Atlantic, the sinking of the Nazi sub was announced by Rear Admiral L. W. Murray, R.C.N. Cook was recently appointed and succeeds Able Seaman Robinson who had held the position for approximately twenty years. It is understood the new road superintendent will relinquish his duties as tax collector.

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Six Desk Sets Arrive Aboard The "Belleville"

Six handsome desk sets valued at $225 have arrived aboard the corvette H.M.C.S. "Belleville," Lieut. Jack Kerning, commanding officer, has informed Committee Secretary Harold Lockwood. The young officer wrote a fine letter of appreciation to the members of the Activity for the many gifts received during the past few weeks.

Ten pairs of hockey pants in addition to complete ice equipment are being shipped to the Belleville complement while a new motion picture projector, screen, and recording entertainment for the officers and men on board.

Those who visited the ship during her stay at Kingston will be interested to learn that Lieut. (E) Barrett-Leonard is now second in command, replacing Lieut. Anderson Ayre, while two officer additions to the wardroom staff are Lieut. R. W. Creed and Sub-Lt. H. Bruce Strathdee-Strathdean and Wilson and Sub-Lt. Clarence Leonard.

According to Lieut. Kerning the ship is undergoing intensive training but is expected to go on operations in the near future.

Maj. Stockloser, Madoc, Promoted To Lieut. Colonel

Major William K. Stockloser, of Madoc, former member of the original Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, and recently second in command of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant colonel, National Defence headquarters announced today.

Lieut.-Colonel Stockloser, who recently celebrated his 38th birthday was born in Madoc township and village and lived there until the time of his enlistment in 1939. He was educated at the public and high schools in Madoc. He is a son of Mr. Karl Stockloser of Madoc and Mr. Stockloser of that village.

Enlisting as a private with "Hasty Pees" in 1939, he went overseas in November of that year, with the rank of lieutenant. During the long Canadian period of the Canadians in England, he was promoted to the rank of captain.

Going to Italy with his regiment, Lt.-Col. Stockloser was given his majority during the fighting in Sicily in 1944 he was returned to England where he was again posted as second in command of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. While not announced it is believed that this has been given command of that famous regiment.

Col. Stockloser was married three years ago to Miss Jean Ross, of Madoc, wife, and two children, reside at Wallbridge. Another brother, Mrs. W. McCartney lives in Brandon, Man.

Accidents Attributed To Icy Pavements

Two motor accidents occurred on city streets Friday morning, both being attributed to the icy conditions which prevailed following Thursday night's rain and subsequent freeze-up.

On Pinnacle Street a car driven by Thos. Hutchinson, 36 Russell Street, slid off the built-up icy roadway and was in collision with a parked motor car driven by Mrs. R. Kerr, 294 Bleecker Ave. Extensive property damage resulted to the fenders of the vehicles involved.

About the same time the city bus, driven by Cameron Morton, 136 Mcdonald Ave., also slid off an icy shoulder and scraped the fender of an unidentified automobile owned by G. E. Thompson, 90 West Bridge St. The damage was slight in this incident. Sergt. D. Ellis investigated both accidents.

With city streets resembling glaring sheets of mirror-like icy glass traffic moved at a cautious speed early today. Later in the morning the employees of the Department of Public Works completed the sanding of all principal intersections and hills with the result traffic resumed normal conditions long before noon.

Picton and District

Pte. W. Ellsworth Prisoner of War

Picton, Feb. 16—Missing since December 13, Pte. Wilmot Ellsworth is a prisoner of war in Germany, day by his wife here. The Director of Records stated that information received from the official Red Cross Society of Canada and the International Committee of the Red Cross at Geneva, Switzerland.

Pte. Ellsworth went overseas in 1940 with Hastings and Prince Edward and was wounded in Italy in July last year, it was reported by C. H. McGibbon treasurer, at the annual meeting. A total of 300 ditty bags were packed and sent overseas during the year and 73 boxes of books and magazines were sent to headquarters. In addition, a large quantity of knitting was sent overseas.

Officers elected were, Mayor Nesbitt McGibbon, president; C. H. McGibbon, vice-president; H. L. McGibbon, secretary; with Mrs. F. Kemaley and Mrs. Ellsworth, treasurer; Mrs. A. H. Walton, wool convener; Mrs. Ross Ditty, ditty bag convener; Phil Dodds, publicity convener; C. H. McGibbon, books and magazines.

Father and Son Banquet.

The Father and Son banquet at Picton Baptist Church on Wednesday night was attended by more than 200 persons. Mayor Masters, member for Prince Edward, told of the session of the Ontario Older Boys' Parliament; Major Gordon Conger, M.P., K.C., was guest speaker and referred to historical spots in Prince Edward, which he suggested fathers and sons should visit.

Harvey Ackerman proposed the toast to the Ladies; H. Warren responding. Harold Clinton proposed a toast to the sons. Rev. A. E. McCutcheon responded to the toast to the church proposed by Harold Grove. Earl Holt and Donald Huff gave a violin duet; Earl Holt, a vocal solo and the Lockyer trio several musical numbers. Rev. Lockyer, B.S. superintendent, expressed appreciation to all those contributing to the success of the banquet.

Observe Day of Prayer.

The World's Day of Prayer was observed by a service at the Bay Chapel Friday afternoon. All Protestant churches of the town joined in this service.

Lac. H. W. Collins Of City Killed In Explosion

Leading Aircraftman Herbert William Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Collins of Dundas Street, East, has been killed as the result of an explosion and resulting fire which destroyed an R.C.A.F. storage building at Debert, Nova Scotia, on Thursday, his parents have been informed. The explosion killed three others and injured 15, according to an official announcement.

Born in Belleville 24 years ago, L.A.C. Collins was educated in the city and was a member of St. Thomas' Church. Before his enlistment he played in the Argyll Pipe Band for two years prior to his enlistment in the air force. He had been stationed in Newfoundland eighteen months and last July was transferred to Sydney, N.S.

Surviving besides his parents are two sisters, Mrs. Clayton Webb of Belleville, and Miss E. D. Sailor of St. Thomas, and one brother, Leading Seaman Wilbert Henry Collins, serving on the West Coast with the R.C.N.V.R. He has been in the service for the past three years. His father is a veteran of the First World War, enlisting with the local 34th Battery and serving overseas with the 80th Battalion.

The body is expected to arrive in the city some time today; the funeral announcement will be made at a later date.

KONEV BEARING

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berg, the fortress in the southwestern corner of the Oder bend south of Frankfurt.

Presumably these attacks were preliminary to a general assault to break past the Frankfurt-Guben fortifications in a double-barreled attack on Berlin from the east and southeast.

At the same time the German high command reported that the Russians had broken their assault front to the north by pushing an advance of more than 16 miles from Soldin toward Stettin, Berlin's Baltic port.

30-Mile Break-Through

In a 30-mile break-through, Koniev's troops yesterday toppled the Brandenburg province strongpoint of Sommerfeld, 67 miles from the German capital.

His rapid thrust from the depths of Silesia already has destroyed the effectiveness of the Oder defences north of Frankfurt, where the Germans checked a direct march toward Berlin by hurling that Gregory K. Zhukov's 1st White Russian Army.

With Zhukov steadily building up new strength a large-scale crossing of the Oder, Koniev now is in position to cut in behind the enemy's Fuerstenberg - Frankfurt defence line.

Whether the Germans could deploy their forces to stave off both threats for long remained to be seen.

As the two powerful Russian armies thus were bolstering the enemy troops into position for the eventual knockout blow against the German capital the Allied air forces were lending a strong helping hand.

Rev. Don. S. Amos Called to Bridge Street Church

The Rev. Donald S. Amos, B.A., interim minister at Fairmont Park United Church, Toronto, has been called to the ministry of Bridge Street United Church here, church officials announced today. He will succeed the Rev. James Semple, former minister of George Street United Church, Peterborough.

Mr. Amos, who preached in Bridge Street Church on Sunday past, is the final selection of the official board from a large number of ministerial applicants.

He has had considerable experience in the ministerial field and some time ago was selected to serve Home Missions Board of the United Church for the field of the Alaskan Highway where he spent two years.

The Rev. E. W. Stapleford, interim minister of Bridge Street United Church, will continue in his capacity until the arrival of Mr. Amos.

CONSECON

Birthday Surprise Party Held at Consecon

Consecon—A number of friends met for a birthday surprise party for Mrs. Jordan Clark on February tenth. Progressive euchre was the evening's entertainment, with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark winners of high score.

A delicious lunch was served complete with a birthday cake and ice cream.

Friends from Frankford, Consecon and Hillier presented Mrs. Irvin with a Pyrex tea kettle and casserole.

113 YEARS OLD



Max (Mottal), Cohen of Denver who will observe his 113th birthday on April 1. He smokes, drinks and reads a Jewish paper. Speaking of the war he says, "Ach vot a bandit, Hitler. What I think of the war is a military secret, but I have confidence in Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin." Interpreted by Burgess for nothing." He is a native of Russia.

YOUNG COMMANDER



Taking over command of a New Zealand heavy bomber squadron two days before his 22nd birthday, Wing Cmdr. Cyril Henry Bishop (above), D.F.C. and Bar, becomes the youngest squadron commander in the R.A.F. Bomber Command. He has been flying bombers from this country since November, 1941, and has completed two tours of operations. To his also made eight trips to Berlin.

STIRLING

Junior Farmers Sponsor Carnival At Local Arena

Stirling, Feb. 16—The Junior Farmers of Rawdon Township put on a carnival in the Arena Rink in the Stirling arena on Wednesday evening that was a good success. A large number participating in the event attended. Music was supplied by the public address system under the supervision of Mr. W. Fox. The judges for the costume parade were Gillian Wood and Mary Thompson of Belleville and Agricultural Representative for the Prince Edward Farmers president, Mr. M. Sharp.

The following are the prize winners:

Youngest skater, Mary Sherry.

Girls' 14 years and under—Marguerite McIntosh, Daisy Ann Kerr, Margaret Kent.

Oldest skater—Fred Mallory.

Ladies' race 14 years and over—Helen of Maureen McIntosh, Mrs. Jack O'Neill.

Costume parade, Ladies' fancy—Judy Johnstone.

Men's fancy costume—Bruce Bell.

Comic parade—Bruce Bell.

Best dressed couple—Miss M. M. Anderson and Ken Anderson.

Patriotic couple—Isabel Brazill, Mary Thompson.

Door prize—Clarence Pitchett.

W.M.S. of St. Paul's.

The February meeting of St. Paul's W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. F. V. Hellyer. Following the opening hymn and Scripture reading, Mrs. Stewart Greene, president took charge of the business portion of the meeting.

Miss D. Caldwell spoke to those present in connection with the W.M.S. Hospital at Battle Creek, Alberta where the missionary for prayer is stationed. Fourteen girls were reported made to shut-ins by the Primary secretary also two birthday visits. Mrs. Greene, the temperance secretary, gave a short reading. Mrs. Hellyer's report followed by a report from the Supply secretary, Mrs. Gordon Gray and Mrs. W.O. Pollard. Mrs. C. Smith, Mrs. Treasurer's report and Mrs. E. G. Bailey, Literature Stewardship secretary asked all members of the society to help their leaders enthusiastically throughout the year.

Mrs. Herbert David, the program convener, took charge of the program announcing the theme, "The Kingdom of God in Our Nation." Prayer was offered by Mrs. Hagerman, Mrs. W. Fox and Mrs. Allen, all of whom took part in responsive reading.

Mrs. A. Armstrong gave a further chapter of the study book telling of the work of the church in Malaya. With war activity in that territory, the chapter was very interesting. Girl missionaries are interned but many Filipinos are carrying on. The church is firmly established. Miss M. Currie read a paper prepared by Mrs. H. C. Martin "The Church in Korea" describing work of missionaries in Africa. Speaking of the Korean churches, the group in charge served a dainty lunch.

Birthday Celebration.

Miss A. Hawkins of the Green Rest Home, Stirling, formerly of Rawdon, celebrated her eighty-first birthday on Saturday, February 5th, receiving many lovely birthday greetings.

Rev. and Mrs. MacDonald of Rosebank and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holmes, of Avondale spent the afternoon and had tea with Miss English.

Congratulations to a Graduate.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. Jack Walker, son of Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Walker, on his B.A. degree in Trinity College, Toronto.

Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Rowan Walker, of Guelph, O.A.C. College attended convocation at Kingston on Thursday, Feb. 15th.

Obituary

LATE MRS. JOHN WHELAN

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Whelan took place Friday morning, from the Campion and O'Brien Funeral Home to St. Michael's Church where Requiem Mass was sung by Rev. Father A. L. O'Driscoll. During the service which was well-attended, Mrs. Campion sang "Nearer My God to Thee", while Mr. John O'Gorman sang "Just For Today." Interment was made in St. James Cemetery.

The bearers were Leo Quirk, Frank Pollard, Walter Lamb, Thomas Whelan, Jack Murphy and Edward Schriebel.

LATE MICHAEL COUGHLIN

The funeral of the late Michael Coughlin, Toronto, formerly of Belleville, was held Wednesday afternoon from the Canadian National Railways station to Mount Zion Cemetery where committal services were conducted by Rev. C. E. Baker.

MRS. CATHERINE PICKERING

Trenton.—One of the oldest residents of this town, Mrs. Catherine Pickering, died at her home, Dundas Street, Trenton, Ont., widow of Charles Pickering. She had been a resident of Trenton for over 50 years. She was in her 94th year.

The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon from her late residence to the interment in Mt. Evergreen cemetery.

BIRTH

BURLEY — To Pte. and Mrs. Howard Burley, February 13, 1945, a son—a brother for Sharon.

RIDLEY — At the Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday, February 14th., 1945, to Sgt. and Mrs. Donald R. Ridley, a son, Robert Ernest.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Ralph Bailey wishes to thank his friends and neighbors for kindnesses and sympathy during his recent bereavement in the death of his mother, also for the floral offerings and use of cars at the funeral.

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One Bill Given First Reading In Legislature

Toronto, Feb. 16 — (CP) — One bill was given first reading yesterday as the Ontario Legislature observed routine formalities and members settled down to the work of the current session, the second of Premier Gordon Daley's Progressive Conservative administration.

Introduction of the bill, by Attorney-General Leslie Blackwell, preceded reading of the Throne Speech which outlined government activities of the past year and forecast legislation, including municipal planning legislation. The new bill would revise the active service election act passed at the direct ballot in place of the proxy vote for Canadian servicemen outside the province.

Other business before adjournment until 3 p. m. today was the naming of special committees and passing of private bills. Second and second address in reply to the Speech from the Throne, Charles H. Marsh, Progressive Conservative member for Halton and Norval, next Tuesday will move the motion and R. R. Scott, Progressive Conservative, Toronto, Parkdale, will second.

Premier Drew and R. B. Jolliffe, leader of the C.C.F. opposition, will speak briefly in welcoming the members. Both are agreed on the absence through illness of Agriculture Minister Duncan Marshall and both expressed the hope that two House members now under service, J.K. Wismer, C.C.F., of Toronto, Trinity, and Hon. Maj. The Rev. A. E. Downer, government member from Dufferin-Simcoe, might return to participate in the session.

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City Council Sets 35-Mill Rate of Taxation for 1945

Two Lengthy Sessions Held Before Rate Agreed on by Members

At a special meeting of the Belleville City Council held on Thursday evening, the municipal tax rate for the coming year was set at 35 mills a reduction of two mills on the rate that prevailed last year. This reduction was accomplished despite the increase in expenditures that the council was forced to meet by giving increased service to the citizens. For the past few years council have given considerable time long session on Monday evening, after the regular council session and again last evening before accepting the above rate.

After the estimate by-law was passed through the various phases along with the other by-law making the rate legal, His Worship Mayor Wills gave a review of the year's business.

Mayor Gives Statement

Mayor Pullwell in addressing the council said citizens said that the municipal tax rate set by your council will be 35 mills for 1945. Belleville has grown considerably and grow and higher expenditures are necessary to maintain essential services and progress. In my municipal address I outlined a programme which your council hopes to complete during the coming year. The program is a heavy one with little to co-operation and backing of your council every citizen I feel it will be carried out.

Public Works $0,100

The Public Works appropriation is increased approximately $10,000. This amount is necessary from the increased cost of snow removal due to excessive snowfall this winter and also anticipates the cost of snow removal for next winter by which time we expect to have completed an order to purchase to clean our sidewalks. Of primary importance are the industrial development and regional and postwar planning. The appropriation for these two departments are increased $1,000 each. This is to take care of active action on the part of our industrial commission to endeavour further development of new industries and industrial expansion.

Many Meetings Held.

"Under Regional planning meetings have already been held and plans formulated for harbor, river and waterfront improvements. Also an enthusiastic meeting on the proposed Skyside Drive. From such meetings we feel something definite will be done on both projects in 1945. The Tourist and Publicity Board has been increased for tourist inducement and more publicity for our city. As the restrictions on street lighting have been lifted our street lighting returns to normal this year. There is an increased expenditure in the department of Relief. Salaries of police and fire departments have been increased to carry out recommendations made by the Police Commissioners and by the Fire Chief and the Chairman of Fire and the Fire Committee, to increase efficiency of force and provide the citizens with more protection.

Fire Department

"The Parks Board has presented an increased budget over last year and has a program of Parks improvement. Also the Cemetery Board increased allowance and spruce facilities. Your council has provided for a paid man to look after public skating rinks and has made plans for an early start in the fall season of this year to have four outdoor rinks one in each section of the city. The tax rate in 1944 was 37 mills and with necessary increase in expenditures has been cut to 35 mills this year but we must be fair-minded that this could not have been done if your school board had not received increased grants from the Ontario Department of Education.

By-Laws Passed

The number of by-laws were submitted dealing with the levying and collecting of taxes. These are by-laws that are passed each year and make the estimates by-law legal.

The by-laws were, a by-law to authorize the levying and collecting of taxes for High School and Vocational School purposes in the City of Belleville for 1945; a by-law for the levying and collecting of taxes for Public School purposes in the City of Belleville for 1945; a by-law to provide for the payment of the accounts of the Public School; a by-law for the levying and collecting of taxes for the purposes of the Roman Catholic Separate School; a by-law for the levying and collecting of taxes payable by the municipality at large for city's share of Local Improvements; a by-law to change a by-law for the levying and collecting of taxes for the purposes of the municipality of the City of Belleville for 1945 and other than schools, city's share of local improvements; and unenforceable rates"; a by-law for the collection of taxes by distress; penalties when not punctually paid; a by-law to provide for discounts for payments made in advance; a by-law to fix the day and finally a by-law for the appointment of a collector to collect the taxes levied by council for municipal purposes and for High and Public schools and Roman Catholic Separate School; also poll tax and frontage taxes for local improvement work and for oiling and watering certain streets in the City of Belleville as under various by-laws for such purposes passed. Mr. R. R. Stock was appointed collector of taxes.

Estimated Receipts and Expenditures

RECEIPTS

Public School Assessment:			
	10,539,511	2.6	
Grant on Capital Charges			85,987.62
			4,921.25
			90,912.90
Collegiate & Vocational Assessment:			
	11,497,290	4.6	50,938.35
Gov't Share Debenture Principal			68,254.20
		7,823.00	
Interest		6,138.10	
Grant on Capital			14,058.16
			5,356.45
			69,739.57
Separate School Assessment:	1,201,485	8.6	10,081.87
Local Improvement Assessment	11,389,896	1.3	74,018.06
			38,705.44
Property Owners' Share L.I.			

EXPENDITURES

PUBLIC SCHOOL—		
Debenture Principal	5,775.00	
Debenture Interest	11,041.80	
		16,816.80
Maintenance		73,221.25
		90,048.13
COLLEGIATE and VOCATIONAL—		
Debenture Principal	15,000.00	
Debenture Interest	15,360.00	
		30,360.00
Maintenance		34,456.43
		64,816.43
SEPARATE SCHOOL—		
Maintenance		10,000.00
LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS		
C/B Debenture Principal		
Pavements	4,530.80	
Sewers	4,627.30	
Sidewalks	1,212.75	
		10,180.75
C/B Debenture Interest		
Pavements	1,426.61	
Sewers	2,727.89	
Sidewalks	836.61	
		4,987.31
		14,798.06
P/O Debenture Principal		
Pavements	8,398.54	
Sewers	18,026.47	
Sidewalks	3,290.85	
		31,716.16

P/O Debenture Interest			
Pavements	1,182.65		
Sewers	15,349.21		
Sidewalks	484.45	17,016.31	48,732.47
			376,820.60
	RECEIPTS		
General Rate	11,986,859	20.5	238,720.43
Special Rate			34,600.00
Sunday Receipts			273,320.43
			$300,497.97
Total Receipts			
Taxation—35 Mills.			
	EXPENDITURES		
General Debenture Debt			
Principal			
Interest			
Highways		6,325.58	
Sanitation		3,000.00	
Belleville Hospital		4,000.00	
Sewers		2,500.00	
Parks		4,385.75	
Relief		2,500.00	27,302.16
			327,800.00
Total Expenditures			
Surplus			204.11
			300,497.97
	RECEIPTS		
Belleville Public Utilities			6,500.00
Fines			1,200.00
Fines and Fees			2,800.00
Rents			
Library and Bus			218.00
Lighthouses			100.00
Surfaces			50.00
Second Hand and Junk			25.00
Billiards and Bowling			96.00
Cabaret			2,040.00
Peddlers and Hawkers			800.00
Circus			800.00
Shows and Theatres			600.00
Auctioneers			100.00
Business Tax			275.00
Market Lease			2,200.00
Interest Receipts			500.00
Tax Penalties			2,800.00
Property Sales			500.00
Ontario Government Law			11,400.00
Local Improvements			1,700.00
Liquor Control Board			1,200.00
Bicycle License			375.00
Dog			80.00
Weed			11.00
Dance Halls			70.00
			36,800.00
	EXPENDITURES		
Administration of Justice			7,200.00
Police			6,000.00
All Grants			7,200.00
Collection			28,180.00
Assessment			27,200.00
Child Welfare			29,145.00
Telephone Rent			3,000.00
Hospitalization			1,000.00
Municipal Retirement			2,000.00
Health Unit			1,000.00
Insurance			300.00
Street Lighting			11,500.00
Fuel			6,000.00
Market and City Property			8,500.00
Public Works and Engineer's Salary			58,300.00
Printing and Stationery and Postage			6,000.00
Police Commission			26,700.00
Parks Operations			6,643.00
Regional Planning			2,000.00
Tourist Camp and Publicity			4,000.00
Accident Insurance			2,860.00
Pavement Cleaning			500.00
Sidewalk Cleaning			3,200.00
Election Expenses			1,200.00
Relief			8,000.00
			237,800.00

Peterborough Wins Two Games Of Basketball

Peterboro basketeers handed the Belleville "T" cagers two defeats at the Centennial St. Association last night, as the Lifebuoy City "T" senior squad defeated the Belleville "T" intermediates 48-10-19. In the ladies' game the Peterboro "T" girls defeated the Belleville "T" ladies, 30 to 20. To add to the night's entertainment the Juniors shot out a 30-10 win over the local Intermediates. "Sonny" Goode was the star performer from the opening whistle to the finish. Goode, with three games played, shot an average of 8.33 per game. Reed, of the Belleville "T" intermediates, was high scorer for the night with 5 points.

Peterboro's high-scoring centre, Hicks, in the senior game was off his form and could only collect 4 points. Hicks, who has been averaging around the 20 mark per game, was closely checked by Belleville's defence. Gord Ranger was the only Belleville marksman with eight points, George Crowder picking up five, Carson two, Copple three and Hamilton one.

In the intermediate girls' game Lois Hutchinson, city "T" star, was in front with 21-6-15 at the halfway gun and continued to out-score Ill. Shirley Goode was high scorer in the basket in the second half to win 30 to 20. It was a thrilling match with the scoring honors well divided, as the two girls' star defensive players before the driving attacks. Mr. McPherson with eight points and F. Hamilton with seven led the Belleville men, as R. Castle picked up five scoring points and M. Hawthorne four. For Belleville Peg Bonsky with six points led the attackers. Dot Richardson and Pat Hutchinson picked up three each, while Marion Bellsbury, Pea Wee Langmaid, Judy Chaplant and Artie Gilbert racked up two points each.

In the junior exhibition game Taylor, Kyle, Lepore, Chappelle, Barkhouse and Bennett did the scoring.

Early Spring in Paris

Paris, Feb. 16 — (Reuter) — After the hardest winter in 80 years spring has come three weeks early to Paris to end the suffering of civilians who for weeks shivered in their fuelless homes with the temperature at one or two degrees above freezing.

Balmy breezes are now wafting along the boulevards, which have recently been bathed in brilliant sunshine. Rose bushes and other early varieties of shrubbery are already showing green leaves.

Parisians have their windows wide open, gratefully welcoming the warmth.

MUSIC HALL STAR DIES

London — (CP) — Gwen Farrar, 45, music hall artist and daughter of millionaire Sir George Farrar, died recently after collapsing in a Chelsea hotel. She had appeared on the throughout Britain the sing "It Ain't Gonna Rain No Mo" and sang doggerel verses which she composed herself.

London — (CP) — The Board of Trade has increased from 20 to 25 1/3 per cent. effective in 1946 the percentage of British films which must be shown in British theatres.

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Christmas in Prison Camp Cheerless Affair Writes Local Soldier

Christmas of 1944 was a pretty drab affair for Canadian prisoners of war in Stalag 344, German camp situated somewhere in the province of Berlin, according to a letter written by Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Collins, 305 Dundas Street, by a nephew, Private Bert Collins.

The letter was dated Dec. 17 and arrived here a few days ago. Mails, however, are uncertain, Private Bert says, as prisoners of war are concerned, for the prisoner soldier states in his letter that he received word from his aunt a few months ago which was written in August of last year.

The letter bearing the official stamp of the German censor follows:—"Many thanks for your letter received last week which was dated Aug. 2. It takes a long while to get mail through and I shan't get the one you send in August in time for Christmas." (Mr. Collins learned later that the cigarettes never arrived). "We have neither cigarettes nor Red Cross parcels and in fact we shall have absolutely nothing at all for Christmas.

"At present we are scraping out our pockets for tobacco dust to make a smoke with. I'll keep on and hope to get the same and hope to reach our happy homes soon.

"I hope you have a happy Christmas and a bright New Year. Give my love to your self, the public in general and Cross pence and let fact we shall have absolutely nothing at all for Christmas.

"I hope you have a happy Christmas and a bright New Year. Give my love to your self, the public in general so not condone it." stated Mr. Collins, Crown Attorney for preliminary sentences. Capt. C. J. Foley, Adjutant with the Argyll Light Infantry appeared as soldiers' counsel and asked the court to take into consideration of the pair."

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East Meets West—in the Air

Russian troops on the Eastern Front reported recently that they could see the smoke from the fires of Berlin which were started by the R.A.F.'s night raiding Mosquitos and greatly augmented by the U. S. Eighth Air Force in daylight. Advance patrols on the Oder said they saw the American formations glinting in the sun as they wheeled and turned for home. To the Russian soldier, this visual evidence of Allied assistance must be very encouraging, but their staff officers know that it is only a part of the story.

At Russian Battle Headquarters and at the Kremlin it is known that the reduced resistance the Russians have met in their sweep to Berlin is partly the result of the years of patient and costly Allied strategic bombing. They know that the bombing of the German war potential at its source has reduced the effectiveness of every unit of the Wehrmacht and the . Luftwaffe wherever it may be. The Russian armies are today benefiting from the British and American long-term policy just as much as the troops on the Western Front.

What is not so well known is the strength of the Russian Air Force. It has an air superiority in the East so enormous that during a fine spell of weather they were able to make 10,000 sorties a day for three days running. The Luftwaffe, short of oil, short of trained men and short of supplies—thanks to Allied long and short term bombing policy — was helpless to stem the onslaught.

The Russians have never built up a large force of heavy bombers nor developed the intricate technique necessary to operate it. They have been able to concentrate on a tactical air force to work with their swift moving armies, by leaving the smashing blows that have put whole cities out of action to the British-based bombers. The Russians have concentrated on engaging as many of the enemy's ground forces as possible while the R.A.F. and the U.S.A.A.F. have looked after the German home front.

The help that the heavy bombers have been giving to the Russians in the last few days however, has been more tactical than strategic. Every effort has been made to stop the enemy's moving his supplies from the Western Front to the East.

One can not long go air reconnaissance photographs revealed that the Germans were sending troops and equipment from the southern part of the Western Front. Immediately the R.A.F. made heavy night raids on the rail junctions of Mannheim and Ludwigshaven through which the enemy had to move. Even if many of the troops did eventually get through to the East, the delay and chaos caused by these raids was of great assistance to the Russians.

Similarly, raids on the communications systems of the Ruhr recently, have aimed at preventing newly manufactured supplies being sent to the East. Formerly the aim was to prevent them reaching the Western Front.

The Berlin raids, also designed to cause traffic and administrative chaos in the East, are but the latest blows of a series that have been the work of years and the benefits of which the Russians are now sharing.

More Jap Atrocities

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By EDGAR A. GUEST

Japanese soldiery in Manila has been guilty of atrocities which are declared unbelievable, civilians bayoneted or hacked to death with sabres in a wanton mass murder, men, women and children had been burned to death in houses set afire by the Japanese or killed if they made any attempt to escape the flames. This was the story of a correspondent of the N.B.C.

A dark picture can be painted of the atrocities which the forces of the Japanese have committed in their race for power in Eastern Asia. The barbarism and savagery they have exhibited in the present war recalls the unforgettable scenes in Nanking, China, when it fell to the Japs.

The world can recall the story of the cruelties the Japs perpetrated on American soldiers who fell into their hands after the fall of Bataan and Corregidor, the details of which crimes against humanity can never be forgotten and which will forever stand as a mark of ignominy against the Japanese.

Seventy-Five Percent Less for Zeros

The attacks on the oil refineries of Palembang, Sumatra, by the British Navy's Air Arm are estimated to have seriously damaged or destroyed the source of 75% of Japan's aviation gasoline.

There are several significant points about these attacks. One lies in the fact that they were made by Vice-Admiral Sir Arthur Power's East Indies Fleet; this is the smaller of the two British fleets in Eastern waters, the bigger one being Sir Bruce Fraser's Pacific Fleet. The force assigned was a very formidable one; there were four of the Navy's fleet aircraft carriers, including the 30,000-ton H.M.S. Indefatigable (this is the first time that she has been mentioned as in commission), accompanied by four new light cruisers, three destroyers and one of the most powerful battleships in the world, H.M.S. King George V. Yet formidable as it was, it evidently was not the whole of the British East Indies Fleet, since the operation was commanded not by the Commander-in-Chief but by Rear Admiral Sir Philip Vian. All of this is suggestive of the tremendous increase that has already taken place in the British naval forces now fighting Japan.

Another point is that the production of aviation fuel at Palembang was strategically situated for the Japanese near the fighting front where it is used. Although there is believed to be a surplus refinery capacity in Japan, this will not solve the Japanese aviation spirit problems. To transport the crude oil to Japan, refine it there, then transport the petrol back to the battle areas would require double the tanker tonnage needed to take the petrol direct from Sumatra to the battle areas. Thanks to Allied submarines and carrier-borne aircraft, Japan's tanker tonnage is not equal to such a task. Furthermore, the tankers would have to run the gauntlet of the U. S. Navy. Thus the only co-ordinated naval action is bringing about in the Far East a state of affairs similar to that created in the west by R.A.F. Bomber Command and the United States Strategical Air Force.

A further interesting point is the demonstration of the strategical mobility of aircraft when operated from carriers. Without these the Japanese oil refineries which are outside the range of Allied shore-based bombers, could not have been attacked, and the work of the Allied submarines in the intercepting tankers could not have been so successful. This success will materially help the battle between Japanese shore-based and Allied naval aircraft.

Some particulars have now been released about H.M.S. Indefatigable. She was built at John Brown's, Clydebank, and launched appropriately enough by the mother of Admiral Mountbatten, Supreme Commander SEAC within which command the ship now operates.

The 'Indefatigable' is an improved type of the 'Illustrious' class. She displaces about 30,000 tons, and has a complement of about 2,000 officers and men. Four engines, each driving an independent shaft and propeller, combine 150,000 horsepower with a speed of over thirty knots.

Leacock on Insomnia

(Wall Street Journal)

Stephen Leacock contended that insomnia was 90 percent nonsense. The humorist related that once when he was living in a boarding house in Toronto he was visited by his brother who shared his bed.

In the morning Stephen inquired politely, "Did you'sleep well?"

"I didn't sleep a wink!" growled George. "Nothing doing at all," said Stephen. "I lay awake all night."

Then the two young men put their heads up from the bedclothes and saw the bed was covered with plaster. The ceiling had fallen on them during the night.

"We hadn't noticed it," Stephen wryly commented later. "You see we were too busy enjoying our insomnia."

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

THE WAR

Oh, does the war seem far away
Because no buildings fall
And none must flee by night or day
To find a sheltering wall?
Go ask the father of the lad
Who's still in basic grim
And hear him tell in accents sad
How close it came to him.

They say we haven't learned, as yet,
How fearful war can be;
That little are our lives upset
By war on land or sea.
Well, ask the mother of the boy
Who fell where cannons flame,
If war has left her any joy
That will be quite the same.

They call us a complacent lot
That still can dance and sing.
We haven't learned from shell and shot
That war's a fearful thing.
But, where a blue star turns to gold,
The loved one who have turned it,
Need not the war's horror be told.
Too bitterly they've learned it.

OUT THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Rather ship your visit tomorrow, Trixie—the bank examiner will be here."

Ernie Pyle Gives Some Thoughts On New Assignment in Pacific

Editor's Note: Ernie Pyle is with the Navy in the Pacific. Pending receipt of his dispatches from that war theatre, we are publishing a few articles he wrote before he left Hollywood, San Francisco, of which the following is one.

By ERNIE PYLE

San Francisco—Well, here we go again.

It has been four months since I wrote my last column, from France. In four months of nonproduction a writer gets out of the habit. He forgets the rhythm of words; falls into the easy habit of not making himself think or feel or remember.

This first column is a stab-in-the-dark. Your mind automatically resents the task of rousting itself again. Your thoughts are scattered and you can't get them together to put onto paper. Words come hard. You have to think what you're going to say over you took up writing to make a living.

So until I'm once more immersed in the routine of daily writing, and transported once more into the one-track world of war, I'm afraid you'll have to be tolerant with me.

There's nothing nice about the prospect of going back to war again. Anybody who has been in war and wants to go back is a plain damn fool in my book.

I'm certainly not going because I've got itchy feet again, or because I'm a war addict, or because there's any mystic fascination to me in a war that is drawing me back.

I'm going simply because there's a war on and I'm part of it and don't know all the time I was going back. It's going simply because I've got to—and I hate it.

This time it will be the Pacific. When I left France last fall we thought the war in Europe would be over. I say "we" because I mean everybody over there thought so. I felt it was so close to the end I could come home and before the time came to go again, that side of the war would be finished, and only the Pacific would be left.

But it didn't turn out that way. Now nobody knows how long the European war will last. Naturally all the fighting is assaulting and sentiments are on that side. I suppose clowning in my heart I would rather go back to that side. For hot. Oh boy!

carriers escorted by what is described as the largest battle fleet in history, is a sequel to our successful invasion of the Philippines which has torn away Japan's main protective shield and turned her heart, we have entered the final phase of the war of the Pacific and while it's likely to be long and bloody, we are at close grips with the last organized force that can subjugate the whole Orient and establish permanent war east over Asia.

The immediate objective of today's attack, Japan's sea lifeline, is as much as possible of Japan's raw materials needed at home. The operation is, of course, an extension of the Battle of Britain tactics which will starve all Japan's industries and bring her war industries to a pulp from the air.

Challenge to Mikado's Fleet

It is of amazing significance that our naval armada should be ready to approach the Japanese mainland to within less than 60 miles. It's a startling challenge to the Mikado's battle fleet and to his defenses by air. It means control of supremacy of the Pacific.

The war in the Orient is likely to take on a striking new complexion when the European conflict ends and the Allies have only one foe to lease their colossal aerial striking power for the crushing of Japan. The Japanese homeland is comparatively small, concentrated and tiny space—prime target for bombs.

Incidentally, of the total Allied air strength against Germany now given at a better test than we yet have had. Only a small fraction will come to wrinkling a war on its own. Obviously the Allies will not throw but it certainly will be a major factor in subduing Japan.

Throne Speech Highlights

Toronto, Feb. 16 — (CP) — Highlights from the speech from the throne read on Thursday by Lieutenant-Governor Albert Matthews at the opening of the second session of Ontario's 21st Legislature:—

Rural educational opportunities improved by consolidation of every quarter of old school sections into central schools, and by special grants to high schools for courses adapted to local needs.

Two health administration units organized during last year under public health provisions of law and being formed. Legislation planned to further assist in control of social disease.

Action planned to increase rate of payments to indigent patients on public hospitals.

Increases planned in minimum wage rates for women and hours of work to 48 in shortened More workers to be brought under Workmen's Compensation Act.

Co-ordinated administration planned for Ontario Agricultural College, Macdonald Institute and Ontario Veterinary College at Guelph.

Further additions planned in program of pasture improvement under supervision of county field crop associations.

Large-scale experiment in spruce budworm control planned with 100,000-acre section in Lake Nipigon area.

Highway-building program ready to start "at a moment's notice" department construction has post-war program to provide 10,000 miles of days work throughout Ontario.

Municipal planning and Food control legislation planned.

New appeal made to Federal Government for Dominion-Provincial conference.

DAMAGE FAMOUS STATUE

Llandudno, Wales — (CP)—Vandals damaged the statue of the Welsh Bard, erected in commemoration of the association of the original Alice in Wonderland with the seaside resort. The bard holding the watch to the rabbit's ear was damaged. The other ear was torn off and not found.



The War Today—
Battle of Japan is Fully On, Air Attack Bares Nippon's Heart

By DeWITT MACKENZIE
(AP War Analyst)

The Battle of Japan at long last has been fully joined, and American airmen are right on a huge scale flying is ripping into the vitals of Hirohito's war effort.

Our great aerial attack, from

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

MANIFESTATIONS of CALCIUM DEFICIENCY

A familiar bit of holdover taught by the school physiology books in the old days is this, quoted from the Provident Weeks in Human Physiology by J. Norman Means, published by D. Nutting Co., Boston: "The composition of the bones at maturity is about two parts mineral to two parts mineral matter. The composition of the teeth is about one part animal and two parts mineral matter. The bones and teeth will not yield to treatment if a nearly half and while the old age the mineral is greatly in excess."

Of the average layman this may sound right, but it is not in accordance with the common popular notion that bones of the elderly are more brittle, more liable to break than the bones of younger persons because in the elderly too much mineral matter (calcium phosphate) is in the bones.

The truth is that, as Bond describes it in his book "Keep Healthy Past Fifty" (The Year Book Publishers, Inc. Chicago) as a result of the calcium deficiency in the body, the elderly experience a steady, long continued loss of calcium throughout the years ...as a result of this constant, gradual loss the bones become poor in calcium and more fragile."

But, after all, this osteoporosis is not due entirely to deficiency of calcium from the bones is called) to a late manifestation of aging. Some authors state that this deficiency in the bones may be a result of long-continued calcium deficiency and not necessarily an accompaniment of old age. It probably could in large part be prevented by "greater calcium storage in earlier years."

Greater calcium storage in earlier years—in youth, in adulthood, in middle age, before the "golden years who cares about the osteoporosis of the advanced age? Why, we're young we are concerned about having a good time now. Let's let the old folks to worry about calcium deficiency.

Greater calcium storage in earlier years means more liberal consumption of milk, cheese, green vegetables, particularly cheese, nuts, green leafy vegetables, greens, cereals, and more exposure to sunshine or daylight to enable the body to manufacture adequate vitamin D to insure assimilation, utilization and retention of calcium (and phosphorus), or what is of more importance if impossible, then daily eating of sufficient vitamin D.

Mrs. F. B.) writes: "In Calcium Shortage" series, by request. If you indicate ten cents and stamped self-addressed envelope) numerous complaints of deficiency are described. If young folks are interested, I would like these earlier manifestations of calcium deficiency they could not only avoid many of these troubles, by keeping calcium metabolism at a high level, but they could have many young longer. But, shucks, there we go again, preaching to deaf ears. As the old proverb expressed it, "You can't make a horse drink, they are old must be old when they are young."

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Cosy

Son, 8 1-2 years old, gets three or four colds in the head during the winter. First attack when he was 3. Also troubled by his tonsils.

(Mrs. F. B.)

Answer—If the tonsils were merely enlarged perhaps it was the best plan to remove them. Send stamped envelope for Health Bulletin on Tonsils and Adenoids, Indicate ten cents. Sulfur is merely a mild laxative—washed sulfur (Sulfur precipitated) is better than flowers of sulfur. The latter is powdered sulfur which is generally used for internal medicine. Sometimes the familiar "compound licorice powder of sulfur, given at night, to children, is a mixture of senna, licorice and washed sulfur. Your Ma is right—sulfur is more effective than any other laxative, although just because it is effective is wrong about "cleaning out"—but then, let us not blame Ma for her ignorance.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

VALUABLE ENEMIES

"We love him for the enemies he has, made's is a popular paraphrase of what General Edward Stuyvesant Shaw, of Wisconsin, said of Grover Cleveland in a speech at the Democratic national convention in Chicago in 1884.

Cleveland's name was placed in nomination by Daniel S. Dickinson of New York, in a brief and formal speech, and by no other speaker.

General Bragg, in seconding the nomination, made a fiery speech in which he used a happy phrase that has become famous. He said in favor of the nomination for the governor, and that is still frequently referred to.

"Grim and gray, personally fighting his battles, Cleveland has declared Bragg. "I stand today to say that I, too, am proud to be the men of my State when I stand for Governor Cleveland. His name is the synonym for the hate of bad men's hearts . . . They love him, gentlemen, and they respect him, not only for what he has done himself, for his integrity and judgment, but they love him most for the enemies he has made."

The speaker referred to the "valuable enemies" that Cleveland as governor had made as a result of his vetoes, chiefly of "jobs" bills. Cleveland had particularly aroused the Democratic Hall. The speech was especially significant because Bragg turned and faced the Tammany delegation when he came to the dramatic part of his oration.

Bragg, who was born in New York State in 1827, rose to the rank of brigadier general in the Union army in the Civil War, and after the Civil War Congress was later appointed to several diplomatic posts in the foreign service. He died in 1902 at the age of seventy-five. His name is often confused with that of Edward Braxton Bragg, noted Confederate officer.

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CWACS Transform Ottawa Barracks Into Cosy Home

Gay Curtains, Rugs and Plants Bring Friendly Atmosphere to Big Building in Dominion Capital

By HELEN BANNERMAN
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 16 (CP) — Glebe barracks here now is a cosy home for nearly 300 girls of the Canadian Women's Army Corps, who assemble in on the word "cosy."

The big building which was formerly the Ottawa Ladies' College has housed army girls for some time but it wasn't until last autumn that anyone thought of covering its bare concrete floor or of hanging gay chintz curtains and bedspreads. Soon rugs and potted plants to make the barracks into a real home, a warm, friendly atmosphere.

It all the doing of the unit's commanding officer, Major Helen Rankin, of Ottawa and Moose Jaw, Sask., who was posted to Ottawa in Nov. 1943, and found the place in a dismal state. She immediately set about to change it and knew her girls would like to have something to say.

She did a lot of the work herself. When she hike persuaded a department store to donate a bolt of curtain material she carried it home on several street cars under her arm.

Capt. Leslie Inglis of Walkerton, Ont., second in command, and the other officers helped. The girls co-operated enthusiastically.

The result now emerging from behind the big piece of painters' equipment is a barracks in name only . . . each room has been made into a comfortable grey plastic floor with rugs and a cheerful chintz scheme different from the other rooms. The girls have a blue and white recreation room where they can entertain their boy friends, a beauty parlor, a canteen-type mess, games room.

The curtains in the sleeping rooms are chintz, in the sergeants' mess homespun dark blue, the officers' mess brocade. Bedspreads are plain blue, peach, gold or green with a four-inch band of chintz which makes double decker bunks look quite luxurious.

Nice Place to Work.

"It's a treat to work here," said Sgt. Gook Alice McDonald, Sandy Lake, Ont., chief cook. Miss McDonald, she looked at her steaming pots and pans hanging in front of the freshly painted wall.

Cpl. Audrey Rudland of Dalhousie, Ont., in charge of the mess halls, came out of the pantry kitchen and agreed with her. "This used to be when where the barracks' cakes, buns and bread were baked. She painted pale yellow with a red trim and broken every three or four days by a kitchen-inspired transfer appli-

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. R. Hayes, Dunbar Street, has received word of the safe arrival overseas of her son, Corporal J. D. Hayes, of Providence, Rhode Island.

Misses Marguerite Giffin, Alice Mills, Jessie Hurlburt, Helen Hutchman, Violet Hopkins and Mamie Marsola, spent Saturday-Sunday in Toronto and attended the Ice Follies.

Mrs. Arthur Cooney, Ivanhoe has received a cable from her son, Pte. Harold Cooney informing her of his arrival overseas.

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Dr. McKay Gives Talk To Literary Society

The regular monthly meeting of the Literary Society of St. Mary's was held in the book room last Friday afternoon, with Cyril Holland presiding. After the reading and adoption of the minutes of the last meeting it was announced that a Valentine dance would be held in the Assembly Room on Tuesday evening. Following this a short comedy skit directed by Sheila Doyle, was enacted by Charles Chapelle, Mary Agnes Whitmore and Bernadette Hanley taking the various roles. The Glee Club then gave several songs and Rose Marie Scanlon very capably rendered two piano selections. The main attraction of the meeting was the address of Dr. Fred McKay, who in his talk dealt first with vocations in general and then more specifically stressing the study of medicine, his chosen vocation. Dr. McKay very kindly invited the students to come in groups to his laboratory, where they would be able to see for themselves the lingering work in which he is engaged. In conclusion he urged the boys and girls to use their influence "as far as possible to persuade their friends to donate blood for the Armed Forces, the need of which is now so urgent."

Cyril Holland extended to Dr. McKay an appreciation for his very fine talk.

Reverend Father O'Donnell was present and he also expressed gratitude to Dr. McKay for his kind and appropriate address to the students.

The singing of the National Anthem brought to a close this enjoyable meeting.

Teachers' Federation Holds Meeting

The Teachers' Federation held their monthly supper meeting on February 14. King George School is responsible for the Red Cross meeting. The Federation under the capable leadership of Miss Annie Tucker realized $180 from the social evening held in the Collegiate Institute. This sum is for the British Red Cross.

Mr. S. Alec Gordon, the speaker for the evening, chose as his subject "Canada's Funny Money". Miss M. Lashbrooke moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Gordon for his amusing and entertaining address.

Gloucester, England — (CP) — Twen were killed and 11 injured in an explosion at the Royal aircrew factory here.

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Young Women's Guild Holds Pancake Tea

The Young Women's Guild of Emmanuel Church had a most delightful Aunt Jemima Pancake Tea, in the Sunday School room, Tuesday afternoon.

The room was decorated in keeping with St. Valentine's Day.

For the occasion the Guild members dressed as famous Aunt Jemimas as they could.

The guests were received by Mrs. T. S. Russell who also presented each with a little booklet entitled "Spiritual food for the Lenten season."

The servicers were Mrs. W. Dennis, Mrs. W. Wright, Mrs. Ida Worrell and Miss Bertha Gannon.

The tea table was replenished by Mrs. J. Gannon who was also our Aunt Jemima for the occasion and Mrs. J. Riley assisted her.

Treasurers for the afternoon were Mrs. T. S. Russell and Miss Bertsel Gannon.

The proceeds realized were gratifying.

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School Club Holds Pot Luck Supper

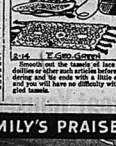
The February meeting of the Queen Alexandra Home and School Association was held February 13th, and took the form of a Pot Luck Supper which was very well attended. After the regular business period the business portion of the meeting was taken over by Mrs. Mrs. H. O. Truesdale in the chair, as president of the social evening. R. H. Macklem, Public school inspector for Prince Edward North Hastings, whose subject was "Secrets Can". During his talk he brought out the fact that the child has more leisure for people to make use of their leisure time. He also spoke for communities to work together to give the young people the best recreational opportunities when people used to work in to help each other. Mr. Macklem gave several instances of the Community School as operated in England, parts of Canada and other countries. Under this plan the schools are used for adults to gather together for discussion, education and community entertainment.

Mrs. W. C. Burgoyne delighted the audience with a solo, also Mrs. J. R. Guthridge acted as accompanist.

The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Women's League was held February 10th, St. Michael's High School with Mrs. S. B. Upper presiding. After the usual opening reports were given by various members. Mrs. Upper also showed the work accomplished since the last meeting. Mrs. J. E. Cowan reported on the success of the social and euchre held recently and expressed her gratitude to all who contributed so generously, also extended her thanks to Rev. J. J. Doyle for allowing sale to be held in his store. Contributions to various organizations were made, one to Radio Catholic Hour, Catholic Letters of Service, to the Scholarship Fund, $10.00 to I.O.D.E. for books for service personnel, and $5.00 to the Red Cross. A letter was read from the national convener of Education which stressed the necessity of religious training during early in the home, showing how parents can aid in fostering vocations to the religious life. Many more letters, acknowledgment of Christmas parcels received by our parish boys overseas were read by Mrs. V. McIntyre, war services convener.



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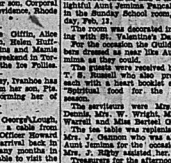
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Care of Dry and Oily Skin



Leslie Brooks has a beautiful smooth complexion.

By HELEN FOLLETT

HUMAN skin is as busy as it if were earning its living. Maybe it is, for all we know. It does a continual bad, and fevered work, discarding dead scales, creating new ones, destroying them day after day and night. It has no rest at all.

It is an important organ of elimination, sending off a portion of the body's waste. It pours out a soothing oil, necessary for the fine satin finish of the complexion and for the well being. It has much to do with keeping the temperature of the body right, a protective armour to sensitive flesh and nerves.

Excessively Dry Skin.

When the skin is excessively dry it may be rough, to the touch. Desquamation is going on too rapidly. To cope with this unhappy state of affairs, oily cosmetics must be used lavishly. A fine cream, ute friction with a heavy emollient lotion. To overdo it puts the artificial epidermis in form. Before washing the face, makeup must first be removed with oil or cream. A creamy foundation agent helps to give to day pep.

Sometimes, when the skin is dry, it rebels against such cases a soothing cleansing oil can be used. Rub it on, then wash cloth in warm water, sprinkle the oil over it, go over the skin surface lightly, rinse, dry, and on with a light cream. It's Oily Skin.

Powders best adapted to the dry skin are those with an oily base. Cold water and ice frictions are no help to the dry complexion, but should them.

Air that lacks moisture can so irritate the skin that there is an unbearable feeling. Dry air has a bad effect upon the nostrils too, interfering with free breathing that is necessary for the health. Humidifiers in rooms, or even water containers on your radiators.

Beauty specialists tell you that many victims of dry skin do not drink enough water, that their hides are thirsty. Other specialists say that some women are victims of fiction because they stick to a fat free diet, suggest regular, small doses of cod liver oil each day.

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

BY THEIR WALK YE SHALL KNOW THEM.

We've all heard plenty about facial expression. Now you must tune your lip ends up in a "some-sweet smile; how your eyes must be illuminated; how you must be a rich child if you want to look nice. Faces are read like books; tell tales about character. Well, there is such a thing as figure expression, too. Have you ever thought about that? Snappy postage and grace movements are the makings of such a lovely silhouette.

There's no mistaking the muscleree, athletic girl. She's out to get her lungs full of fresh air. She walks because she finds walking builds her body and soul. Exercise sends her blood streams dancing, whets the appetite, fits her for sleep, gives her a good time has to do. Her abdomen is flat, and it likes it that way. Her head is carried regally. She is not clothes conscious.

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She may get over that. We've known her ten years hence, cooking for her old man, washing the kids' clothes, trundling the carpet sweeper. She'll be watching them, and no fooling.

What sort of impression do you get of the woman whose body is rigid, whose nose is in the air, who comes down heavily on her feet? She's the boss of the office, or she's the grocery clerk, fires up a gorgeous hatred within his clerks. She's not the body what to do; she critisizes; she observes her everything that everybody.

There is also the girl who doesn't walk, but gets there any old way, usually with a lazy shuffling of feet. She suffers from chronic inertia, which is a prettier word for low vitality, and dislike of anything in her case.

The girl whose shoulders and chin droop, whose backbone is apparently made of rubber, is lazy. Courage doesn't walk that way; it sticks along on its toes, keeps its head up.

Shy girls walk shyly; bold ones boldly. Both are apt to look into shop windows to admire their own contradictions.

Correct posture is an attitude of grace. A light body is necessary for graceful motion. To enjoy this blessing there must be health and efficiency of the organs. Remember that in mind if you are inclined to love the soft cushioning and bear the thought of a daily workout of the whole body, and how to your teeth on edge.

Don't forget that a dowdy walk makes a dowdy woman. Many a girl has a reputation for style whose clothes are not out of the ordinary; she knows how to carry herself, and so carries her clothes with splendor.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

The Homers' Fifty Years of Happy Marriage

A few days ago, Louise and Sidney Homer celebrated their Golden Wedding. Louise Homer, if you were so fortunate as to have heard her sing in the Metropolitan Opera House in New York, in concert, or on the radio, had one of the great voices in this country. The rich organ-like tones of her splendid contralto fortunately still appears with us in recordings.

Sidney Homer, her husband, has given us many of our finest ballads. You will recall his requiem, "Sing Me a Song of the Lad That is Gone," poignantly moving these days when so many of our brave lads do not come back, and the seventeen children's songs in Christina Rosetti's "Sing Song."

The Homers have had six children, so Father Sidney had plenty of little songsters in his own family circle to give him their reactions about those songs, and also to try out others on the children.

Youngsters are terrific cri-distinct musical ability.

Wenaley, Yorkshire, England — (CP) — Lord Bolton, 78, former Conservative member of parliament and fifth baron of his line, has died suddenly, a year after his wife. He is succeeded by 44-year-old Hon. Nigel A. Orde-Powlett, a widower.

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The Marry Go Round

Is Your Husband a Mystery

Is your husband a mystery to you? And do you go right on admiring him in spite of his strong, human reticence? Or do you try to "psychoanalyze" him? Well, he'll be more mysterious than ever after this evening.

"Woman is not a problem. The Dear One are as transparent as the shining dawn," declares Anni Le Casserre. "The problem is really man."

I agree with him heartily. When a man finds a woman who understands him, when she is looking after us she was born with the gift of clairvoyance. If a woman is "misunderstood," Heaven knows it is not her fault! She is constantly trying to explain herself, interpret herself, express herself.

When it comes to explaining anything to a woman, the average man is as inarticulate as the Sphinx. How can a woman know anything about a man when he shrouds his moods, his motives and his mentality in such deep mystery?

A wife seldom guesses what is lurking behind her husband's forehead. And that vast, cryptic smokescreen which settles between the man after marriage is not confined to temperamental artists or poets. Every man from a butcher to a banker, locks into the silence of the honeymoon and seldom emerges or comes up for air.

Of course, a husband remember her husband is worrying about his income tax or whether he has merely waited too many clams for breakfast. He doesn't know whether to come home with blackarboreate, silence or champagne.

If only she knew whether she kept light in her eyes means that it is the case or the stock quotations, or her self he is really enjoying her company.

If only he would tell her that it is the case or the stock quotations, or her self he is really enjoying her company.

But every man is a Mason at heart. He will never tell. Somewhere down in his subconsciousness there is a sub-collar where he keeps his thoughts and his emotions, his fears and hopes. And there's nothing that he so bitterly abhors to have a woman insist on digging them out and making him exhibit them.

Yes, man, and woman, is the mystery of the human race. Don't you agree with me? Has your husband or your sweetheart comes back from overseas? He will be stranger and more mysterious than ever. You will have more than ever to think about. Why? Because he is a man. Don't try to "understand" him—just love him—and don't ask questions!

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

A SHOWER GIFT MUST NOT BE A SECRET.

Dear Mrs. Beeckman.—

May I please have your comments on the following?

1. Should a bridal shower always be a surprise to the recipient of honor? I have read in several etiquette booklets that a shower must always be a surprise, and refer to the bride-to-be. Yet in our local society of late I have often read "Miss Jane Jones is to be feted at a shower given in her home, for Miss Mary Robinson."

2. If the honor guest is not to be told of the shower beforehand, then does the hostess consult with the mother of the bride-to-be about what type of shower to give and and when to give it?

2. Also should a baby shower be a surprise to the guest of honor? Is it proper at a party to give a "guest prize?" If several games are played, should each game have and prizes awarded for each game, or should the guest prize be presented at the conclusion of all the games?

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Childbirth Made Easy for Fathers

(Condensed from The Los Angeles Times)

Two expectant fathers are sitting nervously in the waiting room on the sixth floor of California Hospital, Los Angeles. One of them is holding an ice pack on his head. Suddenly a voice comes from the loud speaker:

"Mr. Duschanek, 'it says—and the man with the ice pack groans and moves over to it quickly. 'Your wife is in the delivery room. Stand by. She is smiling and cheerful. She asked about you, old man. . . . Don't worry. The baby is it easy, old fellow. You'll be a father before you know it."

Duschanek, who is an American Airlines pilot, is static and grins at his fellow sufferer, Rev. John Mitton, of the Los Angeles Church Federation.

Then the same reassuring voice comes over the loud speaker again: "Mr. Mitton, your wife has entered the delivery room. Everything is just dandy . . . normal in every way . . . relax . . . don't worry. Stand by for further announcements."

California Hospital doctors realize that fathers, in the old days, that having a baby is often hardest on the husband and mother. After many years of having strong men faint on their hands, or work themselves into cases of near hysteria, the hospital has set up a physi-hap broadcasts. So now the fathers-to-be sit and smile, and go by the-loud-speaker, getting a firsthand description of the birth of his child.

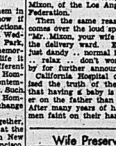
"Attention, Mr. Mitton . . . stand by Mr. Mitton . . . listen closely . . . 'There was an audible but gentle smack at the big hand of the doctor connected with the bottom of that turned out to be Baby Mitton!)

"Waaaaaah! That's your baby's first cry, Mr. Mitton, congratulations. A fine baby boy . . . seven pounds, eight ounces. You may be gets a shower and a rub-down you can comv down to the nursery.

Mr. Mitton jumped to his feet, just as the loudspeaker began giving the good news to Mr. Duschanek. Both men headed for the room.

Duschanek tossed aside the ice pack. "You know," he said, "having a baby this way is much easier than I thought."

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If you was the fact of your furniture when you was your floors, you will prevent floors being marred when furniture is moved about the room.

London — (CP) — Mrs. J. D. Lunch, a member of the council in suburban Tottenham, has been granted the freedom of the borough —in first woman to be given the honor.

Fashion Flashes

QUITE A SEASON ahead for polka-dotted jabots, since almost every collection features them. A grand play frock and fine for general or casual wear, is of white rayon crepe with purple and fuchsia polka dots. Long sleeves; buttons from pin-tucked yoke to waist. Fuchsia suede belt.

JUST GRAND are all the tricolor costumes readied for Spring. For instance, a navy suit with navy bolero and skirt of red wool jersey with full draping in front. A white crepe shirt completes the colors.

PEARLS OF GREAT PRICE all the way to the little, very inexpensive, single strand choker is the outlook for pearls this Spring. Every shop features pearls, even dog collar, some chokers, but usually it is the 20-inch single strand that proves most popular. Pale blue, pale pinks, gray and pumetal pearls are all popular.

RIBBON IS WOUND into the millinery picture in a long bolt, with plenty of ribbon bows and a wide band of ribbon. Black milan straw makes the crown of a dress hat with puffed brim of rose taffeta ribbon, shaded in green, shocking and gray satin.

A DOUBLE LIFE is the result of the good looks of the new raincoats, for most of them are nice enough to be a fair weather friend as well. This is true of a three-quarter version of the rain coat made of silver-gray rayon poplin with satin surfaced twill. It has a cap oversleeve flange that slants down to the waist, and sleeve with easy wrist. Self sash tie.

SPRING NIGHTS will see some smart women wearing feather turbans, in pastels matched to short feather capes.

AIKENS' W.M.S.

The regular meeting of Aikens' W.M.S. was held at the home of Mr. Stubbie on February 8. Due to the heavy snowfall the attendance was not as large as usual.

The President, Mrs. H. Hamilton, opened the meeting and took charge of the Worship Service, the theme being "Christian Missions in Our Nation". The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Hamilton and hymns by Mrs. Stubbie and Mrs. Pegg.

Mrs. F. Jones took the book charge of the Study Book, Chapter 4, Church in Indo-China and Thailand. The map study was taken by Mrs. S. Spafford. Mrs. F. Moon read the report of Mrs. Gordon Smith and gave the story of her visit to the city. Also the part of Mr. Sing Soo, a Thai Christian from Bangkok, Siam, Mrs. Stubbie, Miss Edith Porter, from Eastern Asia. By the ladies taking the parts of these people the meeting and the Study Book more interesting.

The offering was taken by Mrs. Stubbie "The Tapestry Weavers".

COLLEGE HILL WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The February meeting of the Group was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Burley, Donald Street, with twenty-two members and four visitors present.

Mrs. Burley, the president for the coming year, was in the chair. Mrs. F. Rogers gave a fine current affair section in which Faith was the main topic discussed.

Letters of appreciation were read by the secretary for Christmas Boxes, received by the boys.

One complete layette, 6 pairs of socks and 6 pairs of mitts were also received for the Red Shield.

In an interesting address Mrs. G. Coulter presented the topic, "Post-War Reconstruction". The speaker pointed out that plans are being made now to assure that in the social and economic order following the war there will be a greater measure of security and employment, health and education for all, than there has been before in Canada. To see that these plans are really carried out is the re-



Spring Accessories

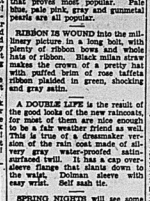


White Straw with black streamers.

THE GRACE THORNCLIFFE

The Grace Thorncliffe is having return engagement for Spring, and ranges from the flower-a-day bandeau velvet to a model that much resembles a man's straw "skimmer", as does this model. It is of high quality white straw with black grosgrain band and streamers and is worn way back on the head. Rayon, with a scalloped frame, has pale pinks, gray and pumetal.

The glove which has inserts of navy and red leather to set off the white. Pale blue cowhide makes the comfortable low-heeled wedge. The shoe has rows of stitching bordering the tongue-to throat. Front vamp is slit with open toe.



SPORTSHOES which confronts us all and each in some way has a part to play in bringing about a truly Canadian spirit.

Mrs. Coulter conducted a short discussion period after which lunch was served by the hostess and her helpers. Valentine greeting cards were exchanged by the members.

Newmarket, England — (CP) — Mrs. Doris Walker, elder daughter of the late Solly Joel who was a gold and diamond millionaire and a well-known turf figure, died here.

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N.Y. RANGERS DEFEAT HAWKS TO HOLD 4TH PLACE

Kilby Macdonald Breaks Cellarhome and Don Grosso Twists Knee

By The Canadian Press

When Tin Pan Alley turned out a ballad called "I've Got Rocks in My Pockets" some time ago, the writers probably didn't dream that manager Paul Thompson would cross it today in his National Hockey League Chicago Black Hawks.

And if he didn't, the Chicago manager might well have done so, because last night the fluttering birds just about touched rock bottom in the standings when they suffered a 6-2 set-back at the hands of Rangers at New York.

The defeat, second in succession for Hawks, ended a determined bid to clamber out of last place and left Chicago three points behind fifth-place Rangers. The win was the first in seven starts for New York.

A crowd of 10,821 waited two hours and 20 minutes for the game to start due to a delay caused by lateness of the train bringing Rangers from Detroit, where they played last night. They were rewarded with a rather slow contest with five of the goals packed into the opening eleven minutes.

Bob Dill and Fred Hunt each blasted two goals past Mike Karakas in the Chicago nets, Hunt's both on breakaways in the last two minutes of the game. Grant Warwick and Clint Smith accounted for the other New York goals and Pete Horeck and Joe Cooper contributed for Hawks.

If the victory was sweet to manager Lester Patrick of Rangers, it was tempered by loss of Kilby Macdonald, who broke his ankle when in a third-period collision with Cully Simon. Chicago also lost a man in the game when Don Grosso received his knee in the second period.

Figure Skaters To Feature Show By Quinte Club

Internationally known figure skaters will feature the annual Quinte Skating Club ice carnival at the Arena tonight. Some of the outstanding skaters as Miss Ve Ve Smith, of the Toronto Skating Club and Ontario juvenile champion, Miss Roberta Wilcox, junior figure skating champion of Manitoba from Winnipeg as well as Miss Suzanne Morrow and Mr. Norris Bowden, of Toronto and Dominion double champions this year.

Besides these internationally known skaters there will be the local artists, and figure skating talent is well known and appreciated throughout Belleville and district. Prior to the individual artists appearing they will be in a colorful ice pageant with gay costumes and a galaxy of skaters to add to the evening's entertainment. The Quinte skating Club ice carnival will be the only winter carnival to appear at the Hume Arena this season.

Sheffield, England — (CP) — A postman pretended not to notice when he entered a village barn near here and six ducks escaped German prisoners-of-war hiding in the hay. He returned with two friends carrying guns. The Nazis surrendered immediately.

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AMBITIOUS

By Jack Sords



Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER
(CP Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 46 — (CP)—Sport pages and sport talk are overflowing with the "shock" story of the year—Brooklyn's basketball scandal and its aftermath. Comment is both pro and con, as one might be expected, but the faces that take on the Purple, Red and matter a distinct "Tsk, tsk!" when more shocking than the Flatbush fiasco.

Gambling is inherent in most people, Harry (London Free Press) reminds stolen. And that is especially true of sport followers.

Horse racing couldn't continue without betting; wagering and profits are the fields offered big time gamblers in baseball, hockey, boxing or almost anything else you care to name.

Even the younger generation indulges in it in a mild form—marbles, box tops, coupons and whatever else catches the youthful fancy. Grandad ladies find bingo satisfying their yen for a game of chance, while Dad indulges in a poker game and Mom has her bridge club in twice a week.

Professional sport is a field pregnant with opportunity. The boxing ring has been the catalytic agent for many a huge wager — and many more a small bet. Pro hockey—with the "built-ins" at Maple Leaf Gardens the prime example — is the betting boys' money-making means. Even "amateur" sport is not immune.

Basketball in Canada has not yet reached the proportion where a sufficient number of people are interested enough in loosening their wager-wallet strings and fortunes is in much the same position. But no doubt many a dollar has been found for the odd bet around the hardwood court or indoor bee.

That in brief is a situation to which legislators will seek to put a stop.

Gridder on Blades:

Ken Charlton, who starred in the backfield of Dean Griffing's roaring Regina Roughriders, has made a successful return to hockey. Ken recently was discharged from the R.C.A.F. and is playing with Oakland Oaks in the Pacific Coast League. Ken played collegiate hockey with Santa Rosa in California four seasons ago when the Oaks were won the California intercollegiate title.

Friday Festivities:

Bob Li. Gordie Walker, former sport scribe for the Toronto Star and Toronto Globe and Mail, has been named father of a second son. Gordie now is on duty overseas . . . 1951 is far away. Rosters are being entertained at a big time golf circles that Joe Krol may be carrying the ball for Ottawa next season . . . Boxer Mickey Hennessey, Sid Wheel hockey star, is leading the Mount Royal junior 'B' loop in Montreal . . .

Recreation Alleys

SACO LEAGUE

Redmens 3 points: J. Yerex 439; B. Ivy 414; H. Bonisteel 407; R. Marsele 436; F. Dixon 407—2231.

Carriers 3 points: A. Hitchon 505; Keating 459; Saunders 444; Lamberton 462; Thomas 330; Ashton 430—2630.

Seelmaster 0 points: A. Evans 439; Long 390; J. Burnett 449; W. Harden 441; T. Thompson 389; L. Jones 378—2037.

Cruisers 0 points: J. Dunlop 397; W. Cornell 466; C. Dalrymple 479; F. Redmond 421; D. Batchelor 463; Delaney 455; O. Kerr 382—2963.

Sleepers 0 points: O. Owen 382; S. Hartlock 350; Miller 401; C. Bayley 408; R. Cooley 434; J. Hunter 426; W. Jones 384—2605.

Trippers 4 points: Z. Dixon 261; Thompson 580; J. Hunter 581.

Peoples 2½; D. Grills 364; Donovan 339; Lee 396; M. Prain 318; M. Strickler 407; Hendrickson 391—2803.

Major A League

Cordins 0 points: C. Smith 518; J. Graham 580; J. Hutchinson 502; G. Brown 381; J. White 446; High Group 2427.

Belleville Golf 4 points: J. Kirkwood 689; C. Bryant 617; P. Drumm 581; C. Barlow 686; J. Lepsit 644. Handicap 90—2302.

Bell Glasses 4 points: A. Croft 579; J. Lee 712; A. Whalen 564; C. Goldsmith 564. Handicap 174—3166.

Lewis Bowlers 0 points: W. McLaughlin 515; R. Hutchinson 446; G. Pauley 467; D. Boyd 726; A. Wonnacott 670; Handicap 273—3027.

Kinsmen 1 point: W. Barry 576; B. Dennis 529; C. Lisy 586; T. Holway 502; A. MacMullin 516; High Group 156—2809.

C.N.S. 3 points: Garleys 987; Moore 668; Kiser 684; Hardwick 562; Jackson 701; Handicap 171—3803.

ON HISTORIC SITE

Mombasa, Kenya — (CP)—A new church is to be built at Malindi, one of the loveliest holiday resorts on the West African coast 60 miles north of here. Malindi is the site of the oldest Christian church in Africa.

FOR SOUTH AFRICAN FARMS

It is estimated that farming machinery made in South Africa during 1946 will total about 35,000 tons in weight.

BARONS BOLSTER HOLD ON FIRST PLACE IN A.H.L.

Crush Providence Reds 7-4 to Put Team Eight Points Up

By The Canadian Press

Cleveland Barons bolstered their hold on first place in the American Hockey League last night when they crushed Providence Reds 7-4 before 4,881 fans at Cleveland. The Barons now are eight points ahead of Indianapolis Reds, in second place in the standings. Cleveland has won 4 points ahead of Buffalo Bisons, eastern division leaders.

A four-goal outburst in the third period brought victory to the Barons and overcame a 4-3 lead held by the Reds at the end of the second frame. Roy Kelly and Tommy Burlington each scored twice for the Barons, while Bill Lee, Lee Cunningham and Tommy Forde collected singles. Roger Gagne, Roger Bedard, Frank Eddolls and George Patterson scored for Providence.

The Reds were without the services of Emile Courtemanche, the league's leading scorer, Wednesday night in a game at Hershey.

DULTON TO PLAY INVETERAN'S GAME

Toronto, Feb. 16. (CP)— Headsent Mervyn (Red) Dutton of the National Hockey League is to be counted out of any meeting of the league.

When Dutton heard that he was not included in the prospective line-up of the All-Star team selected who are to play veteran Toronto Maple Leafs in Navy Memorial game here next Wednesday night in Maple Leaf Gardens, he began saying that if an aging player like King Clancy could come out of retirement Dutton could do the same. So in order to join the Maroons—the team with which he played until he is the N.H.L.—who are being handled by Lionel Conacher, Toronto Tommy Gorman.

Although the game is billed as a Maroons-Leafs battle, New York Rangers are contributing Bryan Hextall and Frank Boucher to join Veteran Davie Kerr.

Two former N.H.L. Referees Mike Rodde and Bobby Hewitson —have been picked for service the game which will be played under the auspices of Canada Army Sports Control at the debated centre-ice red line.

What's Doing in Sport

By The Canadian Press

The name of Frank Stack returned to active service when it was announced last night that he had signed with the former North American speed skating champion who last year was returning to competition in the Manitoba championships which open there tonight with a two-day program. Long in retirement, Stack is making a bid for honors in the senior men's events.

For the past five seasons an arbiter in the Intermediate Baseball League, Butch Hemline of Kitchener, yesterday received his appointment to the umpiring staff of the National League.

Li. Cmdr. C. B. (Tiny) Herman, commander of Canadian corvette and former placement kicking star of Ottawa Rough Riders, returned to Halifax Tuesday and expected to point to learn his eight-months old daughter, Lynn Ann, had already passed through a crisis and was ill with meningitis during his absence.

President Mervyn (Red) Dutton of the National Hockey League declared at Montreal yesterday he was continuing in office for the duration but planned to own and manage a pro club after the war, probably in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Frank Selke of Toronto, was re-elected president of the Canadian Thoroughbred Horse Society at a Toronto meeting last night.

Cart Asmussen's Kitchener rink last night won the R. J. Ramsay Memorial Trophy at the Galt Curling Club Open Bonspiel defeating J. Moore of Oshawa 18-5 in the Oorrie of Hamilton Thistles swamped E. Brown of Platteville 16-5 to take the consolation.

The Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters at the annual convention here yesterday passed a resolution asking the Provincial Department of Game and Fisheries to release at least 100,000 pheasants annually. The Kingston and District Rod and Gun Club, in another resolution adopted, asked that the existing limit of 50 pesos a season in the Hannah Bay section of James Bay be reduced to 25. The resolution said the Cree Indians subsist on the geese for their winter food supply.

Newmarket Army triumphed 16-3 over Toronto Army in the third playoff game of the Inter-Service Hockey League, stars for the winners being three former N.H.L. stalwarts, Billy Taylor, Sky Guidolin and J. McCreedy. For the losers, in the game played at Newmarket, a stellar player was defenceman Chuck Shannon, once with Syracuse Stars and teams of the American Hockey League.

JUNIOR HOCKEY PLAYOFFS IN WEST NOW UNDER WAY

Winnipeg Monarchs Only Civilian Team to Go Through Schedule Undefeated

Winnipeg, Feb. 16 — (CP) — Western Canada junior hockey playoffs swung into second-round stride tonight with Winnipeg Monarchs, Arthur Flyers, Moose Jaw Canucks and Saskatchewan Athletic Club defeated in first-round games.

Manitoba's Kingdon, Winnipeg Monarchs are the only civilian team to go through its schedule undefeated. They open a best-of-five south division first-round against Winnipeg Rangers here tonight.

In Saskatchewan, Moose Jaw Canucks, who breezed through the Southern Saskatchewan schedule with undefeated position, will meet either Regina Commandos or Moose Jaw Canucks in the Southern Saskatchewan final beginning Monday. Commandos — Rounds are deadlocked at one-all after first-of-five series 2-2.

Edmonton Canadians, leaders of the Edmonton League, were moved to Vancouver for a four-game exhibition series. Tonight, tackle either Edmonton Athletic Club or Edmonton Canadians in the Alberta finals.

Flyers Out in Front

The Thunder Bay League hasn't started the play-offs but Port Arthur Flyers, defending champions, are out in front with a lead of 2 1/2 games over Fort William Marys.

Elsewhere on the junior front play-offs are underway in the Manitoba north Athletic circuit. Canadian Legion Athletic Club defeated St. Boniface Athletics in the first game of their best-of-three Manitoba north semi-final series.

Winners of this series will meet Winnipeg Rangers and the league champion will run up against either Monarchs or Rangers in the Manitoba final.

Edmonton Navy, whose players are not permitted to play for Memorial Cup play-offs, trimmed Saskatoon Canadians 6-5 in the opener of the northern Saskatchewan semi-final series. Navy's Albert Black Hawks downed Saskatoon Varsity Blues.

No senior leagues, leading to Allan Cup play-offs, operated in western Canada this season.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 16 — (AP)—The versatile Lindsay Hopkinson, football and scholastic fame, is considering a decision to go to Hollywood as a movie actor . . . Jimmy Demaret, skinny sage, "that I could get off my feet parlay" . . . Little Johnny Blood has landed a job with an oil company, which prompts Bill Terry back in Stanford to complete three months work . . . Bill received a degree instead of giving him a football scholarship . . . as a result Johnny won't be seen in the backfield for Stanford . . . The Cubs have only the Dodgers to worry about for six movements this year, since Jimmy Foxx, the veteran 15-year-old sophomore outfielder . . . Yankton, Minn., high school.

Week's Worst Second Guess:

With two minutes to go in the Canisius-Long Island game the other night, coach Art Powell ordered Center Bruce Doyle for Lenny Kamp . . . a fan shouted "Hi Kamp . . . Hi Doyle" . . . Doyle then proceeded to sink a foul shot and a basket, tying the score twice, and the game went into overtime.

Sheris and Shells:

Geneva College's basketballers are known as the "galloping termites" because of their small size and because coach Harold Bruce also is a biologist . . . In the 14 seasons of eastern hockey league play Clarence Schmalz has four scoreless ties. Two were played this season . . . Feb. 1937 . . . a eight-year-old Hastings, Neb., boy, Ronald Purvey, recently did fit stuff-ed animal "superior railing" stand and is 114.

LEAGUE LEADERS

Standing: Montreal, won 31, lost 6, drew 3, points 65.

Scoring: Maurice Richard, Montreal, 43 goals, 21 assists, points 64.

Assists: Elmer Lach, Montreal, 44.

Penalties: Pat Egan, Boston, 60 minutes.

Shutouts: Frank McCool, Toronto, 6.

STRENGTHEN HOLD

Lachine, Que., Feb. 15 — (CP) — Lachine Rapids last night defeated Beaconsfield Braves 3-2 and strengthened their hold on second place in the Interprovincial Hockey League. Rapids, collecting three points in last night's game, are 3 1/2 points ahead of Cornwall Cookies.

Skipper Bean, Jacques Terriault and Jean Armand scored for Lachine, with Freddie McIntosh and Harry Plamondon getting the Valleyfield markers.

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CASUAL COMMENT

By K.J.C.

Memory!

No matter how busy or idle we are, we usually can find the time to do the things we want to do.

Take the Leafs' last game played during the second hymn, but selected the best-of-three series of a football game.

Memory harks to deserving relatives or nearest kin sometime each month for days and often weeks before they discovered sweetheart gets a special delivery letter from Jack Benny.

Memory of the "smoker" his lodge is staging.

Yes we "smiley" the address of our best friends but never of a reliant who might possibly be gerher in her will.

Human nature is pretty much the same—we forget what we want to forget and remember what we want to remember.

This and That.

The passing of time has obscured the fact that Ed Bickle, former president of the New York Yankees and Chicago Cubs and also of the Pacific Coast Baseball Club of Hollywood, Cal., and Vancouver, B.C., has issued the order that Babe Ruth's first name is not Georgetum fame....As manager of the Boston Braves in 1938, Bartlett shifted Babe from the mound to the outfield and that was the last appearance of his big bat.....Jeff Heath of Cleveland Indians reports that a knee operation he underwent recently early in the winter has been a success and that he will be back he had nerve for American League pitchers.....Hemsley Cullum is one of the best sluggers left in baseball when he isn't peeved about something.....Arch Ward of the Chicago Tribune submits this is one of the most embarrassing moments in Charley Grimm's long baseball career. Grimm was managing the Braves in Boston and asked Babe Ruth if he would be a party to a tinuous barrage on Grimm who was covering first base. In relation Grimm strode over to the rail waved his finger under the customer's nose and said: "Listen, right, just for that I won't buy any more of your beer." Ruth was quick to establish his heckler as a hokery by pitching apples to some of the fans around him.....After the game discovered that the man was one of the directors of the Boston club.

Around the Town.

Hockey fans are beginning to ponder just how long this Boston-Flyer series can really last, under prevailing conditions of the games .....Actually there's no rule for the matches, Ft. Jim McCaa announced yesterday but from now on all games must be played to a finish with a winner declared.....Well have a winner if the boys have to play all night remarked James, who is president of the service league, as well as coach of the Kinsmen squad.....During Wednesday night's game the referees were two-and-a-half overtime and the winner had they not reverted to defensive tactics after reaching their first two goals.....The day of "skip-bat-the-puck" hockey or any other defence efforts is long gone, that style of hockey went out with the two-men-at-the-blue-line passing to the centre ice red line.....Hockey is getting back to the basketball in this respect that possession of the puck is the surest method of

SNAP MAKES BLACK hands WHITE

Breadon Thinks Baseball Deserves Praise for Effort

450 Players Have Gone Into Armed Services From Various Leagues

St. Louis, Feb. 16 (AP)—President Sam Breadon of the world champion St. Louis Cardinals thinks baseball deserves considerable credit for its contribution to the war effort.

Breadon said more than 450 men from the Cardinal organization have gone into the armed forces, some of them becoming casualties. He declared baseball "proved the value of no club official or ball player who has asked any favors from his draft board or exemption board.

"I think when thought is given to what baseball has done, instead of criticism we merit praise."

Speaking for the Cardinals, he said:

"We are one of the few businesses that has made no money, through the war, but we have co-operated with every request made by any government agency.

"The Cardinals have played three games in St. Louis and three games on the road each year for the past three years, total number of which went to Army and navy relief. These games netted over $90,000 for each game in St. Louis."

Breadon added that the total deducted from the Cardinals' share of the week's series receipts and donated to war relief and service funds amounted to more than $225,000 for the last three years.

"We played at least five games a year at a series each season giving the opportunity to play exhibition games. These would have netted a minimum of $2,000 per game," he said.

"Other major league clubs have done as well, or possibly better, with the exception of the world series donation. I am not saying baseball has done three all-star games, the total of which went to war relief, nor any money donated by the commissioner's office, league and other clubs in the world series. I only mention the Cardinals' share."

MADE OVER FOR NAZIS

Belfast — (CP) — Plans are being made for detention in camps of thousands of German prisoners-of-war in Northern Ireland'camps formerly used by British and American troops.

WHY HAVE SORE FEET?
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"T" ALLEYS

Evening League

Alley Cats 1 point: D. Scott 308; M. Tummon 350; C. Davidge 309; D. Hammett 460; J. Doe 300—1899.

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LESSON NO. 66
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

Three bids and four bids and five bids seem inevitable when you place them side by side, yet can tie them in your mind. Here they are.

An immediate game bid in a suit is intended to shut out all the bidding; opponents' and partner's. So, an opening of four in a major means the same as an opening of five in a minor.

An immediate bid of one less than game in a suit shows a long suit or strength and an outside sure trick. So, an opening of three in a major means the same as an opening of four in a minor.

This leaves only an opening of three in a minor by some slip not in the above categories. Therefore, it is used as a convention signal to show a solid seven card suit and nothing else.

Opening of three in a minor and four in a major are the only bids that have some glaring faults in common. They lack something to a one opening; have no defensive strength; do not appear to make their bids; need much help to make a game; have no hope of making a slam.

Openings of three in a major and four in a minor have several glaring virtues in common. They have better than a one bid; some defensive strength; a trump suit that needs no support; make a game with the teamest bit of help from partner; can make a slam if partner has two sure tricks.

Take this to be your lawfully dealt hand:

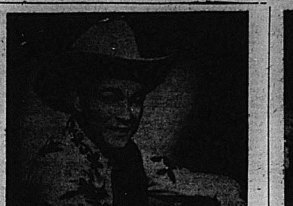
♠A 7 3 2
♥K 6 2
♦9 4 3 2
♣6 4

Suppose your partner starts with an opening of three spades or three hearts or four diamonds or four clubs. With two sure tricks tell him to probe for a slam.

But suppose he starts with three or five in clubs or diamonds, or four in hearts or spades. Your hand takes on a different outlook. You must pass and hope he makes it. Speak what you are spoken of.



AT THE McCARTHY — Ellen Drew and Richard Arlen, starring in Republic's grand Jamboree of music and laughter, "That's My Baby!", opening next at the McCarthy Theatre, with Warner Baxter in "Shadows in the Night."



AT THE CAPITOL — Roy Rogers, singing star of the sensational musical western, "Hands Across the Border," now showing at the Capitol. On the same program a musical comedy, "And the Angels Sing," with Dorothy Lamour and Fred MacMurray.



AT THE BELLE — James Craig, as the Calif of Bagdad, and Jo Ann Page, as Marinah, are the young lovers in M-G-M's "Kismet," the new M.G.M. film coming this weekend to the Belle. Ronald Colman plays the beggar magician, Hafiz, and Marlene Dietrich appears as Jamilla, Queen of the Dancing Girls.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)
Thursday Bay Junior

Port Arthur Navy 8; Fort William Columbus 5.

O.H.A. Intermediate A
Centralia, Flyers 7; Stratford 8
(Stratford wins best 12; Kitchener 3 (First game of semi-finals).

O.M.H.A. Juvenile

Ingersoll 4; Woodstock 0
Goderich 20; Clinton 5
(Goderich wins group title).

Exhibition Junior
New Westminster 4; Edmonton Canadians 2.

Allan Cup Services Senior
Red Deer Army Wheelers 15; Wetaskiwin Colonels 12.

O.H.A.	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Montreal	31	5	3	65
Detroit	24	12	3	51
Toronto	19	17	2	40
Boston	19	20	2	40
New York	8	22	5	21
Chicago	6	26	5	17

Goals: Montreal 7, Chicago 2.

Tonight: No games.

Eastern Division

Buffalo	33	18	7	53
Hershey	19	30	5	43
Providence	18	23	5	41

Wednesday Results
Cleveland 36 11 9 80
Indianapolis 20 16 11 51
Pittsburgh 20 20 6 46
St. Louis 10 27 5 26

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Tonight: No games.

BIG SEVEN

(By The Canadian Press)
Ab Demaray scored two assists last night as New York Rangers defeated Chicago Black Hawks 6-3 and jumped to sixth place among the leading National League scorers. Demaray broke away from a deadlock with Maul Brunsteau of Detroit Red Wings who was idle.

The Leaders:	G.	A.	Pts.
Richard, Montreal	43	31	74
Lach, Montreal	19	44	63
Blake, Montreal	25	31	56
Cowley, Boston	22	32	54
Howe, Detroit	14	31	45
Demaray, New York	16	28	44
Kennedy, Toronto	23	18	41

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Workshop Outfit Red Hot Leaders In Army Hockey

Hamill, Drouin and Catlin Stars on Team Off to Big Start in Championship Competition Overseas

By ALLAN NICKLESON
(CP Staff Writer)

Somewhere in England, Feb. 16—(CP)—The team to watch in this red-hot overseas Army hockey championship of the Canadian Army in England would give any small League outfit back home a tough struggle.

It's a Base Workshop outfit, so don't understand any such former professionals as Red Horner, Opl. Polly Drouin and CPAC Joe Catlin as well as a host of fine amateurs.

Playing an exhibition match against an air force team that had Johnny Mowatt, formerly of Detroit Red Wings, in goal, the workshoppers won 3-0. Then they proceeded to massacre regular league opponents by such scores as 13-0, 16-2 and 8-0.

The schedule, of course, has many weeks to run and many of the weaker teams may be bolstered by players among reinforcements arriving in this country. The league isn't as strong as last season because Cpl. Dey took many players to the continent.

Workshop, coached by Maj. Dave Campbell, veteran of two years who once coached Montreal Victorias, included such players as Elmer Kreller, fisted for New York Rangers; Opl. Mel White of Montreal Viq and Kenny Campbell, fully recovered from wounds suffered at Caen and mentioned in dispatches for gallantry in that action.

Others are Goalies Rocky Munro of Edmonton and Biddie Wico of Toronto; Defencemen Nick Nichols of Portsmouth, Ont.; Jack Wilson, Madeline Hal, Alta., and Bill Moran, Ottawa; Forwards Roy Ward, Edmonton, Alta.; Reg Dodds, Timmins, Ont.; Fredie Glastbrecht, Pembroke, Ont., and Leo Hamilton, Ottawa, Lieut. Lawrence Milligan of Toronto is team manager.

A Tight Struggle:

Toughest match for the Workshop so far came when it just managed to beat a Canadian Infantry outfit 3-2 after trailing 2-1 in the last period.

Them, players from both teams as well as others were picked to make up an All-Star club that walloped a British team 5-2. Turk Broda, Toronto Maple Leaf property, guarded the nets for the All-Stars, and Hamill of Chicago Black Hawks and Bud Poile of the Leafs formed the first-line defence, Canadiens' Drouin, Catlin of New Haven Eagles and Fred Valenti of North Bay (Ont.) Trappers were the forward line.

Mainstay of the infantry outfit that gave Workshop its biggest scare is Husky Eddie Brown, red-haired defenceman who last played with Dome Porcupine juniors in Timmins, Ont. He is a good bet as a big-time professional.

Eddie, who joined up in 1940, served on the continent for a while after D-Day but returned to England because of stomach trouble. His army career added 60 pounds to his weight and, at 205 pounds, he's a fast breaker with a wide, sweeping style of puck carrying.

Another of the stronger teams is led by Lieut. Les Chisholm, former Toronto Leaf player from Oshawa, Ont., who has seen service in France and Belgium. He plays defence on a team managed by Cpl. J. B. Allan of Saint John, N.B.

London (CP)—There are now seven father-daughter combinations on bus routes in London. Six each case father drives and daughter takes tickets.

West Worthing, Sussex, England (CP)—The whole town was shaken when an aircraft heading for the continent crashed about 30 yards from a group of houses and its bombs exploded. The pilot is thought to have remained at the controls to clear the town after the remainder of the crew parachuted.

Statement Made by John Bracken 'Diabolical Untruth'--McNaughton

By JACK BRAYLEY
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

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HILLMAN CALLS FOR NEW LABOR GROUP



Sidney Hillman (left), U. S. Labor leader, is shown following his address in London, Eng., as delegate to the World Trade Union conference. He chats with Sir Walter Citrine, one of three presidents of the conference. Mr. Hillman called for a formation of a new international labor organization, thereby bringing the World Trade Union conference face to face with its most controversial issue.

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Howard Wood Defeats Watson In Consols Finals

Winnipeg, Feb 16 (CP)—Howard Wood's Winnipeg Granite rink won its fourth Manitoba curling championship last night by defeating Ken Watson's Strathcona 13-6 in the British Consols finals.

Wood, skip of the Dominion championship quartet in 1930 and 34, clinched the classic of the 37th annual bonspiel by scoring four rocks on the 11th end.

Watson, skip of Dominion championship rinks in 1936 and '42, was the first grand aggregate of the year with 16 victories. His Strathcona sufferd two loses in eight days play.

Wood's son, Lionel, is the lead of the Granite rink, with Bert Hansford, second and Al Dervett, third.

Stirling Wins Over Trenton By 8-4 Score

The Stirling "Combines" evened their semi-final play-off series in the "Little Six" junior O.H.A. group finals by beating Trenton 8 to 4 at home Thursday night. The "Combines" win forces a third and deciding game to be played at Trenton on Saturday night.

Group officials today announced that the group finals would commence next Tuesday night with Belleville playing at either Trenton or Stirling, depending on the outcome of Saturday night's game. The winner of this match becomes entitled to the Group 2 championship. The second game of the series will be played at the Hume Arena next Friday night.

LAST NIGHT'S STARS

(By The Canadian Press)

Fred Hunt and Bob Dill of New York, both scoring twice as Rangers defeated Chicago Black Hawks 6-2.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Philadelphia — Santa Bucco, 127, Philadelphia, outpointed George Le Rover, 135½, Philadelphia (6); Johnny Finney, 139½, Philadelphia, knocked out Chuy Jones, 141, Philadelphia (4).

Norfolk, Va. — Lou Schwartz, 162½, Brooklyn, outpointed Danny McMillan, 161, Mobile, Ala. (8).

ELLSWORTH VINES CALLED

Denver Feb. 16 —(AP)— Ellsworth Vines, the former tennis king and now a golf pro at the Denver Country Club has been ordered by his draft board to report for a physical examination. Vines said he will report Saturday.

He is married and the father of one child.

Little Benny's Note Book

Pop was smoking to himself and ma said, Really, William, I mean really, in these days of unequal supply and demand it's really refreshing to meet a salesman who is all smiles and politeness and the spirit of service.

I haven't met him, I thought that chap must of died, pop said, and ma said, It was in Hoddenders shoe department of all places, where the salesmen are always being rushed out of their wits ends in a way to exhawst the patience of a proverbial saint. Yet even though there didn't seem to be a pair of shoes in the whole department of the proper color to fit me or of the proper size in the right color, this young man didn't show the slightest sign of impatience. Really, William, it made me wish I was a dispenser of meddles, so I could pin one on him, ma said.

Maybe he'd been doped, pop said, and ma said, Two or 3 other women were claiming his attention with angry glances, but he remained perfectly unfazed as he devoted himself to my exclusive intrists, pulling box after box off the shelves until the floor around him was a perfect little island of loose shoes. Yet through it all he never once lost his obliging smile. He was like a combination of Sir Walter Rawley and Clarey Cooper, ma said.

Are those the shoes? The ones you're wearing? pop said, and ma said, Goodness no, I've had these practically forever, for land sakes. The fact, is, just at the height of everything I suddenly remembered that I had exchanged my last shoe stamp with Maud Howe for some gas stamps in a spirit of mutual sacrifice. So I was unable to buy shoes after all, she said.

Yes gosh, do you mean you had the heart to walk out of there and leave that young man flat on his back on top of all those shoes? pop said, and ma said, What are you talking about?

Do you mean to say he didn't kneel over in a dead faint? pop said, and ma said, Stop talking rubbish, William. Which he did, in back of the sporting page.

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By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 18

George, Vera's husband, came back then from Reno on his real trouble. The men for whom he worked on the race-tracks had used him as a front for certain race-track transactions. The police were interested in his present movements.

"We're going to Mexico", he told Vera.

"Wish!" she asked bravely.

"Within a week".

"Please, don't go", Livia begged. And unexpectedly she was the one feel so alone without you".

"But you'll have your husband", Vera reminded her gently.

"Yes, of course. I'll have Charles".

Livia's glow of excitement had subsided when Charles called at her apartment. He had a carnation in his lapel and looked young and jaunty.

"It's fun getting married," he laughed. "Let's get married once a year — but to each other. And now, Cinderella, step into the pumpkin—we're going places."

Charles was one of those men who actually enjoy shopping. He directed his chauffeur to a jewelry shop on Wilshire Boulevard.

"You must have an engagement ring," he said solemnly. "All my wives have had an engagement ring."

Livia smiled, but the "all my wives" was faintly jarring. She wondered whether all his wives had been the same shop, judging by the familiar greeting of the jewelry, they had.

"May I suggest this square-cut diamond?" the jeweler produced a magnificent gleaming stone balanced on a thin band of platinum.

"It's much too big," protested Livia, but she tried it on her finger. "Just to see what it looks like."

"Well?" Charles said finally. "It's wonderful," breathed Livia. "How much is it?"

The jeweler hesitated. "For you, Mr. Fordyce — I make a special price—for you, it is seven thousand dollars; but believe me, it cost me that. I make no profit on the ring at all." Charles grinned.

"Just for me you'll sell it for $6,000, eh?" They compromised at $5,500, Livia interrupted:

"But it's too big for me. I'd like a smaller ring, please." Nevertheless she was pleased that they ignored it. It was fun to be rich, even though it was a drama. But she had long ago given up wearing the ring. She insisted on a thin, plain gold band. She left the shop wearing the engagement ring, and her hand seemed heavy and conspicuous.

It was time for lunch, and they went to Perino's at the top of the Saks Building in Beverly Hills. Jack Tennant, the publicity man, was there lunching with a couple of cafe columnists. He waved to them as they came in and whispered to the reporter.

"Livia Charleson and Charles Fordyce—I brought them together.

"What's that on his third finger, left hand?" said the reporter.

"Maybe there's a story," Tennant brought them over to the table.

"How are you, Mr. Fordyce?" He genuflected before the director and Livia, and introduced the reporter.

"Can you keep a secret?" Charles asked Tennant, squinning.

"Yes, but I don't think my friend here can—he has seven hundred papers," warned the press agent.

"Shall we tell them, Livia?" Charles asked her.

"They seem to know." She flushed. No secret in Hollywood could be kept long.

"When and where?" the reporter demanded.

"But it's an elopement," Livia said, "If we tell them when and where, it isn't an elopement."

"It's still an elopement in HOLLYWOOD," Charles told her. So the reporter they were leaving on the Burbank field at ten that evening.

"Where are you going for the honeymoon?" he wanted to know.

"Where shall we go?" Charles asked Livia. Livia was getting thoroughly embarrassed. This was not a honeymoon, it was a business deal, with the newspaperman and press agent sitting in.

"I don't know," she said.

"We could go to New York. There are still some good shows there," it was the end of March.

"No, I want to come back to Hollywood." The reporter was busy his notebook.

"What's this about cutting you out of 'June Madness'?" he asked. "And by the way, how about your career, are you going on with it?"

Charles answered for her:

"Yes. And now for Pete's sake, good-bye."

"Okay, Mr. Fordyce." The man left them.

"It'll be in the late-afternoon editions", Charles said to Livia when her face fell. Her face was serious. "You don't mind, do you?"

"No, except—"

"Honey, this is Hollywood. It's better to have the press on your side. Especially when—"

Livia wanted to go home after lunch.

"I feel nervous, and I want to think".

"Thinking is bad for pretty girls", Charles said. "And if you think I'm letting you out of my sight until we're married, you're wrong". Then she wanted to have to talk to Bruce with Charles at her side. A telephone was brought to their table.

She was quite relieved when the Chinese boy said over the wire:

"Miss Nolan, he not in. He not in long time. He no sleep here. No, me not worried. Miss Nolan makes plenty good care of himself". She wondered where he was. Probably with that Saskia woman. She would read about her marriage in the paper.

Charles did not ask her why she was calling Bruce. But she told him.

"I felt I ought to tell him. But this is my last time. From now on it's just you and me".

Then she went to have warned, smiling, but his voice indicated he was serious. "And now we'll go some more shopping".

He insisted on buying her a little, sable jacket. Livia gasped at the price—$2,000. And a dress and a hat. He expanded her through the lingerie department, and she was embarrassed when he picked out six filmy, lace-trimmed nightgowns.

They went to a store which sold expensive bags and trunks, and left with a luxurious wardrobe case full of silver-capped bottles.

Then Livia called for a shopping truce.

"I have everything I can possibly need. Please, take me home."

Only then did Charles take Livia back to her apartment, but he stayed with her while she packed her belongings. She left most of them with the landlady.

"Until I return".

Then she dressed herself in the new dress, and sable jacket and put into the new suitcase and dressing case all the new clothes. They drove to Charles' house for a while that Livia could not eat. The story of the impending elopement was on the front pages of the afternoon papers.

The chauffeur drove them to the airport. There a chartered plane awaited them, its motors turning of and warming. A small group of cameramen and reporters asked questions and took photographs. They were getting into the plane, when they heard a sound of scuffling and angry voices at the gate. It was Bruce, trying to get through. He was very drunk.

"Let's go", Fordyce said quickly.

"Please", Livia begged him, "That is Bruce Nolan".

But Charles was impatient to be off. "We're ready", he told the pilot, who still hesitated.

Livia felt sorry for Bruce, but he broke away from them and waved toward the plane.

"I must talk to him", Livia said helplessly to Fordyce. He scanned her face.

"Okay, wait a minute", he told the pilot.

Charles leaned against the bright, aluminum cabin plane, and watched Livia walk to Bruce. He swore softly when Livia stumbled, and frowned when Bruce smiled apologetically at Livia.

"I tried to get you on the 'phone," Charles heard Livia say, "I wanted to tell you about this". She waved vaguely at the waiting planes.

"Sure you did", said Bruce breathing heavily.

"Don't make a fuss, please", Livia begged. He laughed loudly.

"You still don't understand, do you. Why should I make a fuss? I came to tell you joy and happiness, Co—" and now his attitude changed. He became less sure of a gun over there any objections.

He looked unsteadily and made a tentative move toward Charles; and then he turned back to Livia and stammered:

"So you're going to get married, eh? Well, well, Little Livia, the girl I raised from an orphan. He took down and spread his hand an arm from the hard ground". "Livia's getting married. That's a good joke on someone". Now he was angry, and Livia shrank from him. He left her suddenly and went to Charles. She followed apprehensively.

"Bruce!" she pleaded. But he stumbled on without heeding her.

"Hello, Nolan", Charles said.

"Just wanted to congratulate you, Bruce Nolan said chisky. "Take good care of Livia. She's a sweet kid".

"I will", Charles said solemnly. "Well, then, that's all I came to say", Bruce was equally solemn. "Good-bye and good luck".

He walked away unsteadily pushing through the curious throng. "Come on, Livia—it's getting late". Charles' voice cut through her distress. Her eyes were luminous with tears. She turned to him and without a word entered the plane.

They landed at Las Vegas at 1230 a.m. Despite the sable jacket, Livia shivered in the cold night air. It would soon be over and she would be Mrs. Charles Fordyce, number 5. As she said the name and the number to herself she knew it must not be.

There was a car waiting to drive them to the Justice of the Peace. Charles knew him. He had officiated at his last two weddings. He told this to Livia with an apologetic grin—and stopped suddenly at the distaste on her face.

"Charles—" Livia began after the short pause.

He knew what she wanted to say, but he was damned if he'd make it easy for her.

"Charles, are you sure you want to marry me?" she said timidly.

"Of course", he replied. She cleared her throat, and he waited coldly and cruelly. Damn her, he thought. Stop was going to marry him or regardless of her girlish scruples. Women did not leave Charles Fordyce standing at the church. It was her idea to be married. It had been her suggestion that formality.

They came back to Los Angeles; she told him, trying to keep her voice steady.

"Of course—after we're married", he said.

"I mean now".

They were driving swiftly toward a house on the outskirts of the town. He stopped the car.

"You mean later".

"I mean now", Livia sat up rigidly, "now", said Charles. She suddenly crumpled.

"I'm sorry. This is awful, I know, but I can't marry you. I'm sorry—please take me back to Los Angeles". She was hysterical. Charles shook his head.

"If you would act for the screen as well as you're doing now, I really could make a star of you", he said crustily.

"Okay, we'll get married", she said dully. "Why don't you?"

"You make it sound like a prison—for life", Charles laughed.

He turned the car and headed back for the airport. He laughed suddenly.

"Remember that first time when you pretended to faint? I certainly didn't think we'd finish this way. It's a new experience".

"I'm sorry", said Livia lamely.

"Think nothing of it", he said lightly. But at this moment he hated her.

They were at the airport now. Charles cut short the pilot's congratulations.

"Miss Clarkson changed her mind", he said briefly.

At the Los Angeles airport were some morning papers which referred to Livia as Mrs. Fordyce and printed pictures of their departure for Las Vegas. A columnist had a story that Charles and Livia were to be a new film team.

Now she had no claim on Fordyce and he could marry Ann Todd and on her own. Hollywood seemed more friendly and closed than any time before. Charles seemed to read her thoughts. He said:

"This does not necessarily interfere with out business agreement. You could still be under personal contract to me".

"Oh, impossible now".

"We'll talk of that later", he said with more kindness. They were both tired. "Where shall I drive you?"

"I'll go to my sister's", she said miserably.

Livia had wondered why she had not married Fordyce. And she was glad when they had reached sister's, asked no questions and made up a bed for her on the living-room sofa. She slept until noon.

Several people were annoyed that Livia had not married Fordyce. There was Countess Saskia, who believed that Bruce would finally establish to her charms when Livia married. And there was Theresa Davidson, who was waiting until the marriage was announced to make a bigger touch "on behalf of your father".

But two people were glad. Alice Delavern—although she now hated Fordyce only a little more than Livia. And Bruce, emerging from a fog of drunkenness, was so glad that he emptied in the kitchen sink the Scotch he was about to pour down his throat. Then he telephoned Countess Saskia.

"You need not release my picture to Fordyce as a producer.

"That's interesting", she cooed. "And what do you intend doing for money?"

"It's none of your business. But I'll tell you anyway—I'm going back to stunting which I find less dangerous than working for a woman of your type".

She was frightened. "Bruce I was joking about not releasing our picture. Of course, it's to be released. I've made all arrangements".

"Then send my share to a home for cats," he said and put the receiver down. He phoned Livia. The cold shower for ten minutes, then shave, bath — she was not at her apartment. He telephoned - Vera, and Livia answered.

"I'm seeing Charles for dinner", she said when he asked to see her.

"Then our marriage is only postponed?"

"Oh, no", she answered vehemently. "This has all been a joke. I'll see you".

"How about later?" Livia asked.

"All right—later then".

To see Bruce and perhaps get back to their old friendly status made her happy again.

Vera told her husband George, a race-track follower, whose record was being investigated by the police, were to leave the United States at the end of the week.

"What about the baby?" Livia asked Vera. "Let me keep her". Vera thought she was joking.

"How about your movie career?"

"My career doesn't seem very important now".

"Well, maybe, until we get settled", Vera promised.

Livia and Charles dined at Charen's, Magnificent Pictures Corporation had offered him the biggest film of the year "Honoria Lewis" had sold a million copies, and the sales were still mounting. Magnificent Pictures had paid $200,000 for the rights to film the story.

"I'll do it", Charles told the company executives, "on one condition".

"Yes?" said Chairman Ronald Dunn.

"That I choose my own cast". The chairman released Schneider.

"Oh, is that all?" He puffed on his long cigar. "Who d'ye want?"

Fordyn named the most popular male star in films. The executive nodded approvingly.

"And for the woman lead?" Charles paused, and they waited expectantly.

"Livia Clarkson". "It was as though he had dropped a bomb.

"We were thinking of Alice Delaware", said Dunne, looking very uncomfortable silence. "in fact, I more or less promised Schneider we would give her the lead. He's investing in the picture. Or didn't you know?" Charles picked up his hat and cane.

"Gentlemen—good day", he said. He knew the men he had to deal with. And he had for once, the director of "Honoria Lewis" was more important to success than any or all of the other combinations. This was a world crying aloud for his sensitive type of direction.

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—6.15 p.m.
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—6.45 p.m.
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—6.50 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WOR-B—Ed Fitzgerald Show.
—7.15 p.m.
CFRB—Musical Review.
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—7.30 p.m.
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—8.60 p.m.
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—9 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—That Brewster Boy.
WGH-Blue—Jan Savitt Orchestra.
WBEN-NBC—Kate Smith Variety.
—10.00 p.m.
CKEY-NBC—Amos 'n' Andy.
CBL—National News.
CJBC—Boxing.
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WGH-Blue—Dinner Hour Is Over.
—10.15 p.m.
CBL—The People Next Door.
—10.30 p.m.
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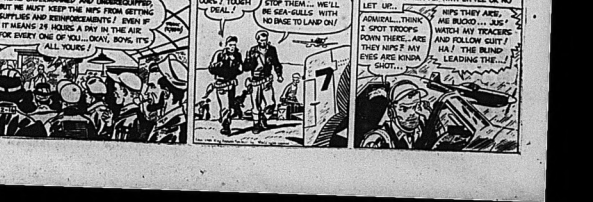
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AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said date the executor will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have notice.

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What is need in Canada is not a new political party or issue, but a reorganization of present institutions of church, school and home, and a rejuvenation of the old laws of honesty, toil and thrift.

Thus were the "musts" of a better Canada, and for the affording of opportunity for returned war veterans in the post-war period as presented by Mr. George S. Wyatt, M.P., for Hastings-Peterboro, as he spoke before members of the Belleville Life Underwriters' Association and their wives at their annual ladies' night held Thursday evening at the Quinte Hotel.

He referred to Hastings county boys overseas as forming one of the traditions of their ancestors, as boys who count not the sacrifice in their fight that freedom may survive. His boyhood days when they returned from overseas it may be difficult for them to appreciate the attitude of those who said they may be silent, cynical or bitter, but they will not be expected of charity. Rather they will seek an opportunity to readjust themselves to peacetime economy without being penalized for the time they were away. Demand is not for charity.

The responsibility of helping to rehabilitate these veterans back into civilian life rested with Canadians now at home, he said. Too many, however, would be content to leave others accept the responsibility. Peace would not be won by the installation of new telephones, by the expansion of domestic production, but only in making the right to be a citizen of Canada the greatest heritage that could be handed down.

Mr. White, who called for opportunity and responsibility to be given youth in peacetime as well as in time of war, said the opportunity and responsibility was the combined duty of the church, the school and the home, with the state to fill in the gaps where other services missed out.

Leadership Needed.

Many of today's youth had been born during a period of chaos; had "grown-up" during years of unemployment and other social problems and when existing services failed to supply the anchorage upon which Democracy depended. What is needed today is sound leadership and realistic action Only then will youth cease to be critical.

The speaker declared that chaos was invited by any state which neglected its youth and listed ten "musts" for a proper training of youth and to mould them in acceptance of responsibility. He said that every child born had the right to be well-born. Character training was necessary that the dignity of labor may be appreciated. Education was claimed to be the nation's wisest investment.

Youth must be taught to carry its own weight and a little more in the community, it must learn that there cannot be more wealth than that which is produced. The greatest task for Canada is to make youth conscious that it is welcome in society.

County Warden Guest.

President of the local Under-writers' Association, Mr. Arthur Burke, presided over the meeting and called upon Mr. George Reid to introduce the guest speaker. Association appreciation was expressed by Ben Ogilvie. Guests at the meeting included Mr. and Mrs. White and Warden J. P. Wilson and Mrs. Wilson of Hickory township.

Toast to the ladies was proposed by Mr. Ralph Morden who indicated that much of the success achieved during the year was rightfully be attributed to their wives. Response to the toast was made by Mrs. Gilbert Stackhouse.

TRENTON

Two Local Boys Prisoners of War

Trenton, Feb. 16 — Two local boys recently reported missing in action are now both reported to be prisoners-of-war.

Pte. John Davis, reported missing in Italy on December 16th, is now reported a prisoner-of-war according to official information received by his wife, the former Ellen Moon, who resides with their small son on Wrages St. here.

He was a member of the non-permanent army for several years previous to the outbreak of war and went overseas about a year ago. He was first attached to the 48th Highlanders but later transferred to the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment. Just a few months ago he received a shrapnel wound in his foot but soon recovered and returned to active service.

He has two brothers in the service, one in Belgium and one in Holland.

Pte. Russell Allen Smith, son of Mr. M. Smith, 366 Front Street, also reported missing in Italy, is now reported to be a prisoner-of-war.

He enlisted in April 1942 and spent several months at Petawawa and upon arrival in England was transferred to the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment. He served nearly a year in Italy before being reported missing.

The toast to the guests was proposed by Mr. Percy McGuire and the response by Warden Wilson.

Musical entertainment was afforded the fifty-odd persons present by the local collegiate quartette who were heard in two well-rendered numbers and by Miss Ethel Smith who delighted with several solos. Bill Navin acted as piano accompanist.

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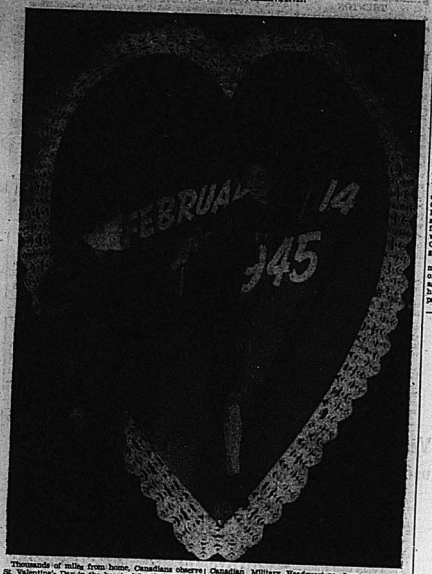
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Thousands of miles from home, Canadians observe St. Valentine's Day in the heart of London, England. Stepping right through this great, big heart is Pte. Doris Birse, of Vancouver, B.C., C.W.A.C., typist at Canadian Military Headquarters, London. Into the hand of Cpl. Doug Skene, of Toronto, a member of the Canadian Army Film and Photo Unit.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

Mess Room Chatter Of Canada's Airmen

With the R.C.A.F. Overseas, Feb. 16 (CP) — One of the most exclusive clubs in the R.A.F. is the newly-formed 'Pathfinders' Club, in which a handful of top-flight Canadian fliers will be eligible for membership.

The president and founder is Australian-born Air Vice-Marshal D. C. T. Bennett, 33 year old chief of Bomber Command's Pathfinder, who has been described as "the finest navigator in the world."

Canada's most famous pathfinder and eligible for membership is Group Capt. Johnny Fauquier. Names of other Canadians in the specialized business are kept secret for security reasons but they all work in No. 8 Pathfinder Force Group—and that's the test of eligibility.

Some of the club's aims are: to maintain the spirit of fellowship of the Pathfinder force; to encourage the spirit of aviation and a high standard of flying; and to help prisoners of war on their return.

The first R.C.A.F. squadron to reach the Burma war theatre now is delivering an average of 100 tons of supplies daily to the fighting troops.

In his first four days on operations, this transport outfit carried almost 900,000 pounds of freight, either dropping their cargoes within reach of the ground lines or landing them at forward airfields in territory recently recaptured from the Japanese.

The squadron is commanded by Wing Cmdr. T. P. Harnett of Moncton, N.B.

PO. F. J. Kaufman of Odessa, Sask., saw many rockets smash below the waterline into a medium-sized enemy merchantman when R.A.F. Coastal Command Mosquitoes attacked two ships in Flekker Fjord on the Norwegian coast.

Both vessels were left in clouds of flame and smoke.

"The big fellow was billowing out bags of smoke even in the short time we were attacking," said Kaufman, piloting one of the Mosquitoes. "It was really a good beat-up."

From December 23 to the year-end, the R.C.A.F.'s Nighthawk and Cougar night-fighter squadrons shot down ten enemy planes. The Cougars claimed six to boost their score between the invasion and new year-end to 47 and the Nighthawks got four to give them a total of 45 in the same period.

Two teams scored doubles in the year-end session: PO. Don MacKenzie of 1295 King St.) London, Ont., and his navigator, FO. Gen Bedard of Edmonton, knocked off two Junkers 88s. PO. Ralph Britten of Arichat, N.S., and Flt. Lt. Leo Fowler, Baddeck, N.S., got another pair four days later.

Other two-man teams who got kills included: Flt. Lt. W. G. Dziadzia, Brandon, Man., and FO. J. E Dunne, Winnipeg; Flt. Lt. C. K. Stringer, D.F.C., Ferndale, Mich., and FO. C. Yeaman, D.F.C., Kindia, Sask.; Sqdn. Ldr. T. E. Mac-Tavish, Seaforth, Ont., and FO. A. M. Grant, Burnaby, B.C.; Flt. Lt. W. H. MacPhail, Cromarty, Ont., and FO. J. E. Donaghue, St. Vital, Man.; FO. J. A. Watt (5620 Arlington) Vancouver, and Flt. Lt. E. H. Collis, R.A.F.; and Sqdn. Ldr. Frank Hutton of (581 Queen's) London, Ont., and Flt. Lt. Russ Ritter of (185 Benton) Kitchener, Ont.

Wandering Wives Wartime Problem

Agency Checks Up On Missing United States Spouses

New York, Feb. 16 (CP) — War, says a man who should know, has made women look before they leap — and linger.

It also has made some of them less likely to stay married if they're unhappy, adds Daniel M. Eisenberg, president of the Skip Tracers Company, a private agency that looks for missing persons.

"Before the war," Eisenberg says "we spent most of our time hunting A.W.O.L. husbands. Now a large part of our business is checking up on the background of men who have proposed marriage."

"Women seem more cynical and less willing to believe what they want to believe," is the explanation of A. E. Linker, the firm's general manager. "If they're not satisfied with a suitor's account of himself, they hire us to check up.

"Usually they act on the basis of our report, but there was one redheaded widow who just smiled when we told her the man in the case had impersonated an officer, assumed a professional title, served a prison term and concealed a former marriage.

"'Oh, is that all?' she said. 'I was afraid he might have been involved in something really bad.'"

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BANCROFT

J. Bremner, Founder Of Bancroft Times, Dies at Moose Jaw

Bancroft. —John Bremner passed away in Moose Jaw General Hospital January third, in his 81st year. Born February 22, 1864, near Orillia, township of Hewick, Huron Co. Later settled with his parents at Middleville, Lanark County then in Mayo township, Hastings Co., where he was first postmaster at Hartsmere and later at Cloyne post office near Havergal in Carlow township; also was Municipal Clerk of Carlow and Mayo. At Bancroft he managed the A. B. Ross store, then located on the site of the Lorne Reid Store.

The call of the West took him to Bolsevain, Manitoba, where he was partner with the late Dr. N. F. Colleu in a drug store.

With the passing of his wife, Elizabeth (nee Dick) he returned to Bancroft and founded the "Bancroft Times" which he edited until his health failed and had to farm to regain it, was for a number of years clerk of the township of Faraday.

Political urgency led to his founding the "North Hastings Reporter", which he ran for about three years.

Moving the "Reporter" plant to Minnidosa, Manitoba, he published the "Mercury" which he sold it, but failure of the buyer to succeed with it, he moved the plant to Rosthern, Saskatchewan, where for a number of years he published the "Prebyrow Herald", until he sold it.

Further newspaper ventures took him to Bridgeford, Saskatchewan, then to Stockglen, Saskatchewan where he published the "Stockglen Review" and the "Coronock Courier" and saw Stockglen grow from a few buildings to a thriving town, he serving also as municipal clerk and Justice of the Peace.

As an ordained elder of the Presbyterian Church, he assisted in Church life wherever he located; also was a member of the Masonic Order, Oddfellows, Orange and Knights of Pythias.

Surviving his first marriage is his son, J. O. S. Bremner, Toronto, a veteran of the last war, and of his second marriage, one son, Clifford R. Bremner with the R.C.A.F.; also five daughters in Stockglen, Saskatoon, Winnipeg and Detroit, Michigan and their mother, Jessie, (nee Siddons). Also one sister, Mrs. J. F. Dunlop, of Packenham, Ontario.

Takes Executive Post



Major Norton J. Anderson, of Ottawa and Winnipeg, senior Public Relations Officer, Directorate of Public Relations, (Army), National Defence Headquarters, Ottawa, who is being retired from the Canadian Army to take an executive appointment with the Wartime Information Board, Ottawa. A Winnipeg newspaperman, Major Anderson enlisted with the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders of Winnipeg, and went overseas in 1940.—(Canadian Army Photo).

Sgt. W. E. Morris Prisoner of War

Bancroft, (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. William Morris Sr., of Bancroft, received official word Tuesday from the International Red Cross Committee of Geneva, Switzerland, that their son, Sgt. William Edwin Morris, previously reported missing December 5th., 1944's is now a prisoner of war at Stalag No 7A, Germany.

Sgt. Morris is a member of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment and was in the Italian theatre of war enlisting in Bancroft in the Fall of 1939.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Anglican Church of Bancroft held a Pancake Supper in the Community Hall on Shrove Tuesday. The tables were very daintily decorated with Valentine trimmings for the occasion. There were about one hundred and fifty people in attendance for the supper.

Messrs. Balfour and Merle Vader have completed their ice-cutting operations on the pond at the north end of the village for this year.

The local Red Cross Board are busily engaged making their canvases in their drive for the new Red Cross hospital to be erected at Bancroft and are also sponsoring a Tombola in the very near future by a means of raising added funds for the project.

Leister Services commenced Wednesday in Bancroft in the various churches and will continue throughout the Lenten season.

Mrs. M. J. McGhee of the village is spending a few days this week in Kingston visiting with her daughter, Miss Hilda McGhee, who is nurse-in-training at the Kingston General Hospital.

"COAL TO NEWCASTLE"

Hereford, England — (CP) — Residents complained it was like "sending coal to Newcastle" when stocks of Canadian apples appeared in the centre of one of Britain's largest apple-growing districts. A Food Ministry official, however, replied that eating apples were scarce throughout the country.

LOST — FALSE TEETH

Pretoria — (CP) — Some 22,000 articles were left in trains in the Transvaal during the past year. Among them were 12 sets of artificial teeth, a trombone, a theatrical make-up box and a collecting box.

HELPFUL TECHNICIANS

Cape Town — (CP) — Technicians of the South African Air Force are building 30 "iron lungs" which will be donated by the South African Red Cross Society for civilian use. The S.A.A.F. has already made 12 of these lungs for army hospitals.

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TWO RUSSIAN ARMIES LINE UP BEFORE BERLIN

Shell-ripped Guben 50 Mi. From Berlin Under Artillery Fire

Soviet Planes Take Heavy Toll on Crowded Highways

By JAMES F. KING
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 17 (AP) — Russian troops closed on shellripped Guben fifty miles southeast of Berlin today and hammered at Gottbus in a second gateway fortress city on the Spree River, 47 miles from the German capital.

A Moscow dispatch said armored units of Marshal Ivan Konev's army perhaps had ranged to within 35 miles of Berlin.

The Germans rushed heavy armor and huge infantry reinforcements into the spreading, intense battle southeast of Berlin, and the Soviet planes took a heavy toll of crowded highways.

Guben, on the Neisse River, was under artillery barrage, and Soviet troops pressed forward in from three sides.

The Berlin radio said the Russians were within 13 miles of Cottbus, southeast of Guben, in the area of Forst on the Upper Neisse River Stormed

A Berlin dispatch from Konev's front declared a river — perhaps the Neisse—had been stormed in this area and that another stream beyond also had been forced.

The Russians were reported within eight or nine miles of Cottbus last battle fortress "line" before Berlin. The Spree rolls by Cottbus, an important rail center.

The German high command acknowledged the fall of Sagan, Silesian city 35 miles southeast of Guben, and said Konev's men had scored "penetrations" around and surrounded Breslau, Silesian capital.

The Germans also indicated the fall of Poznan—great holdout stronghold in Poland—was near, saying street fighting raged in the heart of the city.

The Germans said also that the northern wing of Marshal Ivan S. Konev's 1st. Ukraine Army and the southern flank of Marshal Gregory Zhukov's 1st. White Russian army had linked up at Crossen, 69 miles southeast of Berlin and 30 miles northeast of Cottbus, but this was not confirmed in Moscow.

Rash Troops Into Breach

The Germans rushed veteran and unseasoned home army recruits into the line in an effort to stop the Russian threat to turn Berlin's eastern defenses.

Soviet siege guns meanwhile shelled Breslau from all directions. The Russians were officially declared to be only four miles from the center of Breslau, a population city of 630,000 straddling the Oder River. They were reported to be just adjoining Biechofwalde, a forest on the southeast side of the city.

An enemy broadcast late last night said the "decisive battle" for Breslau was on. Konev's forces have been closing a steel arc on the lower Silesian capital for many days.

Exploit Results

The Russians fought to exploit the results of the closely co-ordinated aerial lambasting dealt Germany yesterday in the Flensburg raid, and in other assaults on railyards in Austria and in Italy. Seven other Allied planes were lost in the day's operations from Britain bases, which totalled 1,400 sorties in all.

and civilians fleeing from the Russian advance."

The Russians captured 50 localities yesterday in cleaning out a big enemy pocket between the Bober and Oder rivers, forcing the enemy into a to a marshy stretch between Crossen and captured Schlenburg.

An additional 200 localities were taken in completing the ring around Breslau.

Marshal K. K. Rokossovsky's 2nd and Marshal Gregory Zhukov's 1st White Russian armies closing in on Berlin from the northeast through the Pomeranian corridor between Poznan and the Vistula river on a 30-mile front.

Weather Forecast

Lake Superior and Kenora and Rainy River: Fair today and Sunday; decidedly cold tonight.

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COBLENZ, GERMAN SUPPLY BASE ON RHINE, TARGET

Jet-Propelled Plane Factory at Regensburg Hit by 1,700 Aircraft

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Canadian, British and infantry troops fought 1 1/2 miles from Calcar, seven miles southeast of Kleve and 17 miles from bomb-battered Wesel, southern gate to the industrial Ruhr.

Five Miles from Uedem

Gen. Eisenhower men were five miles or less from Uedem, third road gateway stronghold, 4 1/2 miles south of Coch.

More than 1,000 prisoners were taken in the drive which carried the line 24 hours, boosting the total in the Allied offensive of Dec. 16 to more than 20,000 dispatch said. Another described Allied air-assisted gains as probably the best since early in the Allied day old push.

British troops biting 4,000 yards deep and across the Goch-Calcar highway almost scored a clean sweep through, front reporters said, spearing deep into lines of the German 116th Panzer and 15th Panzer Grenadier divisions.

The front curled clear of the Siegfried Line's defence zone from Kleve to Goch, and cut just north of Hafenboden, three miles south and east of Goch.

Scottish troops on the western flank struck south along the Germans' last road to the north and east from a wood less than a mile northeast of the Maas river town of Afferden, 10 miles from Kleve and Gennep.

Enemy Germans — their strength is now consisting of elements of eight divisions — fought in small isolated counter-attacks throughout yesterday morning.

Mud hampered all the western front, mud halted most activities, but the Canadian First Army, striking behind a half-mile northeastward along the Eckhenerhaide road, winning heights dominating the Calcar-Cleve road.

The 84th Division of the American 3rd Army pushed to within a mile northeast into Schankewiller, six miles southwest of Geilenkirchen.

Southeast of Echternach, 3rd Army patrols entered Waszerbillig, at the junction of the Sure and Moselle rivers, but were forced to withdraw under heavy artillery shelling, and in the Sinz area southeast of Remich Germans counter-attacking with tanks re-took over several pillboxes.

Flood waters were reported ebbing along the lower Roer front of the United States 1st and 9th Armies and the British 2nd Army.

No changes were reported on the Italian front.

Allied planes flew 2,500 sorties against western frontline objectives and supply lines in the area and behind the Rhine Friday. In token of their effectiveness, 170 bombshaken Germans surrendered at Aldenborden after that town two miles from the Rhine was pummelled and as Allied troops fought into its outskirts.

Uedem and Wesel were reported hard hit by the RAF.

There were indications Gen. Crerar might soon be able to throw his full strength over the Rhine in battle at the northern hinge of the German line, for the ground was reported drying.

TO BE ELECTROCUTED

Washington, Feb. 17, (AP)—Earl McFarland, former Marine was sentenced yesterday to die in the electric chair June 26, for the rape slaying of 16-year-old Dorothy Berman, whose body was found in a park area last October.

CANADIANS NEAR GERMAN BASTIONS OF GOCH, CALCAR

Sudden Resurgent Push Over Mired Battlefields Set Nazis Back on Heels

By HOWARD COWAN
(AP Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 17 — (AP) — Allied troops of the 1st Canadian Army battled today to within 1 1/2 miles of the last of the mighty Hitler German bastions of Goch and Calcar southeast of Kleve in a sudden, resurgent push over mired battlefields.

Britons, Scots and Canadians under Gen. Crerar's command hung and forward yesterday behind a wall of artillery fire and armor from the Allied planes, and British troops smashed to within 3 1/2 miles cutting the main Goch-Calcar highway at two points.

Fighting closing on Goch and Calcar gained 2,500 yards. They entered Asperden and Hommersum, within 1 1/2 miles of Goch, and toppled Hohenmoor and Moll, five miles west of the stronghold and within 3 1/2 miles south of Kleve.

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ON DANGER MISSION



It has just been disclosed that Pte. Kurt Shorpet of Long Island City, N.Y., was a member of a group of Yank officers and enlisted men who spent 20 minutes in a tunnel 300 feet under the great Schwammenauel dam of the Roer river in an effort to find out whether the Germans intended to blow up the dam.

POP'S SECRETARY



Mrs. Anna Boettiger, President Roosevelt's daughter who has taken over the duties of the late Missy le Hand as the President's secretary. This picture was taken at the Livadia Palace in Yalta, Russian Crimea.

ONTARIO MAY LET ALL VOTERS USE ADVANCE POLL

Former C.C.F. Members Tell Why They Bolted Their Party

Toronto, Feb. 17 (CP)—Bills revising the Active Service Election Act, the Voters List Act and the Election Act will be presented to the Ontario Legislature this session following tabling of a select committee report yesterday by Attorney-General Leslie Blackwell.

In a short but active sitting, section of the current session, Nelson Allies and Carl Ranoch, former C.C.F. members who recently bolted the party, told the House their action stemmed from the C.C.F.'s refusal to collaborate with other parties.

Mr. Allies, now Independent Labor member for Essex North, said his course had been guided by popular opinion in his riding which favored co-operation among political parties in meeting social and economic problems.

Man on Street Wants Team Work.

"The man on the street is neither a socialist nor a capitalist, but he does want team-work. He is sick across party lines in the interests of public welfare," Mr. Allies said.

People generally were becoming afraid that politicians were proponents of political philosophies rather than of the people's welfare second." He was prepared to operate with any party, Mr. Allies said, on the basis of the aims we are gathered here to achieve.

Mr. Ranoch said the major cause of his defection from the C.C.F. was "the party's technical policy—regardless of circumstances it would not co-operate with any other party."

He accepted the principle of coalition in a three-party House, but the C.C.F. maintained there was no difference between the two "old parties" and would work with neither.

Appointment of a select committee to study the entire field of labor relations with a view to drafting a new labor relations act in Ontario was asked in a resolution by J. B. Salsberg, Labor Progressive member for Toronto St. Andrew.

Proposed Voting Regulations.

Proposed Election Act changes would broaden voting regulations for transients. All eligible voters would be privileged to use an advance poll without an affidavit, if warmer, and commercial travellers have been given their right to vote.

The committee favored revising of sections of the act dealing with corrupt practices and recommended repeal of the section dealing with financial contributions to candidates illegal contributions made for the purpose of obtaining appointments, property, contracts, licences and similar contributions.

The report said the present system of preparing voters' lists was antiquated" and proposed changes including the appointment in every polling division of two enumerators, representing opposite political parties.

UNKNOWN NUMBER PERISH IN FIRE IN APT. HOUSE

Blaze Apparently Started With an Explosion in Candy Factory

Toronto, Wash., Feb. 17 (AP) — One person was known dead, and an unknown number were feared trapped in a blazing downtown apartment house here today.

Thirteen persons were in hospital with burns and other injuries. At least one person was known to be missing.

An unidentified young woman died in hospital of burns.

Firemen rescued many of the occupants with ladders and life nets. Still others jumped from windows or made their way down fire escapes.

The building was the four-storey Maefair, whose 41 apartments were crowded with war workers' families, and wives and children of service men.

The fire was under control four hours after its start.

There were between 75 and 85 tenants in the building, the owner, Mrs. Marguerite Miller, estimated. Started by Explosion

The blaze apparently started with an explosion in a candy factory in the basement of the masonry covered frame building about 3 a.m. and was still burning three hours later.

An assistant chief said that when fire apparatus first arrived all windows on the street side were filled with screaming men, women and children.

Firemen said the Maefair was a masonry building with a large number of frame porches on its side light well. There were few outside winds.

Some of the occupants were carried to safety down ladders, and others were caught in life nets. Many, however, leaped before the nets were rigged, and some missed the nets, police said.

FIRE FINALLY STARTS

Windsor, Feb. 17 — (CP) — Here is what happened when workmen attempted to remove a wooden canopy over the entrance to the fire station here: The canopy fell breaking the front door of the engine. A short circuit was caused in the pump motor, causing the electric circuit ignited leaking gasoline and the fire department had to be summoned to extinguish the ensuing blaze.

DIDN'T WANT FARM

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17 — (AP) — Charles Ray, movie star, in public auction purely out of curiosity, bought the 160-acre farm of Mrs. Jennie County poor farm, for which his bid of $130 an acre was high.

LETTERS 'SALVAGED FROM AIR CRASH'

Kitchener, Feb. 17 — (CP)—Two charred letters from servicemen overseas labelled "salvaged from air crash", were received here recently. The letters, first of their type to arrive in this district, were almost unreadable.

HISTORIC BATAAN ENCIRCLED AFTER DARING LANDING

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While a stiff fight raged for Manila Bay's island bastion, which had "we have captured Bataan" and a broken force of Americans and Filipinos fought gallant but losing stands three years ago.

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Second Section "The American" Badly Wrecked

Lancaster, Feb. 17 — (AP) — A passenger train was hauled into a derailed mail and express train at Holtwood, Pennsylvania, early today, but no one was injured seriously, Pennsylvania Railroad and Public Relations Officers reported.

The Office said first reports indicated the Enterprise suffered minor injuries, bruises and cuts when the second section of the southbound St. Louis-New York train "The American" ran into eight derailed cars of the mail and express.

Officials said a heavy snow was falling at the time but that derailment had not been determined.

BULL EXPRESS PASSENGER

Pueblo, Colo., Feb. 17 — (AP) — A Denver and Rio Grande Western Limited train stopped at Glenwood Springs, for 30 extra minutes. The reason, a prize-winning bull from the McClure ranch was hauled into the baggage car as an express passenger to San Mateo, Calif. His fare was $137; his keeper's $57.

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Coming Events

HINSMEN FOLLIES at COLLEGIate Auditorium, March 1 and 2, 8 p.m., featuring Barbara Ann Scott and her troupe with Bill Navin—Tickets at 50c. Adults 75c; Students 25c. 20,22,24

A SUNDAY MORNING CLINIC for Blood Donors will be held on Sunday, February 18th, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. Plasma is more urgently needed than ever. Volunteer donors and those whose appointments are overdue will be welcomed at the Clinic, 24 Bridge Street East, during Sunday breakfast. We would suggest you get breakfast from Belleville this Sunday.

TONIGHT — DON'T FORGET — Kinsmen weekly Bingo, Consecrative Club Rooms, $15. $100 Jackpot. Admission 25c. Extra games, $5 prize. Weekly hockey pool draw. Proceeds Community Service Work. J30eS1f

HEAR — ALEC GORDON AND Louis Riggs, two piano team; Doris Burgoyne, singer; Gena Jimmie Banister, tenor; Gena Hicks, pianist; Cecilia Maloney, elocutionist; Ronald Elmy, boy soprano, at Holtwood Presbyterian Church, Tuesday evening, February 20th, at 8 p.m. Tickets 35c. F17

Relapses Fleeing City

The BBC said early Saturday in a broadcast recorded by CBS in New York that Soviet pilots making routine daily flights over Berlin reported the German capital looked like "one vast ruins of cars, trucks and civilians fleeing from the Russian advance."

City and District News

BELLEVILLE ANGLERS NAMED ON EXECUTIVE

Fred Croft and J. E. Shorts of the Belleville Anglers' Club were named to the executive of the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters when that organization met for their annual meeting in Toronto this week. Others named to the executive from this district included Major P. E. Ponton, Minister of Napanee and W. A. Peters of Kingston.

The association will seek the release of at least 100,000 pheasants b ythe Ontario Game and Fisheries Department. It was declared that the annual number of pheasants released was declining and that shooting was getting worse. Among other items of business the association passed resolutions asking that the sale of cotton fall rabbits be prohibited in the province and that netting of snares should be barred in Southern Ontario.

The meeting also asked that the government endorse and encourage the use of dogs by sportsmen while hunting ducks and game birds, claiming that many were lost as crippled or dead.

I.T. T. W. WILLIAMSON GRADUATES FROM O.T.C.

Former sergeant in the 34th Field Regiment Canadian Artillery, Lieutenant T. W. Williamson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Williamson, Bleecker Avenue, graduated this week from the Brockville Officers' Training Centre.

Lieut. Williamson joined the army three years ago, and has since commissioned a lieutenant or artillery after graduating from a special course at Brandon, Manitoba. He has been stationed in various parts of Canada and was an instructor at Camp Shiloh, Manitoba.

At Brockville during the past twelve weeks he took a special course in infantry training and has now transferred from the gunners to the Canadian Infantry Corps. He expects to go overseas shortly.

DELEGATES ATTEND LEGISLATURE OPENING

Interested visitors at the opening of the Ontario Legislature this week to which they received invitations were Mrs. Ernest Mason, Elmer Sandercock, Joe Shiell, Arthur Hinchey and Fred Croft. The quartette were guests of local members at parliament and viewed the proceedings from a prominent position. They were in Toronto attending the convention of the Ontario Game and Fisheries' Association.

CHAMBER TO RECEIVE REPORT ON ROADS

Arrangements have been completed with the Canada Motor League by the Belleville Chamber of Commerce to receive road reports regarding conditions on all provincial highways throughout the province, it was this week announced today.

The reports are accurate and authoritative and will be received from motorists, from men in the engineers and inspectors in every section of Ontario.

These daily information reports regarding road conditions can obtain by telephone or by getting in touch with Chamber of Commerce officials here. The information is also being broadcast daily by district radio stations.

STOKER RONALD BROWN ABOARD THE "DUNVER"

When the doughty frigate "Dunver" with battle signals flashing bore down on a German submarine recently there was at least one Belleville heart that beat faster with the thrill of action: Stoker 1st class Ronald Browne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown of 24 Belleville, is a member of the frigate's crew and took part in the affair which sent the undersea boat "Dunver" sinking to her doom. Assisting the "Dunver" was the corvette Kincardine, which was given equal credit for the "kill" with her sister ship.

The story of the action was released this week by Navy Minister Angus MacDonald.

KINSMEN TO OBSERVE 25TH ANNIVERSARY

It will be a gala night for Kinsmen clubs across Canada on Tuesday evening, when the 100 clubs in the Dominion will meet in their various centres to mark the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the service club. Programs at all places of meeting will be the same and with the slightly more elaborate than the customary meeting program. Toasts to the King, the Armed Services, to the Association of Kinsmen Clubs, and to the Founders of Kinsmen Clubs will be heard. Guest speaker of the meeting in Belleville will be Kin B. C. Slater, an honorary member of the local club, who is one of the few charter members of the group to form the Hamilton club, 25 years ago.

APPLICATION FORMS AT POST OFFICE

The postal department again this year has agreed to co-operate with the Oil Controller of Canada in effecting distribution of application forms for use by persons wishing to obtain gasoline supplies under rationing regulations.

The three different application forms, viz., category A-A, (blue print) special category (green print) and commercial motor vehicle (purple) are now available at the local post office the same as in previous years and may be received by persons wishing them. They will not be sent out in the mail.

Gasoline rationing regulations require that any persons making application for gasoline privilege registration, gasoline licence and ration book number, or any passenger type motor vehicle, must complete their A-2 application and obtain their category A-A book before completing a special category application.

STOLEN MOTOR CAR SOON RECOVERED

Stolen from the downtown area in Belleville, Ontario, and owned by Gerald Adams, Ivanhoe, was later found abandoned in a snowbank on the bay bridge road Friday afternoon. Mr. Adams reported the theft to police stating that the 1938 model Dodge sedan, bearing Ontario plate No. J 4-96, was missing from its parking place.

SOLDIER ARRESTED AFTER DISTURBANCE

Disturbances at the London Lunch shortly after midnight, Friday resulted in the arrest of Pte. James Bartlett, of the Canadian Army stationed at Kingston. Police were called to the scene after com-

It Pays to Shop At the Rexall Store.

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City Salvage Collection

Wednesday, February 21st

SALVAGE will be collected from the ENTIRE EAST SIDE OF THE CITY, including Front Street, all streets east of the River, north to the City Limits and south to the Bay of Quinte.

PLEASE HAVE SALVAGE READY AT THE CURB FOR SPEEDY PICK-UP AT 9.00 A.M.

AND YOUR MAGAZINES TIED IN SEPARATE PARCELS AS THEY ARE TO BE GIVEN TO THE BOYS IN THE NAVY.

The Government is in urgent need of Paper, Rags and Metal. Salvage All These You Don't Need NOW.

DO NOT PUT BOTTLES, GLASS, TIN CANS, SHEET METAL OR OLD SHOES IN YOUR SALVAGE, AS THEY ARE OF NO VALUE.

C. R. CLAPP, Chairman of Salvage.

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Prices Hold Steady On Local Market

Prices for all lines of produce held steady on a rather featureless market Saturday morning with egg holding firm at 38 cents the dozen. Mediums brought 33 and pullets, 30 cents the dozen.

The fowl offering was not large although many birds of good quality were on hand. Prices ranged from 25 cents to 36 cents the pound. One vendor received 31 to 32 cents. Ducks ranging up to eight pounds at 35 cents per pound.

On the outside market potatoes held at 42 at the big white variety. Cabbages brought the usual prices. Sauerkraut was 15 cents the quart and large heads, unless a naked stock or 10 cents the peck.

Beet greens, Brussels and Delicious apples sold at $2.75 per bushel with Talman Sweets bringing $2 for the same quantity. Winter apples brought 75 cents the peck and cookers from $1 to $1.50 per bushel.

Onions and pork by the quarter was offered by one or two vendors with beef ranging from 22 cents for hinds and 13 1-3 for fronts. Veal brought 30 cents. Pork sold at 18 and 33 cents per pound for fronts and hinds respectively.

$400 Damage In House Fire

Damage estimated by firemen at approximately $400 was caused Friday evening at the home of Jack Whelan, 132 East Moira St., when fire of an undetermined origin broke out in the living room, chesterfield and chairs and burned down through the floor before being controlled by firemen.

Two other calls were answered by the fire department during the day, one to Schuster's coal dock where a chimney fire did no real damage and one for five hours. The coal pile was thoroughly wet by one of the company's buildings when firemen were forced to remain on the scene to keep the wood off the catch fire.

The other call was for a chimney fire in Leguerin's apartments on Bridge Street. Although no damage resulted this was a particularly stubborn one and required the use of the master hose and small pumps before being extinguished.

AB. Gerald Isard Sees Action On Frigate "Nene"

Able Seaman Gerald Isard, twenty-one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Isard, 9 Isabel Street, can now call himself a veteran of the deep seas for he has seen action on the broad wastes of the Atlantic and helped the convoy with his crew when tell-tale oil bubbles marked the resting place of another Nazi sub.

He is a member of the Canadian frigate "Nene" which co-operated with another ship and aircraft, sent the sub to the bottom. An aircraft sighted the submarine surfaced and immediately radioed the "Nene." The frigate and another ship raced to the scene but the sub had submerged. Depth charges were then brought her to the top and well-directed bursts did the rest.

The commander of the accompanying ship, in tribute to the frigate, stated later "Nene gets the credit for the biggest share of that kill."

Isard has been in the navy for the past two years, and went overseas late in 1943. In April, 1944, he was drafted to the "Nene" and has served with her since.

RSM Angus Duffy Arrives Home

Regimental Sergeant Major Angus Duffy, Trenton, of the famous Hastings Regiment, has arrived home this week from the war, after a long absence. He reached Kingston with a large contingent of troops and furlough men.

Overseas since December 1939, he was wounded in action in Sicily in July 1943. He was awarded the Canadian Efficiency Medal in 1942, Distinguished in Campaigns for his work in scaling the 2,300 foot precipice several times at Assoro to take supplies to his men. He was also on the line for a short time after being first wounded, after months he was returned to England and later, was attached to General Headquarters in England.

Other Hastings men returning on the same ship included Sgt. F. A. Grieve, Belleville, who was wounded at Ortona when the shell burst in the room in which he was eating was blown up by a shell.

Wounded twice in the back and head, Sergt. Grieve, of Belleville ford, who went overseas in 1941 received his first wound during the bravery during the storming of the Hitler Line.

Private B. E. Martin, of L'Amable, saw action up to Florence with the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment and sustained shrapnel wounds.

Plainis had been received, that a soldier was fighting and had destroyed property in the cafe. Several cost hooks were broken off and general disorder committed. An estimated $15.00 resulted, police reported. Bartlett was held on a charge of disorderly conduct.

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Board of Education All Schools in Belleville To Be Revalued by Board For Fire Insurance Purpose

Recommendations that all public schools and the Collegiate Institute and Vocational School in Belleville be revalued for the purpose of future fire insurance, formed the feature of the regular meeting of the board of education Friday night.

With Inspector Sills tabled by Administrator L. A. Hall regarding the status of present insurance values, H. B. Pellatly, chairman of the school properties committee, was named to form a committee to procure such new estimates as needed, the present insurance value of public schools and the Collegiate Institute was appraised at $840,000, with an annual insurance premium of approximately $1,200, Administrator Hall revealed.

The original cost of local public schools is set at $1,400,000 which includes additions to Queen Alexandra and Queen Victoria Schools, with the initial largest outlay being $377,264.84 for the erection of the B.C.I. & V.S. With continued maintaining and renovations present values are needed each year, it was presented by Mr. Pellatly at the meeting this week.

Pellatly Named Chairman.

Otherwise at the meeting E. Geen moved that Mr. Pellatly be appointed Chairman of the Advisory Vocational Committee, a motion that was unanimously passed with Pellatly also appointed chairman of chair as the Board met in committees. All reports were accepted and the monthly financial statements received for the usual approval.

Attendance figures for local public schools presented by Mr. Kells for the month of January in Public Schools in Belleville on January 31st month there was an attendance of 2,887 pupils or a percentage of 88.7 percent in January in 1945. In 1944 the attendance at public schools in years for the month of January was 2,887 or 88.7 percent. Attendance figures for local children in Belleville," commented Inspector Kells. In the matter of attendance statistics the attendance at the local public schools last month was as follows: Queen Alexandra 360 and Queen Victoria 464, King George 360 and Queen Mary 387.

Principal's Report.

In Principal W. S. Turner's report from the Belleville Collegiate Institute and Vocational School, it was disclosed that in January there were 346 pupils enrolled at the Collegiate, including five new admissions. In the vocational section there were 240. Otherwise Mr. Turner presented a detailed and complete report of the activities of the Collegiate considering with the report that Mr. T. W. Beattie, Director of Vocational Guidance for the Province of Ontario, would make his initial visit to the Belleville Collegiate on March 26th.

The public school nurse's report given by Mrs. B. Watt, disclosed that during the month of January the school nurse had made 93 visits to the homes of pupils' health. Five cases had been received by the Children's Aid Society and the number of visits to the clinics held. In the matter of communicable diseases Mrs. Watt reported six cases of chicken pox, two of whooping cough, three of mumps, giving Belleville a low percentage of children's communicable diseases.

Provide Soup for Pupils.

The following request to the Board was a report from King George School Parent-Teacher Association that during the winter efforts in the provision of nourishing hot soup for the commuting pupils at the noon hour lunch hour. Principal O. A. Brown reported that during 1944 the program was being operated at a weekly cost of $10.00. Queen and School Club, the students were informed about a needed noon-hour nourishment. The matter of meeting the matter of any operating loss was discussed and it was finally assumed any such deficit for the Parent-Teacher Group. The Board generally commended the Queen and King George Home and School Club for its splendid work in the matter of providing hot nourishment. The Public School Report in grade eight were given special mention.

Members of the Board present included Chairman C. D. Crosby and well as Messrs. H. B. Pellatly, W. Harrison, E. J. Shortt, Wm. Finkle, H. J. Reid, E. A. Geen and Robt. McCulloch.

Belleville's Quinte Skating Club Show Delights 2,400 Carnival Lovers at the Arena

Pageant, Single Acts and Comedy Skaters Keep Show Moving at Lively Pace

Flashing blades of Canada's outstanding skaters, augmented by the artistry of Belleville's Quinte Skating Club, whirled about the ice in the hearts of 2,400 carnival lovers at the Hume Arena, Friday night in a clever display of skill, color and showmanship.

The "Winter Show," annual function of the Quinte Skating Club, thrilled up to advance notices and compared favorably with any of its colorful predecessors.

Individual artist, some of them Canadian champions, pair skating champions, in spectacular display gave easy evidence of championship calibre, while a pageant "Peter Pan Never, Never Land," unfolded in brilliant, panoramic sequences.

Despite the fact that the ice developed a sticky condition during the latter part of the program, the various artists gave talented exhibitions although their performance was retarded by the "heavy" condition of the surface.

A Good Show.

It was a good show and held the undivided attention of the large audience that filled the National Arena. It was played a few minutes before eleven o'clock. There was a slight delay at first due to mechanical trouble on the part of the public address system, which marred the appearance and performance of Belleville Collegiate Band which alluded to play during the show.

The scintillating rhythm, and grace of motion of the guest stars and the "Jungle's Aces while the synchronized movement of the "Bubbles" provided highlights that drew repeated bursts of applause.

Norris Bowden and Miss Susan Morrow, Canadian Junior pair skating Champions of the Toronto Skating Club, gave a brilliant performance, that marked their performance in the true sense of the word. Both artists gave a display that was masterpieces of easy flowing motion and rhythm.

An Accomplished Skater.

Dainty Miss Ve Vs Smith, also of the Toronto Skating Club, won hearts of her audience with her dashing style of skating. The dark-haired little Toronto miss is an accomplished skater of many pirouettes and whirls were a delight to watch.

Roberta Wilson, Manitoba's dark-haired junior and intermediate champion, now a member of the University Skating Club of Toronto, was another talented young skater, whose double calethenics caught the fancy of the audience. She appeared in singles and paired with Bill Davies in a dance interpretation that equalled any performance in their ill-studied program.

But while the guest artists held the limelight of the spotlight, members of the Quinte Skating Club upheld their share of the program in an outstanding manner. A lot of credit must go to Mr. Davies for an outstanding performance in all phases of skating.

In the several numbers and solo-ling filled the ice, Mr. Davies was who was unavoidably absent. An single and doubles, while he provided the a skater-comedian of more than passing ability. His double rounds of applause as did a duet number with his sister, Olivia Davies.

Plenty of Comedy.

There was comedy too. Jack Dickens in the part of a golf club, had plenty of trouble in the mechanical fairway. His tumbling was excellent, while "moving" green and hole provided lots of laughs.

Another mirth-provoking comedy act was in an exhibition of hockey with Bill Davies in a toreador role, Dickens provided a more than less ferocious animal well equipped with wig, horns and a whirling tail. Bill's ballet antics as he tried to give battle to his sword-equipped enemy provided plenty of ice surface humor.

The pageant was a colorful presentation of the famous Peter Pan story, the original journey of Wendy, Michael and John to the "Never, Never Land," where they are welcomed by the Fairy Queen and attacked by fierce pirates but are finally rescued by Peter Pan, in a climax came with the death of pirate chief at the hands of Peter.

60 Children Take Part.

About sixty children and others took part in this part of the program, which was beautifully staged and costumed. At one end of the ice was a miniature Belleville, typical of the "Jolly Roger" which flew the black flag of the pirate chief contain Hook. Pink sea shells adorned each side of the stadium while a pretty cottage stood at the opposite end. Then the "Jolly Roger." Indian wigwams furnished appropriate color for the friendly "tribe."

Fairy Queen Shirley Fox presided daintily while a galaxy of white-clad fairies danced with her. Twelve boys costumed as fairies paid their homages to the Fairy Queen. Outstanding fairy figures, Tinker Bell (Nancy Bowen) and Wendy (Barbara Bowe) charmingly costumed in green to Wendy's bed where he tells

Obituary

LATE LAC. H. W. COLLINS

Funeral arrangements for the late LAC. H. W. Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Collins, Dundas Street, who was killed as result of an explosion in an R.C.A.F. station, Sydney, have still not been made pending the arrival of the body from Mr. Matthews, a telegram received Friday indicated the body will arrive yesterday and final funeral arrangements will not be made until it has arrived in the city.

LATE MRS. ANNIE JOHNSTON (Wellamia)

Trenton, (Special)— The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie E. Johnston, wife of Alexander Johnston of Wellamia, took place from Wesley Methodist Church at Wellamia on Friday afternoon, with service being conducted by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Townsend. Interment was made in Wellamia Cemetery.

The pall bearers were George Watson, Walter Scott, Victor Graham, Ernest Maybee, John Raine and George McGee.

MRS. ANNIE BOWLER

In failing health for the past two years, Mrs. Annie Bowler died on Friday at the home of her daughter Mrs. Wm. Walt, 20 Pinnacle Street. She was in her 81st year.

Born in Prince Edward County of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Haslip, Mrs. Bowler had resided with her daughter in Belleville for the past 14 years. Previous to that time she had lived in Wellington where she was an active worker in George Street Methodist Church and was attending to Belleville and when health allowed she took an active interest in the work of the Ladies' Association of, Tabernacle Church, Belleville. Mrs. Bowler was also took great interest in the work of the Women's Institute, Wellington.

Surviving to mourn her passing are one son, Mr. Milton Bowler of Peterborough, and one daughter Mrs. H. E. Harkins of Belleville. There are also two grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home; the funeral notice will be found elsewhere in this edition.

The children about Never Never Land. The Lost Boys (Billy Wallace Wilson) goes on an outstanding dance for Wendy and Michael Mar (Wallace Muir) brings the Red Indians Parselee (Olivia Wesse) to Wendy. Belleville.

Enters the villainous pirates who staged an all out war with the Pirate Chief. They also enter Peter Pan to rescue Lily Queen Fairy and engages Peter in mortal combat, which ends after a colorful skating and sword duel in the two contestants fight with swords, in the death of the Pirate Chief.

The whole pageant was cleverly done with excellent support on the part of the various bands adding to the general enjoyment. Miss Barbara Bowe and Miss Barbara Williams designed and executed the costumes and scenery.

Co-operation of the arena management was also a factor in the success of the show. The ice had been flooded for twenty-four hours to give it a smooth surface every chance, and well over 2,000 fans enjoyed the show. Members of the 1943 edition of the Quinte Skating Club were also present.

The cast list included: Wendy, Betty McNally; Michael, Marilyn Kerr; John, Doris Kerr; Peter Pan, Jack Dickens; Jas Shell Fairies, Beth Wilbur, Jean Wilbur, Jean Brownlee, Norma Jane McNally, Nancy Casey, Shirley Davison, Pat Smith, Mary Lee Fox, Audrey Hamilton, Shirley Gardiner, Marilyn Bell, Beverly Fox, Mary Ann Gilbert, Joan Hamilton, Donemion, Tinker Bell, Nancy David, Peter Pan, Barbara Bewe; Lost Boys, Wallace Muir, Billy Mills, Jimmy Hill, Albert Lennox, Jack Bowe, Jas Brownlee, Harold Fox, Janet Reed; Tiger Lily, Margaret Williams; Indian Maid, Wallace Muir; Bird of Paradise, Olivia Wesse; Indians, Loretta Bruyea, Gloria Wesse, Betty Ann Betty McBride, Joan Temple, Joan Kennedy, Frances Jess, Frieda Lay, Brickman, Helen Richards, Lois Theobald, Marian Campbell, Joan Firth, Mary Miller, Marilyn Townsend, Upper, Elsegar, Betty Ann Robertson, Diane Gibson, Diane Clark, Jean Mc-McCormick, Joan Rowsome; Captain Hook, Bill Davies; Mermaids, Louise Patrick, Betty Holway; The Crew, Betty Ridley, Helen Mc-Intyre, Theresa Callaghan, Myrtle Merrill, Catherine Firth, Nora Fleury, Joan Allen, Olivia Wesse, Barbara Williams, Jean Terry, Betty Meagher; Turtle Boys, Jimmy Hill, John Marshall, Richard Wright, Peter Fox, Billy Mills, Douglas Rodger Robinson, Stuart Robinson, Jimmy Wright, R. Bowe, Ridley, Barry Wells, Dewson and Joseph Kennedy.

NOW HE'S MAJOR MAJOR

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 17. (AP)— Capt. Harry A. Major, Jr., has been promoted to Major, native of Overland Park, Kansas, and Army Nurse Corps officer, part of way. He was promoted. Now he is Major Major.

ORGANIZING ALL CANADA

Port Arthur, Ont. (CP)—The Canadian Social Credit Association is at present organizing in all sections of Canada, Hon. Solon Low, National Leader of the party said here yesterday in an interview. Total membership in the last three years has increased to more than 400,000, he said.

DEATHS

RIDLEY — At the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, on Saturday, Feb. 10th, Wayne Douglas Ridley, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Clare A. Ridley, 42 Bridge Street, West, age 4 months.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home from whence the funeral will take place on Monday, February 19. Funeral in the chapel at 3.00 p.m. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

BOWLES — At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Harkins, 20 Pinnacle Street, on February 16th., Mrs. Annie Mary Bowler, widow of David Bowler, in her 81st year.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, from where the funeral will take place on Monday afternoon. Service in the chapel at 1.30. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

WALKER — In loving memory of Lillie Walker, of Shannonville, who died one year ago today, 17th February, 1944.

The world may change from year to year,
And friends from day to day,
But none will ever be one I loved
From memory pass away.
—Ever remembered by Husband, Mary and Alvin.

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CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. John Hanna, of West Huntingdon wishes to express her thanks to all those who, during her stay in Belleville General Hospital, remembered her with flowers, fruit, cards and personal visits.

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MANY TO BE TRIED

Breda, Holland, Feb. 17 — (CP-Reuter) — The number of Netherlanders who will be tried by courts for high treason or collaboration with the enemy will have reached 300,000 — about two per cent of the population — stated Dr. Dr. C. J. Van Heuven Goedhart, chief attorney Minister of Justice, said yesterday.

TO DEFEND NORWAY

Stockholm, Feb. 17 (AP)—Reichscommissar Josef Terboven, Norway's Nazi Viceroy, has told Nazi-controlled Scandinavian Telegraph

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Bureau yesterday that Norway "will be defended at all costs" because of its strategic value to the German war effort.

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50	$1.00
100	$1.75
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HALIVER ORANGE	
5 oz.	55c
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IDAMALT Tablets 50	$1.25
IDAMALT	50c, 90c, $1.60
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NUTRITIVE PELLETS	$2.00
NEO-CHEMICAL FOOD	
Capsules:	
50	$1.25
100	$2.35
250	$5.00
NORPLEX	
100	$1.60
ONE-A-DAY TABLETS	$1.00
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100	$2.25 and $3.90
POLYTAKIN CAPSULES	
100	$4.00
RADIO MALT	90c and $1.80
RADIOSTOSE	90c and $1.80
Capsules 50	$1.00
100	$1.75 & $4.75
UNIPLEX TABLETS	
25	$1.25
50	$2.35
VI-DEBIL CAPSULES	$3.50
VITADIET	$1.15
VITALOID WAFERS	$2.75
100	$5.00
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50	$1.50, $2.75, $5.00
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Germans Infilter Into Positions At Monte Canala

Rome, Feb. 17 (AP)—Allied 5th Army troops in the Tyrrhenian coastal sector were disclosed by the allied command to have made further withdrawals following German infiltrations in positions at Monte Canala.

Headquarters said enemy pressure on Monte Canala, nine miles inland and the same distance southwest of Massa, had compelled troops to withdraw to the southern slopes of this feature.

"There are the positions held prior to the recent attack by our forces in the coastal sector," it was added.

This is the area in which the United States 92nd infantry division attacked last week; but subsequently was forced to retire.

Several enemy infiltration parties were engaged.

The Allied communique reported activity on the 8th Army front on the Adriatic side of Italy was confined to patrol clashes and artillery duels.

Allied artillery in the mountains south of Bologna teamed with bombers in a concentrated pounding of the northern Bologna area; several explosions and much smoke were seen among enemy installations.

TENDERS RESIGNATION

Toronto, Feb. 17 (CP)—Padre Fred Bedford, Church of England chaplain of Christie Street military hospital here, said he has tendered his resignation because he felt he "should make way for some of the chaplains who have had overseas service."

RESCUE 250 U.S. AIRMEN

Rome, Feb. 17 (CP)—Mystery radio messages from Yugoslavia which picked up and acted on by R.A.F. wireless operators in Italy have led to the rescue of 250 airmen, mostly Americans, who had bailed out over the Balkans during the German occupation.



Ready for all comers are these Canadians caught by the cameraman in their trench before enemy guns came through for the new offensive to open. They are typical of the men who will be in the van of the move into Germany.—(Canadian Army—WIB Radiophoto, Canadian National Picturegram Service).

Supplies Passed Thru Small Hole

Santo Tomas, Manila, Feb. 17—(AP)—There's a hole in the wall at Santo Tomas internment camp measuring three inches by 13 through which passed thousands of pounds of food and medicine and millions of pesos that kept hundreds of internees alive through three years of starvation.

The smuggling was so ingeniously operated it was never discovered by the Japanese despite frequent frantic searches and investigations.

The key man was Lois De Alcuaz, chemistry professor of the University of Santo Tomas. As a university official his office was along the west wall of the camp.

When the deliberate starvation program became serious and medicines were exhausted, Alcuaz brought supplies into his office and concealed them. Then he cut the hole in the wall.

Each night, Alcuaz signaled he was ready to pass supplies by slamming drawers. If safe to proceed, internee guards on the other side answered with three knocks.

Alcuaz was under suspicion but the Japanese never could put their finger on the operations. He was taken to Intern and questioned eight times but released.

Huns Lose 2 Subs And 3 Planes, Allied Convoy Safe

London, Feb. 17 (CP)—Two German submarines were destroyed and three enemy planes shot down recently during an attack on an important Allied convoy to Russia which was frustrated by combined air and sea action, the Admiralty announced.

Vessels of the Royal Canadian Navy participated in the operation.

One British aircraft was lost in the actions, carried out in extremely severe weather.

In its account of one of the several attacks, the communique stated:

"Towards nightfall and in weather conditions which reduced visibility to a few hundred yards, two waves of Junkers 88 torpedo carrying bombers attempted to approach the convoy simultaneously and from different directions.

"They were driven off twice, and none of the escorts was damaged," the communique added.

"Later the German planes reformed or were reinforced and attempted to approach the convoy from three different directions. Again they were driven off."

'Japanese on Run In Burma' Says Gen. Auchinleck

New Delhi, Feb. 17 (AP)—Gen. Sir Claude Auchinleck, British Commander-in-Chief, said the Japanese were "on the run" in Burma and predicted the enemy's thrust into Imerfal "now appears to merely be storming but reversed."

"I don't want to make a too confident note," he told the Indian legislature.

"We all know a great deal of bitter fighting through heavy casualties lies ahead before Burma can be liberated and we drive into other Japanese-occupied territories farther east. Nevertheless, we can safely say we have got the Japanese on the run no less surely than the Americans have in the southwest Pacific."

Sir Claude said the situation in China "could and should be spared of grave deterioration but now is more healthy."

Instructions About Parcels to Canadian Prisoners of War

Ottawa, Feb. 17 (CP)—War Services Minister LaFleche said yesterday no more parcels should be sent Canadian prisoners-of-war who have been or are being moved from camps likely to be over-run by Canadian forces advancing into eastern Germany until further advice is received from official sources regarding new addresses of the prisoners involved.

Gen. LaFleche said this policy was in line with one adopted by the British postal authorities. Canadian postal authorities in Ottawa said personal parcels as have actually been received at the post office here.

The change from which transfers are known to have been made includes Stalag 344 (Lamsdorf), 383, 8C, 20A, 21D, and 344; Stalag Luft 3, Luft 4 and Luft 7; B A B 20 and 21; Offlag 79.

Next-of-kin of Canadian prisoners of war who were reported to have been in these camps will be advised individually that the distribution of official labels will be withheld until assurance is received from overseas that Red Cross Service Department that the parcels can be delivered.

London, Feb. 17 (CP Cable) — Several thousand Canadians are listed in Red Cross records of German prisoner of war camps which have been either overrun by the Russian advance or are in their direct path, the Red Cross in London of their whereabouts as the German have been moving many of their prison camps westward.

Some 13 camps recently listed by War Minister Sir James Grigg as being passed or neared by the Russians were the following six Canadian camp Stalag 2D where there were about 1,000 Canadians, a few hundred in Stalag 8C, another few hundred in Stalag 8B between 600 and 700 in Stalagluft 3, and about 500 in Stalagluft 4.

Marmora

Marmora — Although the attendance was somewhat limited through counter attractions, the monthly meeting of the Women's Institute at the home of Mrs. H. W. Sabine on Wednesday evening proved very interesting to all present in that it was Grandmothers' Night. The president, Mrs. L. Green, occupied the chair and the roll call was "Childhood Memories." During the business session $25 was voted to the Marmora Public Library. Plans were made for a bingo and bake table to be held at the Welbo Hall on Monday. Some quilt blocks were brought in. For the progress work was community singing by the grandmothers with Mrs. H. Sabine at the piano. Mrs. Wesley Grant then gave a humorous reading appropriate to the occasion, after the rest of the program bingo was played. The prize for the oldest grandmother present went to Mrs. W. Grant. Mrs. Grant and her sister, Mrs. Hyland of Toronto, and Mrs. Judd, Belleville, comprised the great grandmothers present. Next meeting to be featured with an address by L. Pair, agricultural representative, will be held at the home of Mrs. C. A. Lummiss.

Reliable Life Insurance Society.

The monthly meeting of the Reliable Life Insurance Society was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Friend Mrs. W. Gano. The chief councillor, Mrs. L. B. Hand, was appointed representative to the Biennial Grand Council to be held in Hamilton in June. The recorder-treasurer, W. J. Cottrell, was appointed alternate. During the business session the hostess served a delicious lunch.

Personals.

Group 2 of St. Paul's Ladies' Guild sponsored a euchre party in the parish hall on Tuesday evening. Winners were Mrs. Charles Leonard and Tom Redden.

Reeve W. R. Line returned home from Nichol's Hospital, Peterborough, on Thursday.

Mrs. Harold Baker of Stirling is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Auger spent Sunday with relatives in Trenton.

Sergt. Vincent Fitzpatrick has returned from overseas and is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Fitzpatrick, Cordova Mines.

Private Marshall Sopha of Toronto spent the weekend at his home here.

Mrs. Eugene Brady and Miss Mary Brady spent a few days in Toronto this week.

Temperance Federation Assails Address Of O.L.C.B. Chairman

Hamilton, Feb. 17 —(CP)— Dr. John Cohoon of Toronto, in a resolution presented Thursday to the Temperance Federation convention, charged that a speech made to the convention Wednesday by Hon. G. W. Webster, chairman of the Ontario Liquor Control Board, "seems to cover the government in this province of gross inefficiency or deliberately conniving in error."

The resolution was approved unanimously.

"Some of his statements were so far from correct," the resolution said in reference to the minister's address, "and so liable to injure the temperance cause that we cannot allow them to pass unchallenged."

Mr. Webster told the convention Wednesday that as a result of the federal government's beverages control order of 1943, "the cause of temperance in English - speaking Canada faces a crisis comparable to the failure of prohibition 20 years ago."

"We regret," the resolution continued, "that instead of offering any constructive suggestion for the solution of the liquor problem, Mr. Webster used the occasion to make a partisan attack on the Liberal party and to launch unfair attack on the Prime Minister of Canada.

"The logical result of Mr. Webster's special pleading would be that to promote true temperance all restriction should be removed," the resolution said.

"As a positive and constructive suggestion to Mr. Webster and the government of which he is a member, we recommend the promotion by church and state alike of moral control, curtailment and education towards the goal . . . to stamp out liquor traffic."

Dr. Cohoon moved in presenting the brief by Rev. R. W. Bishop and Dr. C. W. Detillie.

Make London Become World's Centre Of Fashions and Textiles

London, Feb. 17 —(Reuters)— Britain's textile trade plans to make London the world's clothes centre of the future, with first place in post-war textile markets, superior fashion and the ability to complete and deliver orders well ahead of competitors.

The industry today visualized a centre near St. Paul's Cathedral with hundreds of shops and offices, restaurants, car parks and loading docks, incorporated in modern warehouse buildings.

This was the official of the Wholesale Textile Association commented: "It will make the city the world's centre for the textile trade.

Latta

Latta — No Sunday School or service on Sunday as no wood was cut up yet.

Mrs. Wilbert Elliott sawed her wood on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Parks of Hay Bay, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ida Dafoe, arriving on Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. McCreary visited her sister Mrs. John Rollins and Mr. Rollins on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilder and David Stanley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Wilder.

Mrs. Ralph Wilder and David Stanley spent Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. W. Elliott.

Mrs. Frank Parks had a quilting and dinner at her home on Tuesday for war work.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Mac Cronkright who have a new baby girl.

Mr. Blake Parks has bought the late Mr. Will Collins' farm at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. Vincent O'Neill has bought the back 100 acres belonging to the late Mr. Will Collins.

The Women's Institute supper was called off owing to bad roads. It was to be on Wednesday evening.

Eldorado

Eldorado — Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pot spent Tuesday in Belleville.

Mr. J. F. Parnell spent a few days recently in Toronto attending a meeting of post-war problems.

Mark Thompson of Meaford army training centre spent the weekend in town.

Many from Eldorado were fans at the hockey game of Wednesday last.

Friends are sorry to hear of Mr. Harry Hamel breaking a bone in his arm while employed with the Canadian National Railways at Belleville.

Mr. Bar of Maynooth, is spending a few days with his daughter Mrs. T. W. Chidley of Eldorado.

Dr. Coburn and Mrs. Keeler and family were Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. John McClintock's on Sunday.

Miss Phyllis and June Strebe are spending a few days in Toronto.

Mrs. Stanley Moorcroft and Miss Alma Moorcroft spent Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. H. Parnell.

Mr. Albert Blakely is progressing very nicely after a very serious attack of pneumonia which had confined him to bed for some days.

Mr. Roy Wannamaker put the town in the dark by wreck by bringing in his sawing machine to cut the townfolks' wood piles.

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The Kiwanis Club of Belleville Inc. is at present in the process of building a SUMMER CAMP for children, and is in their intention to have facilities in readiness to receive campers by July of this year. It is the desire of the Kiwanis Club to obtain a suitable name for this camp, and it has been deemed fitting that the children of Belleville, who will be the users of this camp, shall have the privilege of selecting the name. To this end the Kiwanis Club of Belleville is sponsoring this contest, which will be judged by an impartial board, and the winners selected according to the merit of the name suggested. There are three major aspects of this camp project which the contestants are asked to bear in mind when selecting a name. These are as follows:

LOCATION OF CAMP.
The camp site is located on Robbin Lake in Ameliasburg Village.

DONATION TO CLUB.
The camp site and buildings thereon were graciously donated to the Kiwanis Club for this purpose by Kiwanian George Wallbridge of Belleville.

SPONSORS OF CAMP.
The camp is being built by and will be sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Belleville Inc.

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SUNDAY, 11.00 a.m.—Devotional Service. Subject: "THOROUGHGOERS."
SUNDAY, 7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic. Subject: "THE KING'S FERRY BOAT."
TUESDAY, 8.00 p.m.—Bible Study. Come and bring your Bibles. Enjoy it.
THURSDAY, 8.00 p.m.—Young People's Meeting.
FRIDAY at 2.30 p.m.—Ladies' Prayer Meeting.
"Christians are as guilty for not being filled with the Spirit, as sinners are for not repenting."
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WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH
22 Dundas St. East REV. J. S. A. SPEARMAN, Minister
11.00 a.m.—DIVINE WORSHIP.
7.00 p.m.—"JAMES THE LESS". (Continuing with the Master's Twelve.)
WEDNESDAY, 7 p.m.—Children's Hour. 8.00 p.m.—Prayer and Bible Study.—"A Good Gospel."
FRIDAY 8 p.m.—Y.P.S., 20 Sinclair St. Sunday School 2.30 p.m.

THE STANDARD CHURCH
(Coleman Street at Footbridge)
11.00 a.m.—MORNING WORSHIP.
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School.
7.00 p.m.—EVENING WORSHIP.
TUESDAY AND THURSDAY NIGHTS 8.00 P.M.

BETHEL HALL
Corner Church and Station Streets
MORNING WORSHIP ..... 11.00 a.m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL ..... 2.30 p.m.
EVENING SERVICE ..... 7.00 p.m.
— Speaker —
EVANGELIST JAMES LYON, of Toronto.
Subject
"WHAT'S YOUR OWN — AND WHAT ISN'T"
THURSDAY, 8.00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.
FRIDAY, 7.00 p.m.—Children's Meeting.

ALLIANCE TABERNACLE
Cor. W. Moira and Coleman. REV. C. V. FREEMAN
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School and Pastor's Bible Class.
11.00 a.m.—"THE SIDE OF THE SAINTS."
7.00 p.m.—THE CHRISTIAN'S CONFLICT, or, THE WAR BEHIND THE WAR.
8.00 p.m.—Young People's Fellowship Hour.
TUESDAY, Annual Night of Prayer, commencing 8 p.m.

TABERNACLE UNITED CHURCH
(THE FRIENDLY CHURCH)
Church Street — One Block North of Victoria Avenue
REV. DR. A. J. WM. MYERS.
11.00 a.m.—"EACH FOR ALL AND ALL FOR EACH."
Nursery Care is provided for young children while their parents attend morning service.
11.50 a.m.—JUNIOR CONGREGATION.
2.30 p.m.—CHURCH SCHOOL and KINDERGARTEN.
7.00 p.m.—"A GREAT PICTURE".
The Good Companion Fellowship Hour After Evening Service.
Mrs. M. F. Duff, Organist

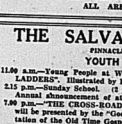
HOLLOWAY STREET UNITED CHURCH
(Corner Dunbar and Holloway)
REV. J. A. DILTS, Minister. Residence 44 Hillside St.
11.00 a.m.—FIRST OF LENTEN SERIES.
"THE WAY THE MASTER WENT." 1.—"HIS BAPTISM".
11.30 a.m.—JUNIOR CONGREGATION. Bring the children with you to church.
2.30 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
7.00 p.m.—THE GOSPEL IN MUSIC AND MESSAGE.
Albert College Staff and Students will attend in a body.
"How is it that so many church members are able to get to work but not to worship.
Choir Leader, MRS. F. HOUSTON. Organist, WM. CONNOR.

BRIDGE STREET UNITED CHURCH
REV. E. W. STAPLEFORD, B.A., D.D., Interim Minister.
11.00 a.m.—NURSERY SCHOOL.
11.00 a.m.—DR. STAPLEFORD WILL PREACH.
Subject: "BRIDGE ST. CHURCH—WHAT OF ITS FUTURE?"
2.30 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
7.00 p.m.—REV. BERT HOWARD, Principal of Albert College, will preach.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Corner Church Street and Victoria Avenue
REV. J. G. HORNSBY . . . . . Minister
DIVINE WORSHIP
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2.30 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
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11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. 11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School. 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
7.00 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon. 4.00 p.m.—Holy Baptism.
Rev. Canon Bedford-Jones, Curate of Instruction for Confirmation. 7.00—Evensong followed by Adult Confirmation Class.

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MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON ..... 11.00 a.m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL AND BIBLE CLASS ..... 2.30 p.m.
EVENING PRAYER AND SERMON ..... 7.00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY:
Lenten Service 8.00 p.m.



VICTORIA AVE. BAPTIST CHURCH
REV. R. O. EASTMAN
Minister.
Organist ..... DORLAND HOUSTON.
Choir Leader ..... FRED JOBSON
11.00 a.m.—MEMORIAL SERVICE.
TO THE MEMORY OF CPL. GARNET SOULE.
2.00 p.m.—Church School.
7.00 p.m.—"BE YE HOLY."
SONG SERVICE. FRIENDSHIP HOUR.
ALL ARE INVITED.

THE SALVATION ARMY
PINNACLE PURSUIT
YOUTH SUNDAY
11.00 a.m.—Young People at Worship. Subject: "LADS AND LADDERS". Illustrated by Flannelgraph.
2.15 p.m.—Sunday School. (2 p.m. Station Street.)
Annual announcement of attendance and merits for 1944.
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War in Winter

This winter which it is hoped and expected will be the last of the war before Germany is defeated will live long in memory as one of the severest on record in North America as well as in Europe. Canadians and Americans know all too well by their experiences how cold it has been and how it has been complicated by fuel shortage.

Back in 1941-42 German armies experienced for the first time because it was the first winter in Russia the severity of the cold of the Russian steppes, their mechanism freezing up in spite of their efforts. The Russian authorities had found by means of protecting their troops against the winter weather while the Germans were caught unprepared for the cold so that Hitler claimed it was the worst on record, though this statement was soon denied in Europe and in America where it was said the weather was often colder than it was on that Russian front that year. But Hitler blamed the winter for the disasters which fell on German arms.

Now this winter the Russians have been benefiting by the cold which has made possible their epoch-making advances, especially in this past month which has brought the Muscovite forces deep into Germany opposite Berlin, the immediate battle for which will begin soon, it is expected. Germans have the same weather to contend with but have not been able to take advantage of it as have the expertly-led Russian armies.

The conditions of war of course intensify the hardships of winter today. Europe is pretty well out of fuel through the long years of war. To add to Germany's woes there is the loss of the coal districts in Silesia.

At the same time the forces of retribution are gathering about and are marching to-the gates of Berlin as the immediate chief objective. German armies, their leaders particularly, know that they have lost or are losing the war, which in itself lends a an atmosphere of fatalism, futility and frustration to what the Huns do. The Allies have victory not far ahead with the close of the titanic struggle inspiring them as they enter upon the soil of Germany and penetrate deeply into the Reich even if it is winter.

What hardships the people in North America undergo in the use of fuel and substitutes are as nothing compared with what is endured in Europe which is the actual scene of the greatest conflict of all time and what the Western World does is for the aid of the Allied cause and for the comfort of their soldiery, seamen and air service and for the speeding up of the war to its close.

Parcels and Letters for Overseas

Though the war is moving more and more to the end in Europe, soldiers overseas and in the fighting fronts will need a continual flow of parcels and mail whatever they have always welcomed from home in Canada. This is not a time when there should be any let-up in the procession of these tokens of home interest and affection for the men are in the fighting and these letters and parcels will be "even more welcome with their tasty snacks for perhaps a midnight lunch in the midst of the fighting" as the Owen Sound Sun Times remarks. "News also takes on a greatly added interest as the men allow themselves to contemplate their return home." The Sun Times also remarks that "those who have no actual members of the family in the fighting forces might well take on a larger share of this work if they have not already done so. In many cases where there are several of a family overseas, the financing of parcels is, in itself, a very heavy burden."

Parcels from home will be welcomed for their value in food or wearing apparel and they and letters bring too the real home and fireside to the heroic young men wherever they are fighting, daring all in the cause of their country and the world's freedom.

Scott'sh Foresight

Plans now being made for post-war building area of the famous shipbuilding area of Teeside, Scotland, one of the most diversified industrial centres in the world.

This district which, through too great dependence on shipbuilding, suffered heavily in the depression period between the two wars has today become the centre of a huge, varied complex of industries.

While shipyards are working to full capacity, one firm alone employing 3,400 workers including 10 per cent women has turned out half a million tons of tankers and other vessels—new industries include armored cars, special steel and waterproofing for tanks, Bailey bridges, petrol storage tanks, hangars, grain silos, radar-huts, hydrogen plants and aircraft components.

One engineering firm in this area is building the equipment for Britain's biggest penicillin plant.

Teeside factories have also produced a huge fleet of landing craft and a large part of the vast pre-fabricated port through which Allied supplies passed for the Battle of Normandy—a Teeside man, Mr. J. Gibson, was in charge of the work on the port.

The Teeside area has thus become a model for the diverse industrial developments of the future. A special delegation from China and a group of Indian scientists came especially to study the advanced technology practices in the Teeside industrial plants.

The Teeside Development Board is now planning the further development of sites, communications and dock facilities in order to preserve and extend the industrial efficiency and diversity of the area for post-war production.

Release From the Japs

(Detroit Free Press)

The dramatic Luzon rescue of more than 500 Allied veterans of Bataan, Corregidor and Singapore, most of them Americans, is a story to inspire thanksgiving wherever it is read in the 48 States.

Not only does it release from the bondage of dread the families of the rescued. It brings a flowering of new hope to the hearts of others with sons, brothers and husbands who are captives of the Jap, and for whom the long, torturous months have passed with little or no word. The story is precursor of the day when all captives of the enemy, east and west, shall return to the home hearth.

The nation will understand, too, the concluding words of General MacArthur's special communique announcing the event: "No incident of the campaign has given me such personal satisfaction."

Scare Away Sharks

(New York Times)

Live sharks avoid water where dead, decomposed sharks are found. Armed with this peculiar naval researchers found that dead sharks give off an odor which caused hungry sharks to turn tail and swim away. Chemists proceeded to smell up the countryside as they experimented with some 7,000 species of rotting shark meat. Finally they isolated the essential element and proceeded to duplicate it chemically. The American Cyanamid's Calco Division then prepared the shark-repellent for military use and manufactured thousands of small units which are taking the five-ounce chemical briquets fastened to life jackets. The chemicals are released in the water by a ripcord attachment. One dose from the potent briquet scares off any shark.

From London comes the word that more than a quarter of a million glider launchings have now been made at A.T.C. gliding schools, according to a report on the development of gliding in the Air Training Corps during 1943 and 1944. The number of gliding schools for the A.T.C. is now over 80 and during 1945 the total is expected to rise to 100.

Temper if ungoverned, governs the whole man.—Shaftesbury.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST
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CHOICE

'Tis well we do not all agree
On what is best through life to be,
Or prompted by the same desire
There would be none to tend the fire,
To sweep the floor, the lawn to rake
Or sell the goods that others make.
Were but one skill considered best,
Who'd do the jobs that most detest?

Despite the evils that we find,
This world is rather well designed,
And all its people wisely made
For art and song and craft and trade.
Within the space that's called 'the head'
The varied seeds of choice are spread,
So some can be what others won't,
And some can do what others don't.

Lest certain foods should go to waste,
Behold the difference of taste!
What some of us refuse to eat
Is thought by others quite a treat.
All that is common in the main
Is birth and death and grief and pain.
And thus we manage, sun to sun,
Somehow to get the day's work done;
And thus, in spite of all that's wrong,
We, rather nicely, get along.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

February 17th, 1925.

Judge Deroche and Mr. C. H. Vermilyea left yesterday for a vacation period in Florida.

The Belleville Intermediate basketball team suffered a 24 to 24 reverse at the hands of the Queen's University intermediates here last week-end. The Belleville line-up included Dorothy, Armstrong, Weir, Rowell, Hurley and Madden.

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Lt.-Col. Thurston who is in command of the 39th Battalion, which is to mobilize in Belleville, was in the city today.

The work of preparing the canning factory formerly known as the Pinnacle Street for mobilizing of troops is progressing.

40 YEARS AGO

February 17th, 1905.

Under the auspices of the Pittsenth Regiment a gala military ball was held at the Oddfellows' Hall last evening. Distinguished guests from Kingston, Cobourg, Trenton and this borough were in attendance. The floor committee was composed of Major Stewart, Captain Marden, Dr. Goldsmith, Captain Conger, Lieuts. Pero Allen, Guild Walker, W. Cook, W. Burtis, Stan Carman and Sergt. Major Doughty, Armstrong, Weir, Rowell, Hurley and Madden.

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Under the auspices of the

Pyle Had Grand Time at Home During His Four Months Furlough

Editor's note—Ernie Pyle is with the Navy in the Pacific. Reading reports of his dispatches from that way thanks to us for publishing a few articles he wrote before he left from Camp Shelby, Mississippi, one of which the following is one.

By ERNIE PYLE

San Francisco — These first half dozen columns or so are being written in San Francisco before taking off for the Pacific. I want to write a sketchy report on my doings on the home front.

If you can bear a little reminiscing I'd like to go back more than past four months of furlough, and bring you up to date on the Professional Son's recent activities.

Well, since leaving France and returning to America I have—

Crossed the continent three times. Had eight lush weeks in Albuquerque. First Christmas with "That Girl" that she started. Moved the town once.

I've been photographed 1000 times and was the president of the Ernie Pyle Grande Steamship & Navigation Co. (Rubber Division). I've been kissed by Paulette Goddard, Olivia deHavilland and Hazel Flannery all in one afternoon—Hallelujah!

My people sent me oil paintings they'd done from photographs. I've set up all night three nights on trains, and three nights on airplanes. I've said "no" to at least 500 requests to speak, and have managed to keep well supplied with cigarettes.

Kind people have flooded me with gifts. Mayor Clyde Tingley of Albuquerque opened it with a $500 check. Mayor Fiorello La Guardia sent me that I left in a safety deposit box. Other people gave me shirts, wear a $500 wrist watch!

I've had luscious apples from Washington State, peanuts from Williamsburg, half a dozen homemade hunting coats, two college degrees, a Texas cowboy belt, two foxhole shovels, one jeep, an overseas cap for the Pacific, and one noble friend who brought with 10 pounds of bacon.

We've had so much company at our house in Albuquerque that one night I slept on a canvas cot in the kitchen, and one night I slept on the living room floor in my new bathrobe. (I didn't sleep very well either.)

Despite all the frenzy, I've felt almost pathetic in my happiness at being home. I've had a wonderful time. Only I've got the feeling that I like being alive. I wish it could go on forever.

People are always asking what I think of the "home front" experience, and of course to raise hell about it.

Well, I don't know. In the first place I'm no authority. I've had only that. I find myself reluctant to generalize or even talk any flame in the home front.

It is true that a great many people don't know there's a war on, or don't seem to care. And yet I realize that I myself very easily let myself sit down and take it easy and never think of the war, except in an academic way.

I've had no bad incidents during these few months at home. But I

Capital Closeups

By JACK BEATLEY
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 17 —(CP)—One of the capital's busiest men these days is Col. Colin Gibson, directing his time between the air and revenue ministries.

Col. Gibson, one of the best-dressed men in the cabinet, spends his forenoons as acting air minister at air force headquarters on Laurier Street, 20 minutes' walk from his office to him on a tray and then walks a half dozen blocks to the big, grim old building which is the revenue department's home.

His job becomes complicated at times, like this instance, the occasion when as air minister he supports the application of an airline for more flights, and then as revenue minister has to turn it down.

Before Col. Gibson was appointed to act in the place of C. G. (Chubby) Power, who resigned to accept a Senate appointment for active service, Navy Minister Angus L. Macdonald was the cabinet's busy man.

Mr. Macdonald was Prime Minister Mackenzie King's right-hand man during the war years, carrying the heavy responsibility for all the armed services under Mr. Macdonald. With the three ministries now combined, and routine inter-service problems coming up, Angus L. often found himself writing himself letters, dictating and replying to himself just as stiffly.

Anniversary: Gen. McNaughton this week followed the progress of Gen. Montgomery's Rhine campaign by a war map in his office. He marked "D-Day" on the map, and said he should read "all the school children down to the kindergarten" of the thyroid," for the past tense amount of iodine in one form or another — and as Chairman of Commerce letter says, most of the

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

THE IODINE SHORTAGE IN MICHIGAN CORRECTED BY IODIZED SALT

In the pamphlet "Instructions in Taking an Iodin Ration" (copy mailed on request if you provide stamped envelope bearing your address—a clipping will not suffice) I say:

In young persons a shortage of iodin is sometimes responsible for simple goitre. In various cities in Ohio, Michigan and other states as many as thirteen per cent of all the school children show some enlargement of the thyroid gland. In the Grand Rapids high school half of the pupils had goitre, and out of 12,421 school boys examined in Grand Rapids, 2,826 had goitre, and out of 14,648 girls 5,236 had goitre, many of these boys and girls less than ten years old.

The Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce in a recent secretary writes me that "one of our members has had considerable to this matter with our City Health Officer. He informs us that as the result of the addition of iodin to the salt supplied in your pamphlet we have found that for seven years past the incidence of goitre in Grand Rapids is insignificant. I am enclosing a blurb of the credit for this given to the Chamber of Commerce secretary. Therefore we believe it is not fair for you to give the reader of your pamphlet the impression that the condition exists today . . . we are not proud of that record."

There is an error in the passage quoted from the pamphlet, an obvious error. It reads: "all the school children down to the kindergarten of the thyroid," for the past tense amount of iodine in one form or another — and as Chairman of Commerce letter says, most of the credit for this is given to the widespread use of iodized salt.

If I had my way there would be no iodin in table salt! Said in this country, that is, for use as a condiment, for iodized salt would be sold. The infinitesimal amount of iodin (in the form of potassium iodide) in iodized salt may possibly suffice for some persons who use the latter, the ordinary amount of salt daily, but is probably less than would get in a helping of soup, canned salmon or dried codfish (or canned sea food), grain, dried, salt or canned sea fish or shell fish you (like), for there is only about 1½ grains of potassium iodide in a whole pound of iodized salt."

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

No Address

I never fail to read your articles, the fact I use them to instruct mothers of children in my class whenever the subject seems opportune. There's hardly a better outlet to teach us the same fatuable lesson for many years to come.

(M. J. D.)

Answer — Thank you. If you will give me your title and address I'll send you a lot of little lessons in child health, to help you in your teaching.

Hay Fever

Since I received your pamphlet on "The Calcium Shortage" about two years ago I have had two separate attacks of complete freedom from hay fever. I inclose 36 cents, with stamped envelope bearing my address, for a copy of "The Calcium Deficiency" (10 cts.) and "Hay Fever" (26 cts.). You have become an enthusiast and "many lives" have been reading your fine column for years.

(C. R. H.)

Answer — Calcium is the element most lacking in the deficient in the American dietary. A lot of people would enjoy better health and live longer if they assimilated and ingested more calcium.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

INFORMATION ROUNDUP

For the first time in 95 years Pennsylvania is represented in the U. S. Senate by two Democrats. They are Joseph F. Guffey, of Pittsburgh, and Francis J. Myers, of Philadelphia.

John Howard Payne, author of "Home, Sweet Home" was half Jewish.

Thomas Jefferson probably has been the most maligned president among the men who have been President of the United States.

Hannah Adams (1755-1831) is believed to have been the first woman in the United States to earn her living as a profession. Her "Dictionary of Religions" and "Summary History of New England" had wide success at first. But most of her books were carefully written compilations.

The first historian to attempt a comprehensive history of the United States was George Bancroft. His monumental work began to appear in 1834.

William Henry Harrison used to

Brides' Train Is Delayed

Cataraqui, Ont., Feb. 17 (CP)—Decalled attack on Canadian National Railways freight train two miles west of this eastern Ontario community early yesterday blocked traffic on the railway's main line and held up a train bringing war brides to Toronto.

The 20 cars of the westbound freight left the rails and also damaged the tracks used for east bound traffic, thus preventing any immediate re-routing of the brides train over the eastern tracks. It was expected that the line would be cleared in time for the brides train to arrive in Toronto early Friday afternoon.

COLUMNIST SUED

New York, Feb. 17 —(AP)— Drew Pearson, Washington columnist and news broadcaster, sued columnist Westbrook Pegler for $250,000 for a libel action filed in New York County district court.

The Bell Syndicate, Inc., distributor of Pearson's "Washington Merry-Go-Round" also asked $25,000, alleging that Mr. Pegler "maligned" Pearson's character and credits as a news reporter" in a syndicated column Jan. 30.

CAN BUILD ANY TYPE

Toronto, Feb. 17 —(CP)— The aircraft industry in Canada now is equipped to build airplanes of any type, size and construction for civil or military use, its president, R. B. C. Noordyn, of Montreal, told Canadian Air Transport Association, said in an address to the Toronto Board of Trade.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK By R. J. SCOTT



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Mildred Coleman, 47 Geddes Street, is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital.

Mr. J. B. Scott, 21 Victoria Avenue, recently received birthday greetings from his son, Warrant Officer Maxwell Scott, now in England with the armed forces.

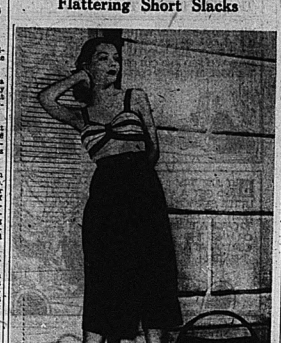
Mrs. James H. Dunley, or Point Anne, who is a patient in Belleville General Hospital, following an operation on Saturday, or last week, is progressing very favorably.

At a special convocation held in Convocation Hall, Toronto, on Feb. 16, Kenneth P. Clute, son of Arthur R. Clute, K.C., and grandson of the late Justice R. C. Clute, formerly of Belleville, received the degree of doctor of medicine, winning the Cody Gold Medal, the Chappell Prize in Clinical Medicine, and graduating with honors.

The condition of Mr. Fred Hewlett, of Ivanhoe, who recently underwent two serious operations in the Belleville General Hospital, is generally fair; it is stated by attending physicians today. Since his operations he has been under the care of special nurses and is expected to remain in hospital for three weeks. He entered the hospital on Monday.

On St. Valentine's evening, Mr. Carman Hittles of Millbrook, donated his sleigh to take the young people of Shannonville and Millbrook on a sleighride. After the long ride through the country the young people enjoyed a social time at the home of Mrs. Lorne Ueni. During the course of the evening Bingo and Progressive Euchre were played the winners being, Jack Bennett, Alfred Ueni, Ruth Reid, Evelyn Cook, Carmel Ueni. The consolation prize going to George Marlon.

Flattering Short Slacks



The short slacks are worn tails red from octopus black gabardine and are shown here with the top of the slacks and bra swim suit of bright cotton . Note beautiful, big beach bag.

By PRUNELLA WOOD

THIS below the knee length of these slacks offers a line which is just coming into acceptance although it has been kicking around for years. One wonders why the delay; for it's a line which flatters legs less than perfect; is cooler for beach wear; is one which won't stub the toe as long pants have been known to do.

WEDDINGS

CORNETT—SILLS

A pretty wedding of calla lilies, Easter lilies, iris and fern formed the setting in St. Andrew's Church, Brockston, Thursday, Feb. 15, at five p.m., for the marriage of Isobel Laura Sills of Kingston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sills, Tweed, and Dr. John William Dan Cornett, R.C.A.M.C., Kingston, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Cornett, Oshawa. The ceremony was performed by the groom's father.

The wedding music throughout the ceremony was played by Miss Jean Kenney with Miss Phyllis Smith, as soloist, singing "O Promise Me", during the signing of the register.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, looked charming in a gown in her gown of ivory slipper satin made with a long torso and a deep manchette yoke, and on her head a shirred calot from which fell a fingertip veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of Bettertime roses and freesia.

Miss Jean Sills, of Belleville, was her sister's maid of honor, dressed in chartreuse sheer fashioned with sweetheart neckline and long torso and wore a matching calot over shoulder veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of Talisman roses and freesia.

Mr. John Houck, M.A. Kingston, was groomsman for the occasion. The ushers were Dr. Barry Woods, R.C.A.M.C., and Dr. Ormond Murphy, R.C.A.M.C.

A reception was held at the La Salle hotel, where the bride's mother received in a gown of chocolate brown crepe, olive green accessories and wearing a corsage of Talisman roses. She was assisted by Mrs. Cornett, mother of the groom, wearing a navy blue sheer gown matching accessories and a corsage of Britaniffe roses.

For travelling the bride chose a stunning lime green wool dress, brown accessories and an American Opossum fur coat.

The bride and groom will take up residence in Hamilton.

UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S CLUB

The February meeting of the University Women's Club was held on Feb. 15, at the home of Mrs. J. G. Sparling, 44 Sherrell Street. Mrs. Arthur May introduced the discussion of Russia by giving a comprehensive list of authors and reading material on which the topics were based. Miss Panter reviewed Russian history and foreign policy for the year.

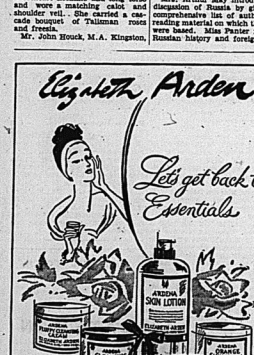
PRIZE CREATION



This ensemble, consisting of dinner shorts in black cordafaille, worn with a white crepe blouse, featuring a hand-painted Greek chariot rider print outlined in sequins, was awarded the second prize at the third annual American fashion critics' show at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York. The creation is by Tina Lesser, who received a silver plaque and $750 in war bonds.

In a very interesting manner, Miss Muriel Gibson sketched the Russian constitution, the Stalin-Trotsky controversy, the opposition and the attitude of the State towards the Church. Miss J. Tickell gave a very instructive account of Russia's domestic policy and described the socialization of agriculture in Russia. The timely subject matter was of great interest to the audience as was shown by the questions asked by the audience during the evening.

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Smooth with Ardena Velva Cream, 1.25 and 3.50 or Ardena Orange Skin Cream, 1.25 and 3.15

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It's About Time



IT'S ABOUT TIME to recover that worn comforter before storing it away. Consider this new way of quilting it. Quilt in circles about the size of a quarter. Have these circles about five inches apart.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

Announcing the Engagement

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

Next month I am going to announce my engagement, and I would be so grateful if you could answer some questions that are troubling me.

1. My fiance's family lives about a thousand miles from my home town, and since my parents have never met his parents, would it be correct for me to write and tell them about our engagement?

Also I am not sure several of my fiance's brothers and sisters. Should I write them about our engagement or should I leave this up to my fiance?

2. I am going to write informal announcements of our engagement. Would you please give me some idea as to how these notes should read?

3. Is it proper to present my fiance with a gift on this occasion?

S. A. N.

1. It is your fiance's delightful prerogative to tell his parents, his brothers and sisters, his relatives, and his friends the news of his engagement....and it would not be proper or fitting for me to take this privilege from him. As a matter of fact, your young man should inform his family and relatives long after you and he have talked over the engagement with your parents. For you, and not he, to tell them would certainly, I should think, make them "wonder" why their son hasn't confided in them this so-important news.

2. Your announcement notes might read something like this:

Dear Aunt Janet,

Of course I want you to be one of the first to know of my engagement to Tom Brooks! I remember when you met him when you were here, and I remember with pride that you liked him, so I know you'll approve of him. Naturally I think he's a "specimen" man, and I know we'll be extremely happy. I'll write you later when we've made plans for our wedding.

Mother and Dad are announcing our engagement on March seventh but I wanted to tell you news before then.

Dearest love if you from all of us ....including Tom.

Lovingly,

3. Yes indeed it is proper for you to give your fiance an engagement present. Although this may seem strange, an engaged girl may do this.

Dr. Nel Has the Word "Friend"

My cousin told me the other day that it is not proper to call one of persons you are introducing "my friend" is this true and if so, why?

Clara.

Your cousin is right. In an introduction it is proper to say "my fiance" or "my cousin", because this is a relationship. But to mention to one person you are introducing that the other person is your "friend" is to suggest either (1) that he or she is only a friend, and (2) that you imply that the relationship is not. If you want to speak of this friendship in the introduction, a gracious form is "Miss Foster, this is Miss Mary Wright. I am so glad to be able to bring two of my good friends of mine together at last."

Is the Twig Is Bent

There is no mistaking the courtesy of a child who has been brought up in an environment of courtesy. Happy the child, and happy those with whom he or she comes in contact.

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

Hair Dyeing and Bleaching

Hair dyeing and bleaching increases with every year. And every year there is less evidence of these preteckange treatments, because the work is done skillfully by those specialists who follow no other branch of the beauty industry. As if by magic the hair is transformed from brunette to blonde, from white to chestnut, from blonde to titian.

In an interview with an expert who has given the subject his undivided attention for nearly forty years, we gathered some interesting information to pass on to bobbyfrids again.

He says that few women realize that, when the hair turns grey, the complexion also undergoes changes. The cash customer usually insists that her white hair should be dyed the same shade it was when she was younger, which is far too at the roots. This idea is misleading, he claims, and so he proceeds to talk her out of it. The correct tint is found about six inches from the scalp, or midway the length of a fully grown hair shaft. Were he to follow her wishes, the result would be a thatch much too dark for her complexion.

He deplores the practice of women who trot into a drug store, select a dye from a color card that bears samples of dyed hair. It isn't that easy to make a selection. After all, we must realize by this time that it is best to seek professional help when we have decided we have used hair dye without expert advice have ruined troubles on their heads. These mistakes can sometimes be corrected, though many times they can't be. The victim of misguided judgment must grin and bear it, while the period of transition in which her hair is growing out, plays no natter introduced it.

Her information dwelt upon the troubles of the blonde whose golden hair has tarnished, become drab, or has taken on a brassy appearance too much ammonia perhaps, or overdone the bleaching actions, or the ends of her tresses—which become dry, take on a lighter shade than the growth close to the scalp. The result is a piebald head.

He mentioned the spiced henna pack which, he says, is a trade secret. Nevertheless, applied to snow white hair is likely to bring it carrot-red, chestnut, or even brown hair to auburn. By adding certain ingredients, the result is not darker, more of a mahogany color. What these spices are, he did not disclose. Whether or not this pre-treatment is more or less, is an experiment we leave.

The woman who has dabbled with the henna pack, made a help of her head, need not despair. In many cases, professional treatment can correct the condition.

Fashionable Conservation



Two-color Spring Coat. By VERA HOUSTON

NOT ONLY are two colors' better than one, according to many designers, but the same holds true of fabrics. Which is a nice idea, since it gives a new and interesting look to a coat, and helps to conserve precious woollens. So here is definite smartness. This coat uses orangey red woollen for back and sleeves, and back bengaline for the front. There is decorative frog trimming at the slit pockets and the belt, placed in front only, ties in a nice bow.

FRONT ROAD WAR WORKERS

The Front Road War Workers met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bell on February 14, with a large crowd in attendance. Euchre parties were, won as follows: Men's Clifford Reid; consolation, Jack Gordon; Ladies, Pearle Hoge; consolation, Verna Ackey; lone hand prize, Jack Gordon; door prize, Noble Brown. Collection amounted to $11.80. Tickets were sold amounting to $3.30 on a centrepiece donated by Lecia Bell which was won by Bill Baines.

Partners were taken for refreshments and Mrs. Harry Murphy having the 'lucky plate' had to tell a joke for which she received a Valentine prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown invited everyone to their home the following evening.

A social half hour was spent by all.

HIGH STLYE



In Paris on a furlough, this member of the Women's Army Corps gets a chance to model a new "Agnes" hat creation for spring. It is styled from rows and rows of baby lace, built up high on top of the head and set off with a large bouquet of flowers in gay colors. Pfc. Hat was modeling the show rooms on the Rue Faubourg St. Honore.

BRITISH GALS SEEK TO OUST WAR DRABNESS

Glamor, Not Austerity, Is Sought for 1945 Wardrobes but Labor Situation Creates Difficulties. . . .

By BARBARA WACE
(Associated Press Writer)

London, Feb. 16 (AP) — Glamor, not austerity. Color, not khaki. Frills and frou-frou, not plain practicality!

That is what the British woman wants for her 1945 wardrobe if she can get it. Often she can't. But like the lights of London, there's at least a dim-out instead of a black-out of femininity in England this year.

It had been hoped that the first model export collections could have been ready for this month. But July is the earliest expected, and that entirely dependent on circumstances. The labor situation, with the new call-up for the forces, created a labor situation. In the clothing trade more than ever before.

"And to tell you the truth," said Miss Lillian Hyder, secretary to the Incorporated Society of London Fashion Designers, "I have a hard time getting most of them to concentrate on fashion at all at the moment. Hardy Amies, Digby Morton and Victor Stiebel are all so tied up with their army work. Really fascinated by fashion—they won't pay attention to anything much else. And people like Hartnell and Molyneux are busy advising manufacturers on utility (government-controlled) clothing."

Most there's the first home-leave from the Western Front. Little Miss Jennifer Digby, grand child from Mayfair are "wearing" their coupons and searching for something that really looks like a party frock.

Smart Party Dresses.

"For the first time since the war I went to a Lord Londen party and all the women were in long dresses. Everything very smart too," Mrs. Reginald Fellowes, Paris-born, and often called "the best dressed woman in London" told me. "There was one lovely black model and several lame ones and the imported clothes worn by foreign diplomats' wives or women just back from the United States did not make the others look dowdy."

Girls with light purses are searching through the "utility" (utility spectator sports clothes for example) which won't pay all or most all their money out on something fluffy in tulle. "I'm doing nothing much to show them, only scrubbing at the tile," said a middle-aged assistant in a medium-priced store, pointing to a red afternoon dress in the window at about (1950) a time.

The local evening dresses which the shops are selling against their will are, on the whole, very seven coupons, like an afternoon dress, but use double the material, are full and feminine.

Though Britain will probably always like her self-natural tweeds, the swing to color will probably be felt a few months after the war' at any rate.

Anything will be popular with the dandelion yellow, which is the color she's been wearing for her uniform, and the Royal blue or navy. The only military color that seems to be the rage is the "Yankee pink" of American officers' dress pants, which is being made into spring suits and coats.

Library Corner

THE WAR IN BOOKS

Churchill, Winston. Onwards to Victory

The fourth volume of the Prime Minister's speeches covering the year 1944.

DeAguirre, L. J. Escape via Berlin.

An account of the experiences of the former Spanish consul of the Basques, escaping from Europe to the United States.

Gowen, Chas. China Takes Her Place.

The author of 400 Million Customers presents a picture of modern China.

Ehrenburg, Ilya. The Tempering of Russia.

"An eye witness account" of the early days of the war in Russia, by an outstanding Russian newspaper correspondent.

Halton, Mathew. Ten Years to Alamein.

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R.C.A.F. Overseas

The official record of the R.C.A.F. overseas the first four years of war. Illustrated with numerous photographs.

Shapiro, L. S. They Left the Back Door Open.

An account of the campaigns in Sicily and Italy by Maclean's accredited correspondent.

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Beauty Begins With the Baby



Little Marjorie Ann Meichle keeps her beauty routine on the movie set.

By HELEN FOLLETT

MOTHERS should point out the beauty road to little daughters. Pride in appearance can't start too early; it should be cultivated in the little girl who doesn't like to wash her hands, doesn't care if her frock is soiled, won't comb her hair. Black nails and finger nails are a menace to the health; germs lurk beneath the nail eaves.

Early Training

Early training has much to do with charm in adult years. Character is in the building in early childhood. The self-conscious little woman who sits forlornly at the edges of the party, never of it nor in it, may be the victim of a mother who didn't realize the need of teaching the child to be companionable, to adjust herself to her infantile social set. She kept little daughter too close to her.

Good appearance gives a child confidence, builds self respect. At the age of six or seven, a little girl should be able to bathe herself, keep hands and face clean, arrange her glorious hair, have the orange wood stick under her finger nails. She may, even at that age, rebel. She may even set that age, shampooed. The wise mother will make a play time of this necessary beauty rite.

How to Play.

Mothers who get along most happily with their young children are those who have not forgotten how to play; they sidestep unpleasant issues that sometimes arise between parent and child.

Little daughter must have regard for law and order in the house. If she doesn't hang up her outdoor clothes or her nightie, she may develop into an untidy young lady. What sort of a housekeeper she may be when she is married is anybody's guess. A slovenly woman has no charm, no matter how lovely she may appear to the eye.

No need of telling a mother that regular medical examinations are in order. That the child should eat a variety of food, drink plenty of milk for its calcium content that is necessary for the well-being of the teeth.

HOW TO COMBAT Rheumatic Pains

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CURLERS GATHER FOR ONT. SPIEL TO OPEN MONDAY

101 Out-of-Town Rinks Will Compete for Six Trophies Offered

Toronto, Feb. 17 — (CP) — First members of a contingent of more than 100 curlers expected flew over the weekend for the opening Monday of the 18th annual Ontario Bonspiel arrived today.

They represent 101 out-of-town rinks entered in the bonspiel, sponsored by the Ontario Curling Association.

This year's entry list is said to be the most representative in the history of the spiel, including 75 rinks from the United States, 12 from the Northern Ontario Curling Association, three from the Manitoba Curling Association and one from Quebec City.

There will be a total of 128 rinks participating in the bonspiel, including 27 from Toronto.

Detroit and London lead the out-of-towners in the number of entries with five rinks each. Chatham, Oshawa and Sarnia each have four, eight cities are represented each by three rinks and 31 have single entries.

Rinks will vie for six trophies, each of which carries 16 prizes. The chief trophies are the Royal York and the Birks-Ellis-Ryrie for which all rinks compete. The others — the Seagram, the North American Life, the Waterloo and The Association — are consolation trophies for which rinks eliminated in the opening rounds of the major trophy events are eligible. All rinks are assured a minimum of six games.

Play on Monday and Tuesday will be confined to the Royal York trophy and the two secondary events which go with it — the Seagram and Waterloo trophies. Competition for the Birks-Ellis-Ryrie trophy and its consolation events — the North American Life and the Association trophies — will get under way Wednesday.

FEDERAL-STATE GAME REFUGEES PROPOSED

Public Shooting Grounds Would Also Help to Save Game and Assist Farmers

Sacramento Calif., Feb. 17—(AP)—A pioneering experiment in federal - state joint refuges and public shooting grounds which may solve the conflict between hunters seeking ever scarcer game and farmers fighting to save their crops is awaiting only the go signal from the state legislature.

Prospects are good that the plan will be carried out, observers say, after Federal, Fish and Wildlife Service officials and state fish and game heads agreed that co-operation by both hunters and agriculturists will help solve the problem of both.

The federal service will govern the game refuges and the state the adjacent shooting sites under the plan.

The California plan is primarily for the benefit of duck hunters and the protection of grain farmers, mostly in the rice growing regions, but observers believe it can be applied to many kinds of game management.

Albert Day, assistant director of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, estimated ducks and other birds destroyed 100,000 bags of rice in Southern California alone. Crop damage in the Imperial Valley of Southern California was estimated at $1,000,000.

The plan devised in California, and which embodies only the action of the legislature in appropriating funds, is to acquire at least four sites with a minimum of 10,000 acres each in areas strategically located for farm protection.

DR. SCHACHT AFTER PEACE

New York, Feb. 17 — (CP) — The recurring rumor that Dr. Hjalmar Schacht was going to seek peace feelers in Germany's behalf was denied yesterday in a French press agency report which said he "is believed to be trying to establish contact with Soviet and Allied personages in an attempt to negotiate a German surrender."

PLENTY OF ORDNANCE LOST

Allied Supreme Headquarters, Feb. 17 —(Reuters)— More than $600,000,000 worth of ordnance equipment has been lost by United States troops in the Western Front campaign, but soldier technicians have reclaimed equipment worth twice times that amount, Maj.-Gen. H. B. Gaylor, chief of the Service of Operations Chief of Ordnance Officer, estimated.

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Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER
(Canadian Press Staff Writer.)

Toronto, Feb. 17 (CP)—From Vancouver comes warning of a threat to the Memorial Cup hopes of Toronto St. Michael's Majors. Johnny Clark has been coaching an all-star aggregation from Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo, that threatens even the strong Edmonton Canadians. And, adds Clark, the coasters are thinking seriously of entering the Dominion Junior series.

With three strong forward lines culled from Vancouver Arrows, New Westminster Cubs and Nanaimo Clippers—all in a blue-line section as a coach can ask for—and with Rollins in the nets, the B.C. hockey stars are feeling purty perky about their aces. Rollins performed with New York Rovers last year, while most of the other lads in the lineup are on N.H.L. team lists.

Edmonton Canadians' impressive victory string hasn't dampened the Aces' ardor either.

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Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

N.H.L. Unchanged
Saturday: Montreal 7 at Toronto; New York at Boston.
Sunday: Boston at New York; Montreal at Chicago; Toronto at Detroit.

A.H.L. Unchanged
Saturday: Indianapolis at Cleveland; St. Louis at Hershey; Providence at Pittsburgh.
Sunday: Cleveland at Buffalo; St. Louis at Providence; Pittsburgh at Indianapolis.

Eastern U. S. Amateur
Boston Olympics 6; Philadelphia Falcons 2.

O.H.A. Junior B
Glenco 5; Walford 2.
Best-of-three semi-finals series tied, 1-1).

Exhibition Jersey
St. Michael's Majors 7; Windsor Spitfires 1.

Edmonton Canadians 6; Seattle Ironmen 1).
Assignals 4 Pieton - Colchester League
St. Francis Xavier University 6; Pictou Redliers 5.
(St. Francis leads best-of-three series 1-0).
New Glasgow Bombers 3; Debert Army Seaforts 2.
(New Glasgow leads best-of-three semi-final series, 1-0).

Exhibition Senior
Winnipeg M.C.O.A. Bombers 6; Winnipeg M.M.C.S. Chippewa 1.
Mem. Jr. South Division Final
Winnipeg Monarchs 11; Winnipeg Rangers, 2.
(Monarchs lead best-of-five series 1-0).

Intercollegiate League
Cornwall 6; Valleyfield Flying 3.
Smiths Falls Sem. Semi-Finals
Regina Canadians 6; Notre Dame Hounds 5.
(Saskatchewan wins best-of-five series 3-2).

NEW TYPE OF U-BOAT

London, Feb. 17.—(Reuters)—The German transocean Agency claimed Thursday that U-boats equipped with a new device, the air snort, had been able to remain under water for more than 10 weeks without once surfacing. U-boats equipped with the new device have operated off Halifax, what the Germans termed the St. Lawrence Estuary, the coast of England and off Gibraltar, in both last few weeks, and are to be found also off Reykjavik, Iceland, and off Murmansk, the Agency said.

MAPLE LEAFS BEAT CANADIENS FOUR TIMES THIS YEAR

Nevertheless Habitants Are Away Out in Front in League Race

By The Canadian Press

As far as Toronto Maple Leafs are concerned, the stumbled power of Montreal Canadiens, runaway leaders of the National Hockey League, is just a bit of ballyhoo.

The records show that of five defeats suffered by the Canadiens this season, four have been at the hands of Toronto.

The Leafs will have an opportunity to prove their point tonight when the teams clash at Toronto. But victory or defeat for Montreal won't change the fact that Canadiens are miles in front of the league while Toronto is a distant, struggling third.

The game presents a host of other possibilities. Canadiens will be stirred for that record 19th win in succession this year. Probably the greatest intrigue will be centred on Montreal's starry Maurice (Rocket) Richard as the possibility he will notch his 44th goal of the season to set a modern N.H.L. record.

What's Doing in Sport

By The Canadian Press

The Irish Free State yesterday moved for the control over the turf when the Dail, in session at Dublin, endorsed a bill which would provide a racing board with authority to impose levies on bookmakers and to assist in improving the breeding of horses.

After a rest for an ailing back, Slats Gill, Sault Ste. Marie Greyhound, flashed to form with a six-furlong win in the opening round of the $2,000 Florida Derby mile and gold tournament yesterday. Two strokes off the estimable Harmony Grosse Point, Mich., and Ky Laffoon, Chicago.

President Frank Sargent of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association announced at Montreal last night that next two Quebec teams expressed the hope to fulfill Allan Cup playoff obligations in the west if they won the provincial championship. He said the clubs were Quebec Aces in the Quebec Senior Hockey League, and the Shawinigan Falls Cataracts in the Inter-Provincial Hockey League. Montreal Royals are also leading in the Q.S.H.L. standings, with Valleyfield Braves top the I.P.H.L. circuit.

Sgt. Harold Clements, Toronto-born steeplechase jockey who went overseas with the 30th United States infantry, is missing in Germany, the army reported wounded in action two months ago.

Sgt. Clements was riding in cross-country races on U. S. tracks when he enlisted in September, 1942. Last spring he rode at Woodbine race track here for the T. Mott stable of Fort Erie.

Recognized as lightweight champion by the National Boxing Association, Juan Zurita of Mexico yesterday signed to meet Willie Pastrano, Trenton, N.J., challenger, at Philadelphia sometime in March. He signed a deadline of Feb. 21 for the March 1 go. Zurita, a title bout or forfeit his rating.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.

New York, Feb. 17 — (AP)—The flip-flop Barry Macphail was observed in the Yankee clubhouse wearing civilian clothes, he signed his baseball contract with commissioner's duties should be divided into three parts, "a gate man, a guy and some magnates might claim it's all on Landis's part to start talking baseball with the business owner of a club . . . What Macphail has in mind, we're told, to mention is that the minor leagues already have undergone the appointment of a full-time promoter and director, such as he demanded, although they haven't named the man. He says that they'd probably prefer to do their own organizing than to have a deputy commissioner do it for them . . . Also that a major-minor committee has been working on a plan to see what appears to be a delicate problem of baseball management — high school baseball without giving the impression that the pros are staging a player-snatching campaign.

Shorts and Shells:

The football giants work on a year-by-year, territorial agreement to play in the Polo Grounds although Tim Mara has repeatedly asked for a long-term lease . . . Phil Terranova, who fights Willie Pep for the NY-NJ-Conn. featherweight title Monday, was a victim of a hit-and-run driver when he was a kid. And he claims he dislikes hit-run boxers just as much as motorists . . . James Whitcombe, a Scotch golfer, will play for the Brooklyn Dodgers football tomorrow. Too bad the basketball magnates can't use that trick.

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BABY DREDENGER

Woof, a five-year-old female pit bull terrier, shown here, is awaiting disposal by the police at Los Angeles, Calif., after killing her small mistress, 21-month-old Marjorie Dredenger. The dog, above, also shown. The dog slashed the child about the face and head and killed her almost instantly when one of the latter's large pierced the baby's skull. The baby, daughter of Staff Sergt. Charles Dredenger, attached to a medical unit at Camp Barclay, had tried to rub the dog's back after feeding her grandmother, who was paying "six bits" for a single seat. Without much ado the Air Force management sent Woof off to a hundred line-ups on the old Gresteiner and Pavlov circuits, giving public with programs indicating individual players' strengths and weaknesses by numbers. It would be an added service and now the teams are "in the big money series" such as Hens Kenyon and Doc Little and make a host of friends.

Then, there's another suggestion—this one by the Fire Marshals to refrain from smoking during games at the Hume Arena. After all it's only a 20-minute stretch between periods, and that shouldn't be too long to refrain from inhaling the weed.

Junior Round-Up.

That old saying — "stop Barney Lesperance and you stop Trenton" again rose from cause true in Stirling Thursday night when the Combines trounced 9-0. Stan Jackson's Trenton kids 4 to 4. Barney bagged but one goal, as he was being watched carefully by the stirling defence, they say. Incidentally, word from the Combines' camp indicate goalie McInroy was the star of the 9-4 and the pick of the corn with his sensational puck stopping at home Thursday night. However Trenton has a match edge in the third and final tussle at Trenton tonight. Starting Trenton on their home ice is quite a chore, especially when Stirling turned the trick one this season. Toots Holway announced today that in the event the Combines win over Trenton, Belleville will have the first and third home games here. The Belleville Junior O.H.A. playdowns, however, if Trenton wins tonight, the series will open in Trenton on Tuesday and Saturday instead of Friday night. We see by the Trenton press the series is on that town are sweet on referees Doc Little and Stan Holway who are handling the Stirling-Trenton clash.

Remember When . . .

Joe Louis knocked out Nate Brown in the fourth round of a return bout at Kansas City eight years ago tonight. In the first fight Nate stayed 10 rounds with the future champion before taking the decision. Louis became the second Negro heavyweight champion than six months after by knocking Jimmy Braddock out after eight rounds.

Did You Know . . .

Every one of the 61 runs scored off Corbett Ted Wilkes of the Cardinals last year was earned runs. They say one of the chief faults of Bobby Ruffin, who beat Canada Pete Greco in New York recently, is that he is inclined to get to his feet too fast after he has been knocked down just to prove that he is tough and hasn't been hurt . . . Plenty of fighters have the same failing these days, Joe Louis was one of them.

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CASUAL COMMENT
by K.J.C.

It Always Depends.

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How much does a bear bear?
Which way does a face face?
How old can a bee be?
How much can a hog hog?
How fast does a clock clock?
How clean will a brush brush?
How good can an ape ape?
How hard will a press press?
How hazy is a day day?
How long will a pump pump?
How well will a mate mate?
How salt will a lick lick?
How close does a watch watch?
How far can a spring spring?
How much, will a scoop scoop?
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Splendid Show.

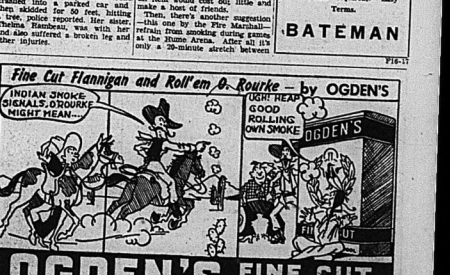
There was plenty of color and glamor at the Hume Arena last night when the Quinte Stars (Belleville) scored another hit in winter entertainment. Despite the fact that the ice achieved a slightly sticky stage, 2,500 appreciative fans saw a show that was a distinct credit to the local group. Highlights of the show were a spectacular pageant and a galaxy of youthful Canadian champions of the ice lanes whose flashing blades whirled in a synchronization and rhythm that was a delight to watch. Suzanne Mercier and Norris Bowden Canadian Junior champs; Roberta Winkler and petite Vi Vi Smith gave sterling performances and easily proved to be of top notch calibre. But, the local boys and girls did a right smart job of skating, too, and it was a good show and the congrats are in order to officials and members of the club.

Suggestion Box.

With increased crowds (and at increased prices in mind you) interest in the Quinte Stars and their local finals has reached a fever pitch and there's the call for the S.R.O. sign at the Hume Arena when the boys and girls take the ice for their second game of the home and home series against Monday night. However, the management of the teams should entertain some consideration for the patrons, who are fattening their coffers. Practically every fan checks their numbers, which makes it confusing for the referees and those who are paying "six bits" for a single seat. Without much ado the Air Force management sent Woof off to a hundred line-ups on the old Gresteiner and Pavlov circuits, giving public with programs indicating individual players' strengths and weaknesses by numbers. It would be an added service and now the teams are "in the big money series" such as Hens Kenyon and Doc Little and make a host of friends.

Then, there's another suggestion—this one by the Fire Marshals to refrain from smoking during games at the Hume Arena. After all it's only a 20-minute stretch between

Fine Cut Flannigan and Roll'em O. Rourke — by OGDEN'S



OGDEN'S FINE CUT
Easy to roll
delightful to smoke
"PIPE SMOKERS! ASK FOR OGDEN'S CUT PLUG."

Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 609
By SAM GORDON
The Khibitzer

Here is a list of opening bids and their responses. All in a couple mouthfuls. Flash it to anyone any bid you make. If anybody gives you an argument, tellem to go stew a rutabaga.

One it suit shows five tricks, four high cards, two sure tricks, bid-dable suits. One no-trump shows five high cards, two sure tricks. Responses: With less than three tricks, pass; otherwise, follow T-A-N.

Two in a suit shows nine tricks. Responses: With no sure trick, bid two no-trump; with a sure trick, follow T-A-N (takeout, assist, no-trump).

Two no-trump shows seven or eight high cards. Responses: With no high card, pass; otherwise follow T-A-N.

Three no-trump shows nine high cards. Responses: With not more than one high card, pass; otherwise, invite a slam.

Three in a minor shows a seven card solid suit and nothing else. Responses: With a stopper in the three other suits, bid three no-trump; with not more than two losers, bid game in that suit; otherwise, pass.

Three in a major or four in a minor shows a long-strong seven card or longer suit and one sure outside trick. Responses: Without two sure tricks, bid game in that suit; with two sure tricks, invite slam.

Four in a major or five in a minor shows a long suit and nothing else. Responses: With less than three sure tricks, pass.

Whenever you get a hand and it is your opening bid, fit it to one of these opening bids. You will find there a bid that will match any one o the 635,013,559,600 hands you are likely to get.

Whenever you get a hand and your partner has opened the bidding, bitch it to one of these responses. You will find there a response to suit the occasion.

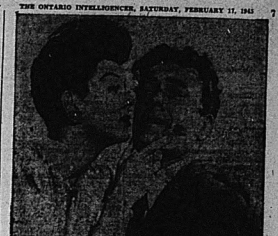
Open this hand with a bid of one heart:

♠ A 5
♥ A Q J 5 2
♦ K 4
♣ J 9 4

To hear the bigshots tell it, you would first be confused.

AT THE BELLE — Ronald Colman as the beggar magician, Hafiz, plans for his daughter, Jo Ann Fage, to marry royalty, but the girl loves only the handsome young man she believes to be the palace gardener, played by James Craig. A scene from the new Metro-Goldwyn Mayer film, "Kismet," produced in Technicolor, at the Belle.

AT THE McCARTHY — Nina Foch gives Warner Baxter an exciting clue in Columbia's third "Crime Doctor" picture, "Shadows in the Night," now playing at the McCarthy. Second feature co-stars Richard Arlen and Ellen Drew in "That's My Baby."



AT THE CAPITOL — Her brand's on him—as Rosalind Russell, who co-stars with Brian Aherne in the sprightly comedy, "What a Woman!" starting Sunday midnight, at the Capitol Theatre, looks into Willard Parker's eyes, he knows he's doomed even without the lipstick brand on his cheek. On the same program "Faces in the Fog," starring Jane Withers.

In Manhattan

By MICHAEL O'MARA
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

New York Feb. 17 (CP)—A series of second-class stowaways is acting any great display or originality or play-writing skill, but apart from immediate oolivion by occasional publicity acting—have popped up along Broadway in recent nights.

Most reminiscent of these, perhaps in "The Stranger" a melodrama based on the hackneyed story of Jack the Ripper, an unpleasant character who wandered about London last week in the 1890's dismembering and disembowelling women.

The play has little to recommend it, beyond an amusing and sometimes ill-natured performance by Edward Franz in the role of the suspected killer.

Another bedraggled theme comes in for none-too-sound rehashing in "One-Man Show," starring Constance Cummings. The theme is that of an irregular parent-child relationship—in this case between a daughter (Miss Cummings) and her father (Frank Conroy).

Miss Cummings is good enough as the cocktail girl, and Mr. Conroy excellent as a factotum in between almost-subconscious desires to have the strings bond and to maintain it.

None of this is particularly convincing, however. The play drags along with a great deal of tiresome talk, never achieving tension or sympathy for its characters. Only a mild notoriety which it has already has gained will keep it open long.

Pratchett Tone has made a return to the New York stage from Hollywood, to costar with Jane Wyatt in "Kiss Me For the Last."

Hammers away at the theme that democracy must start at home and that no apathy to public affairs is the part of any private citizen is excusable.

Ameliasburg

Ameliasburg Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Potts a family were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Ferguson on Wednesday.

A large number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sohle on Monday evening in honor of Cpl. Allan Sohle who recently arrived home from overseas. He was presented with a lovely fountain pen and pencil set and a purse of money.

Miss Marie Hinkestser spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Sagar entertained a number of young people at the tea hour on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Chase of Consecon, Mrs. V. L. Taft and Mrs E. T. Cassen were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Stinson on Tuesday.

St. Alban's Guild held a pot luck dinner and quilting at the home of Mrs. Fleming on Thursday.

The Young People's Society held a social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sohle on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cannons spent Tuesday in Belleville.

Miss Mary Kleinstehber spent the tea hour with Miss Marie Lott on Monday.

Queensboro

Queensboro — Mr. and Mrs. John Fleming, Foxboro, spent an evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Thompson.

Miss Laura Sexsmith is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sexsmith, Madoc.

The United Church W. A. held a pot luck dinner and quilting at the home of Mrs. James Housborn on Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and family also Mr. James Moore spent Tuesday in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Groves spent a few days last week in Toronto.

Mrs. Allan Thompson is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fleming, Foxboro.

Miss Bernice Sager, Actinolite, spent the weekend at her home.

Mrs. Fred Rollins spent a few days last week with relatives at Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Charles Thompson and Miss Hazel Thompson, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Shangraw of Yarker spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Franklin.

Miss Helen Genereaux, Belleville, was a weekend guest of Miss Jane.

Mrs. Jerome Chappelle returned on Sunday after spending some time in Belleville with her sister, Mrs. Joe Wilson.

Carl Clemens, Deloro, spent last week with his aunt, Mrs. Ralph Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Anderson and family, Bonarlaw, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson.

Mr. Ed. Sexsmith, Miss Laura Sexsmith and Miss Dorothy Leslie, Madoc, were in the village on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Irwin, Cooper, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ella Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whalen, Belleville, were guests of Mrs. Alex. Lawson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whalen, Belleville, were guests of Mrs. Alex. Lawson.

Miss Wilma Sallern, Peterboro, spent the weekend with Miss Betty Franklin.

Rev. W. J. Robinson, Tweed, was a glimpse guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Masters on Sunday.

OPERATING IN BAY OF DANZIG

Moscow, Feb. 17 (AP)—Red fleet unit yesterday the bulk of the German navy was operating in the Bay of Danzig with eastward along the Baltic coast in search of encircled German army forces. "As might have been expected," a Tymashuk declared in the Naval Review, "reports about the withdrawal of the German fleet to Danzig have proved greatly exaggerated."

UP FRONT



Marienne Dietrich, motion picture star, washes her hands in melted snow in a helmet, during a visit to an artillery observating air sight near Malmedy, Belgium, to entertain the soldiers. She has been entertaining American troops at various overseas posts for over nine months.

Marmora Soldier Acting as Sniper Bags Two Jerries

(By Staff Writer, The Maple Leaf) Somewhere in Italy — There are a couple of Jerries on the other side of the Sente who are either dead or wounded because someone forgot to tell them that the Canadians, too, have snipers.

But it's Pte. R. Nobes' private contention, that the Jerries were fresh troops. "I guess they won't be getting fresh now are," he added.

Nobes, who comes from Marmora, Ont., and is known as "Rambler" around the Hastings area, Prince Edward Regiment where he's one of their snipers, said he got a tip on what was going on in front of his regiment's position along the Sente while out on patrol one night.

"I just heard the Jerries digging slit trenches and driving in stakes as though they were putting in wire," he added. "So the next day, along with Pte. J. E. Brown, Picton, Ont., I crept up to within 100 yards of the dyke and took up our positions outside a shed."

Nobes pauses over and there, "as though they were on a tourist trip," were two Germans mooching around quite unconcernedly.

"Zhat vas a good shot," one of them said.

"Yes, they just wore steel helmets."

It was miserably wet out at this time and, though it was poor shooting weather, Brown brought his rifle to his shoulder, took aim and fired.

"He caught one of them right between the zippers," said Nobes expressively.

The two Canadians then "took the belt out of the Jerries" according to Nobes, and went back down to a nearby house, after waiting for about two and a half hours, they saw, to their amazement, another Jerry appear in exactly the same place where the other two had been.

"I took quick aim," said Nobes, "and caught him somewhere around the body. He dropped like a log, though we waited around for a while no more appeared." He laughed, "I guess they finally got the idea."

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press.)

New York — Danny Martfield, 138, New York, outpointed Rumpin Salas, Mexico City, 10; Willie de Zavala, 134 3-4, Mexico (10); Jerry Fiorello, 155 1-4, Brooklyn, outpointed Ernie Forte, 146 1-4, Providence, R.I. (8).

Boston—Reedy Evans, 162, Chicago, knocked out Perdeau Smith, 159, Sidney Mines, N.S. (6); Jimmy Mulligan, 171, Lowell, Mass., spot Al Mitchell, 184, Buffalo, N.Y., (1).

Worchester, Mass—Al (Bummy) Davis, 151 1-2, New York, knocked out Roger Marquette, 150, Montreal (1).

Philadelphia—Lou Alter, 122, Montreal, was awarded decision over Earl Trader, 127, Wilmington, Del. (4) (Trader disqualified for foul tactics).

Detroit — Marie Shapiro, 134, New York, outpointed Baby Garcia, 122 1-2, Philadelphia (10); Patsy Zoccano, 126, Toronto, outpointed Chief Red Cloud, 146, Detroit (4).

Tampa, Fla.—Marcel Pournier, 128, Montreal, and Steven Morales, 130, Tampa, drew (10).

Holly wood and HERE

By HYE BOSSIN

Humphrey Bogart, starring in "To Have and Have Not," definitely, and with fervor does not approve of the hubby worship we're for inspiriting a gooey kiss as the first page of their fan mail testifies.

Bogart got one of the greasy smudges recently and the stuff got all over his hands.

He said, "Ghhh!"

He also said a lot of other things — period.

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Gracie McDonald, who plays one of the leading feminine roles in "Sin and Redemption," the "Big Lawyer," is buying furniture and just leaving it in the store, just in case she finds a house in Santa Barbara where she's moved to by next summer. Marine Lieutenant Ralph Green, Lon Chaney, who got out of his mummy outfit to be a Marine, Lieutenant Ralph Green, Lon Chaney, who got out of his mummy outfit to be a Marine, Marine

"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 29

Dunne pulled him back into the chair. He argued with him for two hours. But the sole concession made by Fordyce was to turn over the contract with Livia to the studio. She was to receive $50 a week. He asked for more, but Dunne said "No."

"For heaven's sake, Fordyce. She is worth more than that. She's a big chance on her."

In telling Livia most of what had happened, Charles said, "I must have softening of the brain."

"It just isn't true," Livia repeated, "why should you do this for me—after last night?"

He smiled. "If the picture's a success, will you marry me then?"

"Is that a condition?"

"Lord, no. Look—I'm not a bad sort of guy."

"I know—but in Hollywood everything has its price tag!"

"Forget what I said. I was joking."

"Was he joking? Livia didn't know, but was content to leave it at that.

She left him early and went to Bruce's bungalow with a wonderful news. He, too, had some news.

"I'm to be sitting business again." Bruce said quietly when Livia had removed her hat and coat.

"I'm glad."

Ivarinet, tit!

"You're glad! Say, I can put in a word for you with my new boss-ett. Look, I've had yet told him about the future, "Honoria Lewis".

A smiled parted her lips.

"You're prettier than ever", he touched her flaming hair softly and pulled her down on the settee. She lifted the hair away from her face and lay back in his arms. It was good to be with Bruce again.

"What does Sashie—say—about your stunt job?" she asked mischievously.

"Let's make a pact", he said, "I won't mention the name of Charles Fordyce—if you won't speak about Sashie." She shifted uneasily.

"Is 'Honoria Lewis' sad, he's directing it", Bruce released her and stood up.

"That's interesting," he said finally, "I'm doubling for your leading man—my new job as director, then tell you".

"I'm sure, wonderful!" she rose and flung her arms around his neck. He kissed eager at one and then put her from him.

"Be sure. But from now on—be grinned—It's every man for himself".

"And every woman", said Livia coming close to him.

He kissed her again. This was what she wanted—this was what any woman wanted—a man for all eternity.

"I wish we were married", she said pensively.

"If it weren't for the picture!"

"Yes."

He wanted to say, "If the picture fails will you marry me?" But that was not how he wanted she. She had to come to him, without any conditions. She still had a lot to learn. She still had to find the key to what was good and what was false. The picture would prove the stuff of which she was made. It would be interesting to see how she came through—if she came through.

"Come on—I'll take you home", Bruce perched her hat atop her locks. She did not want to go.

"Still all or nothing, Bruce? I'm not guess at it".

"You're the most difficult man to break down—" He grinned, "Come on Cinderella, it's 12 o'clock." Only the night before Charles hailed her Cinderella. The word troubled her. Was she a Cinderella? Was everything to vanish at 12? She clung to Bruce.

He kissed her gently and took her outside to his car.

Yera and her husband, George, left for Marion, leaving their baby with Livia, that complicated matters somewhat, according to the portly head of Metropolitan Pictures. Being a star had several complications.

"The baby looks like you", he grumbled when Livia showed him a picture of the smiling youngster. "And you can't live alone", he informed her firmly.

Charles was shooting exterior scenes in the Florida Keys. Bruce and the technical staff were with him. They would be gone three weeks. And with Yera and George away, Livia was lonely. But there was much to do before she started the film, and publicity boss Samuels planned to use the interval relentlessly.

"You can't live alone," Samuels repeated, "I've know of an older woman to live with you?"

"I'd sooner live alone," said Livia obstinately. He sighed impatiently.

"No". Until an actress made a hit in pictures, she could be kicked around by the publicity department, Livia knew this. She thought of complaining to Fordyce when he next called. But no—she must follow the rules of the game. Later, you could say, "I will live alone", and dress in slacks and wear no make-up in public. But while you were on the down end of the ilm you had to be careful to jump with the machine.

"Honestly only one woman I know". Livia said hesitantly, "Mrs. Sayles—she runs the Hollywood Settlement House".

"Swell", he said, "From now on you're her niece".

"Perhaps she won't want to come?"

"We'll take care of that".

Samuels rented a small house in Beverly Hills for Livia and her new guardian. The rent was $350 a month.

"I can't afford it", Livia told him. She revealed the financial disaster when she had tried to buy her way to Hollywood stardom.

"The studio pays for it—until your option is renewed", Samuels said in a bored voice.

The house was on two floors. It had a large white living-room with white and green covered furniture. There was a large fireplace at one end and a big white piano at the other. A small dining-room adjoined the large kitchen. Upstairs were three bedrooms and two bathrooms. The garden had been made into a swimming pool by the last occupant. But there was room for a thin border of flowers. The large patio had white garden chairs and comfortable green and yellow padded chairs.

"Okay?" Samuels asked Livia perfunctorily. They were standing in her bedroom. Lemon and green drapes, a thick green carpet, and a wide low bed with a deep yellow cover.

"Okay", she laughed. And Mrs. Sayles echoed the laugh, "Just try to get me to the studio".

Producer Dunne and his satellites decided that Livia's red-gold hair must be touched up for the Technicolor film.

"No", protested Livia sharply.

"Yes", said Mr. Dunne. She wept, when her hair was dyed a carrotlike color.

Livia had always considered her figure good. It was round and soft without being heavy. But the sharp eyes of Fordyce saw ten pounds in her weight of 118 pounds. And he had to remove the ten pounds for "Honoria Lewis." Mrs. Sayles had strict instructions about what Livia could and could not eat. It was liked candy and ice cream. They were taboo. She liked butter on her bread and sugar and cream in her coffee. They were all forbidden.

"I'll diet with you," giggled Mrs. Sayles. "I could stand losing a few pounds and it'll make it easier for you."

Livia lost five pounds at the end of the first week. And she began to feel irritable and tired. All day long she fitted for the exotic 1860 wardrobe she would wear in the picture. The dresses were heavy and hour after hour a corps of dressmakers snipped and pinned and basted material. A sculptor was hired to model her figure. A well-known painter sat on canvas.

"But not a word about her in the papers until I give the signal," Fordyce told Samuels before leaving for location.

"It's hard enough having an unknown girl on our hands—but if we don't give her any publicity, how are we to sell the picture?"

"There'll be plenty all right," Fordyce promised, "the day before the picture starts." Nothing could go wrong, but he wanted to make sure he was there when the ballyhoo began.

Her name, Clarkson, was to be changed. And when Livia protested, she was told: "Mr. Fordyce's orders."

Six possibilities were submitted to her. She emerged as Livia Moore.

Regularly she sent $50 a week to Henry Davidson for transmission to Earl Dixon, who wondered what Dixon would say when he heard of the good luck. Would he be glad, or would he want more money from Livia?

In a few days Charisti would receive it, and the picture began. This was her big chance and she must make opportunity excited and depressed her by turns. Mr. Fay called this time, it was the end. It you succeeded, you were a star of first magnitude. If you failed, you were finished.

Samuels looked as Livia critically one morning, seeing the dark circles beneath her eyes.

"Night-clubbing?" he asked.

"Oh, no!"

"You look tired—what's up?"

"I'm worrying about the picture," Livia said apologetically. Samuels cancelled her wardrobe and "still" gallery appointments for the day.

"Go to the beach with Mrs. Sayles and don't worry about anything."

He gave them a studio car and a hamper of food from the studio commissary and a huge umbrella.

"For the freckles," he warned her, "the picture is costing us two million dollars."Big promised to sit under the umbrella.

"There is a lady," said Mrs. Sayles suddenly. They had halted at a stop signal, and Eve leaned out of the window and pointed to a dark green car that was third in the row behind them. Livia glanced through the back window. "Anything wrong?" she asked Mrs. Sayles.

"No—but it's followed us ever since we left the house."

"A lot of people are going to the beach," Livia said carelessly, "it's a nice day."

"I suppose so." But Mrs. Sayles continued to look back at the car until they arrived at the beach. And always it was two or three cars behind them.

"Look, it's stopped, too," she said excitedly when they had exited from their car. Livia glanced casually in the direction of Mrs. Sayles' finger. There were three men in the car. Their faces were faintly familiar. Where had she seen them? There were so many families faces in Hollywood. Once Livia had walked up to a famous star and said "Hello!" before realizing that she did not know her except on the screen.

Then it came early in Southern California, at 5 o'clock they folded the cloth over the top of the picnic basket, and returned to Beverly Hills. The green car followed. Livia caught a last glimpse of the three men inside, and suddenly remembered where she had seen one of them. He had the cranium of an ape. He was the man who had terrified her in the mysterious Beverly Hills house. And now she remembered he was among the men who had stopped Terry that day outside the studio. But why was he following her? She was paying the bills—it was all arranged with Terry. What did they want now?

Livia walked briskly to the green car, but it backed into a side street and was gone before she could get there.

She returned slowly to her house and called Terry at the switchboard operator said:

"He left town three weeks ago, and if you know where he is, we'd like his address. He skipped without pay the last week."

Livia put the receiver down and shrugged her shoulders. There was no point in worrying about Terry those months ago. But, if Terry was gone, she must find out who Earl Dixon was and send him the money direct.

Bruce Nolan, who was a stuntman again, came from location on a day sooner than expected.

"What have they done to your hair?" he demanded when he saw her.

"Sacrificed to my art," she said. "A lot of things have to be sacrificed."

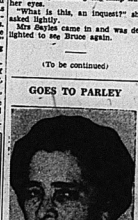
"You're telling me. But it's too bad about your hair. And you look pale and worried." Bruce stood her back to lamp and searched her face. She covered it swiftly with her hands and pretending the lamp hurt her eyes.

"What is this, an inquest?" she asked lightly.

Mrs. Sayles came in and was delighted to see Bruce again.

(To be continued)

GOES TO PARLEY



Dean Virginia C. Gildersleeve, of New York's Barnard College, who will be the only U. S. woman member to the full United Nations Conference scheduled to start in San Francisco on April 30th.

RADIO PROGRAMS

SATURDAY, FEB. 17

—6.00 p.m.
WGR, WBEN—News; Sports.
—6.15 p.m.
CBL—CBC News.
CJBC—Broadway Bandwagon.
—6.30 p.m.
CBL—Curtain Echoes.
CKOC—Dinner Date
—6.45 p.m.
CBL—SBC News.
—7.00 p.m.
WBEN—Great Gildersleeve
WKBW-CBS—Mayor of the Town
CFRB—Yes McGillicuddy.
—7.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—The Saint
CFRB—Double or Nothing
WKBW-CBS—America In the
WGR-Blue—Meet Your Navy.
—8.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Gaslight Galties
CJBC—Two-Piano Team
WGR—Early American Dance
WKBW-CBS—Danny Kaye Show
—8.30 p.m.
CJBC—Boston Symphony
CFRB—Take a Chance
CBL-CKOC—Share the Wealth
WBEN—Truth or Consequences
WKBW-CBS—F.B.I. Drama
—9.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Barn Dance
WJR-WKBW-CBS—Hit Parade
—9.45 p.m.
CFRB-CBL—N.H.L. Hockey
—10.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Can You Top This?
CJBC-NBC—Barn Dance
WGR-Blue—Dale Carnegie
—10.45 p.m.
CFRB—Saturday Serenade
—10.90 p.m.
WKBW-WGY—Party
—10.15 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Al Pearce Show
—10.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Grand Old Opry
CKOC—Ramblers Dance Orchestra
WGR-Blue—The Man Called X
CFRB—Paul Pitman Orchestra
—11.00 p.m.
CFRB—News. 11.10—Major Elliott
CBL—SBC Newsreel
WBEN—News
CKEY—News; Mickey Lester
—11.15 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—George Olson Orch.
CBL—British Tommy

SUNDAY, FEB. 18

—6.00 p.m.
CJBC-B—Paul Whiteman Show
CFRB-CKOC—Oasis and Harriett
—6.30 p.m.
CFRB—Green Hornet
WKBW-CBS—Radio Bible Class
CBL—Vancouver Symphony
—7.00 p.m.
CJBC—Cleveland Symphony
WBEN-NBC—Jack Benny
WGR-CBS—Kate Smith Hour
—7.30 p.m.
CBL—"Lorky"
CHEY, WBEN-NBC—Bandwagon
—8.00 p.m.
CBL, CKOC-NBC—Bergen-Mc Carthy
CFRB—Transatlantic Call
WGR-CBS—Blondie
8.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—One Man's Family
CJBC—Peabody Diary
CBL—Weekend Review
WJR, WGR—The Crime Doctor
—9.00 p.m.
CKOC—Dr. I. Q. Salmon
—9.30 p.m.
CFRB, WGR, WJR—Radio Digest
CBL—Stage 45
WBEN, WGY-N—Merry-Go-Round
—9.30 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—The Album of Music
CKEY—Frank Bogart, piano
WGR, CFRB—Star Theatre
—10.00 p.m.
CBL—CBC National News
CFRB—Hermits Cave
WBEN, WGR—Hour of Charm
WGR-B—Life of Riley
—10.10 p.m.
CHML—Hockey
—10.15 p.m.
CBL—L. W. Brockington
—10.30 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—Bach Cantatas
WBEN-WKBW-CBS—Harold Lloyd Show
WKBW-CBS—We, the People
—11.00 p.m.
CBL—SBC Newsreel
WBEN—News
—11.15 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Vera Brodsky
—11.30 p.m.
CFRB—Hal McIntyre Orchestra

RADIO DIRECTORY

CKWS — Kingston	960
CBL — Toronto	740
CBY — Toronto	1010
CKCO — Hamilton	1150
CFRB — Toronto	860
CBO — Ottawa	580
CKOC — Hamilton	1150
CHML — Hamilton	900
CBM — Montreal	940
CFCF — Montreal	600
UNITED STATES STATIONS	
KDKA — Pittsburg	1020
WJZ — New York	770
WBEN — Buffalo	930
WHAM — Rochester	1150
WGY — Schenectady	790
WENR — Chicago	890
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AWARDED GOLD SEAL

Toronto, Feb. 17 (CP)—Barr Old Style, Imp., an Ayrshire cow owned by the Ontario Agriculture college, Guelph, Ont., has been awarded the 100,000-pound gold seal certificate for meritorious production of milk from the Canadian Ayrshire Breeders' Association, it was announced at the annual meeting of the association here.

THEIR WIVES KNEW

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 17 (AP)—Special investigator Waller Downs, Jr., combing Evansville without finding a Miss Ruth Elder, retires to an estate in Scotland, returned home and mentioned his failure to his wife. "Why!" Mrs. Downs exclaimed. "That's my cousin. Her name is Mrs. Fletcher Denton now!" The detective's wife also knew the correct address.

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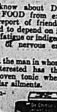
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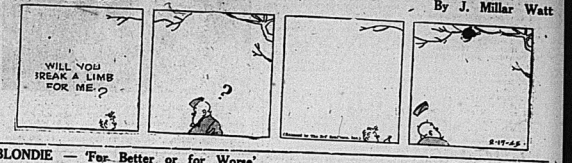
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Ottawa, Feb. 17 — (CP) — The crew of the Canadian corvette Mimico was at sea at Christmas but they fulfilled a promise and staged a belated Yuletide party at their latest English port or call recently for the occasion. The crew raised more than $200 for the party and augmented the goodies with articles and candy from Christmas packages from home.

SENT FOR REVIEW

Jersey City, N.J., Feb. 17 —(AP) Results of coroner Frank Sinatra's medical re-examination were sent to Washington for review by top military officers, it was W. W. Caldwell, chairman of his local draft board, said Thursday.

TWO BOMBS EXPLODE

Lisbon, Feb. 17 —(AP)— Two bombs exploded at the headquarters of the Falange in Madrid Thursday night, blowing a hole in the side of the building but no one was reported injured. The explosion was heard throughout the city.

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Toronto, Feb. 17 — (CP) — Dr. R. P. Vivian, Minister of Health for Ontario, said in an address at a special convocation at the University of Toronto yesterday that there was a need for more trained men and women in the field of public health.

MRS. OAKIE DIVORCED

Los Angeles, Feb. 17 — (AP) — Mrs. Venita Oakie was granted a divorce yesterday from screen comedian Jack Oakie after testifying tearfully that she endeavored repeatedly to make a success of their marriage.

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Mobile Laundries Great Boon To Airmen in Field

A forward R.C.A.F. Airfield in Holland — No longer need members of mobile Canadian units in the Tactical Air Force barge their clothes, soap and cigarette rations for laundry work, or scrub their shirts and socks in their steel helmets.

Instead they are the eager customers of four new laundries, located at four airfields in Holland and France, now operating field service de luxe for 8,000 temporary residents. Each unit, packed weighing 20 tons and encompassed within a box-car trailer, are operated by civilian crews of 12 specially-trained N.C.O.'s acting as shift-bosses.

Supervising their installation and operation is Flying Officer R. J. Kenaga, Ottawa, a textile and laundry research worker with the National Research council, on loan to the R.C.A.F. For the past 10 years Mr. Kenaga has been engaged in studying chemical and industrial problems allied to clothing.

"Although these units were designed primarily to provide adequate, clean linen for soldiers in the field — no consideration was given to pressing — airforce field units have been equipped with a full range of pressing irons, which operate from the generator. This permits the pressing of shirt-collars and cuffs," he observed.

Washes and Dries

Each imposing, but remarkably compact machine has not only washers, but dries everything from blankets to sparkle-wipers — an important consideration in Holland where a damp cloth stays that way for days. "If there's no sunshine we have plenty of heat — more steam," said the grinning airmen operating the dryer. It consisted of two cylindrical tubes, with a steam coil providing heat at the top, and a fan drawing it to the bottom—drying 60 pounds of clothing in a quarter of an hour.

The entire laundry unit opened at the sides, like the caravan of the old-time fairground showman. Inside was a complete electrical power generator to supply nearly a dozen motors operating washers, and lights. A big tent could be set up, occupied one-end of the van. It too, is a workshop, for it represents what is probably the most economical way to heat water ever put on wheels.

Economize on Heat.

A self-contained, oil-fed boiler heats water for use in the washers and pressing irons. Not only does the boiler, but the exhaust gases from the engine motor of the generator are piped through the water tank to preheat the water. As if this did not represent economy, even the heat from the dirty water is reclaimed, by circulating used water in pipes past the fresh water as it is being drained.

Accessories to the unit include hoses and connections to permit filtering and using water of doubtful purity, and attaching marquees to provide work-rooms in which bundles are tagged, sorted and numbered. If the dog-tag system appears the wish, local women can be provided with tables to mend, darn and replace buttons.

As may be imagined the problem of handling more than 200 bundles of laundry each day as well as quantities of blankets could develop into a confusion of unidentified shirts and mismated socks, but for the tagging department. The method is ingenious, and almost foolproof. Numbered sets of safety-pins are used, tieing away with markers, numbering machines and inks are used, extracting from the mobility of a service which must be ready to pull up airfield rolling along right behind the front-liner.

Proud of Work.

The airmen operating the mobile laundries joined the units in Canada, probably for no other reason than to get overseas, but now they are immensely proud of their work. "They've all got something in the morning and last thing at night fitting this unit and that and putting lights and lines up," observed the supervisor.

He added: "These men feel they are maintaining a high standard of cleanliness and nothing gives a man a lift as much as being able to put on a clean shirt and clean underwear. Yes, they feel that in a measure they are helping by keep these Typhoons flying by helping the men who fly them."

Township School Areas Increased From 15 to 248

Toronto, Feb. 17 (CP) — Since 1936 the number of township school areas in Ontario has been raised from 15 to 248, Dr. Duncan Sinclair, organization of 1,423 school sections, Dr. A. D. Kitchener, chief director of education for the province, said.

Almost a quarter of the province's 5,747 school sections have now been established on this basis and "the accelerated swing to this system shows its advantages are becoming apparent to municipalities," Dr. Kitchener added.

Sixty-one of the larger units were organized in Ontario last year, largest increase in any single year. Under the system, any portion of a township may be set aside for high school area and is administered by a board of trustees.

Benefits claimed are equalization of school opportunities for rural pupils, more equitable distribution of school costs, saving in the purchase of school sites, improved administration and supervision.

At Saskatoon, James A. Cuddy told the annual convention of the Saskatchewan School Trustees' Association that in establishing larger school units, Saskatchewan is benefiting the type of school administration which is the pride of the whole of Canada. The President of the Saskatchewan Trustees' Association said that adoption or rejection of the large unit plan in Manitoba would depend largely on its success in Saskatchewan.

Britain Moves To Ban Billboards

By JOHN DAUPHINEE
(Canadian Press Staff Writer.)

London, Feb. 17 (CP)—Ugly billboard advertising may be banished from Britain in a government move to conserve that a countryside improved by post-war replanning and reconstruction is not marred by unsightly commercialism.

Lord Woolton, Reconstruction Minister, urged in the House of Lords that advertisers get together and themselves agree on action or should be taken.

"If their proposals are insufficient I should be a party to resorting to further legislation which might could not promise legislation in this parliament (a general election is expected this year) but he said legislate was not being made of existing regulations for restricting outdoor advertising.

Two measures have been on the statute books for some years. In 1925 the advertisement regulations act was passed to protect landscapes and urban sites of special importance.

In 1932 the town and country planning act empowered municipalities to exclude advertisements from any scheduled area.

Neither of these measures has been thoroughly enforced. In building up areas particularly huge advertising signs are plastered on walls of buildings or beside the highways. Even rural districts have not escaped since the peacetime here is heavy motor traffic between nearby towns.

"Local authorities ... failed to make effective use of their powers, and highly objectionable signs are indifferent," said the Times. "It is far less apathetic now ..."

Archbishop Lord Lang and Viscount Samuel told the Lords they have their own way of getting even with advertisers who put up unsightly billboards—they refuse to buy goods when advertisements for them disfigure the countryside.

EDEN RECEIVES WELCOME

Athens, Feb. 17 — (Reuters) — Foreign Secretary Eden received a tumultuous welcome from immense crowds when he paid a surprise visit to Corinth yesterday.

70,000 REPORTED KILLED

Stockholm, Feb. 17 — (AP)—The German - controlled Scandinavian Telegraph Bureau said yesterday 70,-000 persons had been killed in one week's Allied bombings of Dresden.



Paving the way for the new Canadian offensive is this mammoth 240-mm. howitzer firing 360-pound shells across the Rhine.—(Canadian Army—WIB Radiophoto, Canadian Marconi Picturegram Service).

A Puzzled Spy Dies

(By RHONA CHURCHILL IN THE LONDON DAILY MAIL)

Advanced Supply, H. Q., Belgium. —Imagine for a moment that you are Hans Schmidt, whose uncle ran a London restaurant and lived at Wimbledon.

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Not until three days before your "D-Day" did they tell you what they really had in mind for you.

Then you were told you were a British uniform, put you in a small tank, push you off into No Man's Land, from where you were to find your way to a bridge 30 miles behind the lines and blow it skyhigh.

Seems Easy.

The idea scared you, yet thrilled you. What a chance to serve Germany! What a way to die, if you must die young!

You are in your tank now with three other boys, who learned English in England.

You are well-briefed, your papers are in order, and you wear a British uniform, including that odd-shaped Tommy helmet.

You are even smoking a Woodbine.

You are to say you come from Wimbledon, which you know well. If you are stopped.

And you are stopped—by a friendly looking fellow in a red-topped cap. He walks over, looking simple enough. You take comfort. But you are a man of the Master Race? Anyway, you've got to say or do something. The redcap is waiting.

You don't. Your tank commander and your gunner are cool enough, but you made one slip—a slip which I can't reveal to you. Then a revolver was cocked. You were ordered out of your tank. Tommy sat down you will die. Hans Schmidt.

That is typical of what Hans Schmidt and all other Germans infiltrating into our lines have had to face.

Strange Stories.

The miracle is that any have got through the ordeal. Many who did succeed have now sought shelter in the woods, and are too scared to come out to do their sabotage work.

Strange but accurate stories are being told here of the behavior of the Germans. All American troops who meet them agree they are the finest soldiers they have yet encountered, have plenty of courage and will try to bluff it out to the last.

Once cornered, they now they are as good as dead, but they show no sign of fear. Some throw up a hand in the Hitler salute, when sentenced to death. Others ask for time to say their prayers. Next complain of the way their lives have been thrown away.

They did not volunteer for the job. They were "selected." No one has yet taken the chance of giving himself up.

Their ages vary. Mostly they are in the twenties. But one was well on in middle-age. Most of them wear American uniforms and speak with a New York accent.

Positions Are Static On Italian Front Weather Springlike

By WILLIAM BOSS
(CP War Correspondent.)

With the Canadian Corps on the Adriatic Front, Feb. 17 —(CP Cable)—A slight flurry of activity sparkled along the Senio river front Thursday but the static position of the Canadians and Germans remained unchanged in warm, springlike weather.

Following artillery and mortar curtain-raisers, a German patrol of 10 men infiltrated positions of Western Infantrymen and a British Columbia regiment the evening of Feb. 14. In the ensuing fight six of them were killed. Five bodies were found on a river dyke and one in the mined approaches.

Canadian positions in the Valle di Comacchio, another part of the static front the Canadians have been holding for weeks, were counter-attacked at the same time by tanks, approaching along the thin spit of land running Lake Comacchio from the Adriatic.

German artillery today advanced under cover of fire from tanks, automatics and heavier guns but both were soon beaten off.

The Germans, holding one bank of the Senio with Canadians holding the other, seem to be experimenting with new missiles. Canadian Highlanders report the enemy has been firing explosive bullets resembling fragmentation type.

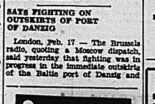
May Invite F.D.R. To Address Congress On Yalta Decisions

Washington, Feb. 17 —(AP)— Vice President Harry Truman took the lead in a move to invite President Roosevelt to address Congress at he can—without revealing any secrets—about the Big Three's agreements at Yalta.

The Vice President has told the President's adviser he believes Mr. Roosevelt would make a 16-strike by appearing personally before the legislators for a frank discussion of foreign affairs such as Prime Minister Churchill often gives the House of Commons.

SAYS FIGHTING ON OUTSKIRTS OF PORT OF DANZIG

London, Feb. 17 — The Brussels radio, quoting a Moscow dispatch, said yesterday that fighting had made progress in the immediate outskirts of the Baltic port of Danzig and



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PRESIDENT RESIGNS



President Carleton Stanley who has resigned as president of Dalhousie University because of "fundamental divergence in viewpoint" between the board of governors and himself.

that three German ships had been sunk outside the harbor.

Official Russian announcement earlier today announced a further drive closer to Danzig city than 30 miles —in East Prussia to the southeast.

'CLOSED' SIGN OUT

Winnipeg, Feb. 17 — (CP) — The "closed" signs still hung in front of 18 Winnipeg leading motion picture theatres today as projectionists on strike since Wednesday awaited a closed shop, pondered a warning from the War Labor Board that the strike was illegal.

100 ROUNDED UP

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End of Cycle Thwarted In City of Vienna

Today, as the Russians advance across the Hungarian plains toward the Austro-Hungarian border, the once gay city of Vienna and the 1½ million people who warmed into Austria following its entry into World War II in 1938, John R. Freeman writes in The Kansas City Star, is "clad out while the going is good," is the order of the day. Many Viennese ways are reported jammed as thousands stream out of the city in the direction of the west, attempting a getaway despite the acute shortage of transportation facilities.

That at once gay Vienna, capital city of Austria and jewel of the Blue Danube, the cycle of war returns to its beginning. For it was Hitler's bloodless conquest of Austria seven years ago, realizing the German dream of anschluss, which upset the equilibrium of Europe and touched off the fateful train of events leading to World War II. Treaty of Versailles.

To understand the present plight of Vienna, one has to go back to the Treaty of Versailles. With peculiar, rather than with economic and strategic considerations, a new Central Europe was created by statesmen after military power assembled there to write the peace and make a world "safe for democracy."

From it emerged the republic of Austria, a state with only six million people within its borders, succeeding the former empire of 50 million. This new state, too weak to live and too large to die, contained its giant's head. Vienna, the capital, where one-third of the total population was concentrated. Political changes, of necessity took place in Vienna and the other large cities of Austria, and reforms were instituted there long before they were felt in the sparsely settled rural areas. Naturally, the intellectuals of the flat lands, mostly poverty-stricken peasants, resented the leadership of the cities. A schism developed between the Social Democrats, dominant liberal political group in urban Austria, and the peasants. This schism persisted until Austria's "little man", Chancellor Dollfuss, tried to "save Austria by uniting it."

Chance For Hitler.

Hitler was quick to take advantage of the cleavage.

In his effort to resist German pressure and propaganda, Dollfuss began looking for outside help and Austria became a pivotal point of European diplomacy. In the bloody revolution of 1934, Dollfuss with the assistance of Mussolini, smothered the Social Democratic party. One of the tragedies and highlights of this bitter struggle was the ruthless bombardment of the Karl Marx apartment house, largest of the housing projects completed by the Social-Democratic party. It symbolized the great humanitarian and economic achievements of Vienna in the inter-World War.

Hitler organized labor crushed and disarmed, the Dollfuss government found itself vulnerable to Nazi attack. For despite political differences, the labor parties always backed the government on national questions. The victory of Dollfuss cost him his life. He was assassinated soon after by Nazi henchmen who tried, unsuccessfully to seize the government.

Successor Supported.

The government of his successor, Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg, was actively supported by Italy and, passively, by England and France, with the hope it would keep Germany from falling under Nazi domination. But Schuschnigg's efforts failed. Announced by Berchtesgaden-by Hitler, Schuschnigg was warned that failure to meet Nazi demands meant imprisonment and perhaps death by himself and his family. Bowing to the inevitable, he abandoned his plebiscite and resigned, determined the people's will on union with Germany. Austria's hour had struck.

Hitler's triumphal return to Austria on March 13, 1938, marked the beginning of the death struggle in Europe between Democracy and Fascism.

The lovely city which for centuries withstood the onslaught of the Huns and Mongols and saved Europe's civilization, faces invasion by another army, the Russian. Vienna, dominant liberal political group in urban Austria, and the peasants. This schism persisted until Austria's "little man", Chancellor Dollfuss, tried to "save Austria by uniting it."

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In his effort to resist German pressure and propaganda, Dollfuss began looking for outside help and Austria became a pivotal point of these contacts, together with the city's nearness to the linguistic frontier between Germany, Slavic and Magyar, gave Vienna cosmopolitanism and cultural leadership which early placed it in the forefront of European civilization.

Vienna is richly endowed in museum, picture galleries and other cultural institutions of world-wide fame. These museums are, or were before the war, crammed to capacity with masterpieces representative of various types, masters and periods of art. Every form of intellectual development, artistic, musical and scientific, has its representative collections, supplemented by large private collections in the field, city or private societies. In Basil, Vienna is a museum of architecture, a city of impressive open spaces and beautiful parks. Its great circular boulevard, the Ringstrasse, is bordered by some of the world's most magnificent buildings.

Character of Viennese.

The typical Viennese of tradition —say, witty, pleasure-loving re-flects the cosmopolitan character of the city. Vienna is, above all else, the city of music, counting among its immortals Mozart, Beethoven, Haydn, Gluck, Brahms, and Bach. Beethoven conducted his symphonies here, and here Johann Strauss found the inspiration for his unforgettable waltzes. Vienna's hopes for a free Vienna since Austria was "co-ordinated" by Hitler. Already a trifle shabby, worn down at the heel, a grande dame living on a glittering past, the beauty and wit and charm perhaps have long since been crushed under Nazism and the Gestapo. Vienna faces a new peril. In this war, the Nazis have not hesitated to subject satellite cities to destructive bombardment if by so doing they could win temporary military respite or advantage. Is Vienna to suffer the same fate as Budapest where today Germans and Russians battle savagely from block to block? The world watches and waits as the Russian tide rolls inexorably closer.

NOTED YACHTSMAN DIES

Edinburgh, — (CP) — Nicholson Hansen, 80, prominent yachtsman who raced yacht Betwixt and Between as the "Bloodhound of the Forth," has died.

London

London — (CP) — The British Sailors' Society has presented the United Kingdom Chamber of Shipping with a copy of its specially-compiled book of prayers and Bible in a water-proof case, of the type issued to seafarers.

Medical Science Brings New Hope To War Injured

Portage La Prairie Centre Refits Fighting Men for Return to Military and Civilian Life

By ENID NEMY
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Portage La Prairie, Man., Feb. 16 (CP) — The only establishment of its kind on the prairies, No. 3 Conditioning Centre here is a medical man's dream.

Canadian casualties of the battlefronts of Europe as well as members of the Army, Navy and Air Force injured in training, are fitted for return to military or civilian life.

Occupational therapy, education-al programs, entertainment, work to mend the mind, remedial exercises and physiotherapy are used to build up muscles. The most modern scientific equipment is available for treatments.

"One of our chief problems is adjusting the 'battle happy' men back into a normal civilian life," said Major C. N. Ramsay of Montreal, acting officer commanding. "There are more than 300 casualties at this centre 60 miles southeast of Winnipeg. On a beautifully-landscaped 320-acre site overlooking the Assiniboine River, the men work and play. Days are ordered as regular army life but there the similarity ends.

Occupational and physio-therapy have a high place on the program of rehabilitation. Games, such as ping-pong, horseshoes and blow hockey are played under the direction of Lieut. Mary Campbell, of Toronto, and Lieut. M. Mackay of Lindsay, Ont. Treatments using ultra short wave infra red lamps and wax baths are given by Lieut. Phyllis Irvine of Sparta, Sask., and Lieut. Grace Reynolds of Regina and Winnipeg.

Remedial exercises, under Capt. A. Gregor of Winnipeg, have been devised so that men suffering from certain types of injuries concentrate on special exercises and have no need to bother with others. Capt. T. E. Sweet of Keewatin, Ont., is in charge of a massage-tory educational program.

For entertainment four movies are shown weekly and a concert party journeys out from Winnipeg every fortnight. The boys even have their own newspaper, appropriately named "The Casual Pass."

Also here to be "conditioned" are a group of 78 boys, who as yet have had no taste of army life. Known as the 4K group, these lads would have been rejected for service because they were underweight. Now, after an intensive "course in eating" and a strenuous physical development program ranging from three weeks to three months, they are brought up to army weight standards and sent out to their training.

Officers on the staff are from all parts of the Dominion. Capt. A. W. Gerow, army examiner, and Capt. G. E. Lock, adjutant are both Calgary men. NS. Bernice Chamberland is from Redditt, Ont. A university of Alberta graduate, Lieut. G. Robinson of Vermillion, Alta., is dietitian for the centre. Two young officers who were sent here for treatment but hope to be released shortly are Lieut. O. H. Williams of The Pas, Man., and Lieut. F. A. Murtagh, Ottawa.

American's Impressions Of Britain

I may be leaving England, perhaps never to return. Before I go I want to tell you some of the things I shall never forget—the things that have impressed me during my two years as an American Red Cross girl in Britain. Robert Arbib writes in The London Daily Express.

I remember that first night in England, standing in a wheat field in East Anglia and watching cascades of green incendiaries drifting down. . . This is it, we told ourselves. We are in it at last.

But it was hard to convince ourselves, for here were these crazy people standing in their gardens watching the raid as if it were a fourth of July spectacle. It was hard to boast about our own experiences when all around us were five-year-olds who have lived thru more than we have ever known.

The blackout was so black. It gave us a feeling that the houses had lost their staring windows were abandoned.

The atmosphere of rural Britain the workers in the fields, the stillness, the emptiness of the roads, the quiet of the villages and their things made us feel that we had left months to wave as we drove past. We never once spoke to them, but we were friends.

Funeral on River.

I shall remember a Sunday in June punting on the river at Cambridge and standing in the dew-bedly needed a shave, haircut and dress, but who had (we later learned) just been knighted.

Biking to Lavenham with Vivian for a look at that quaint Tudor village and a drink at the Swan . . . standing across the meadows with Joan to listen to the skylarks . . . most irresponsible of run-struck birds.

I shall not forget the friendly evening at the Unicorn, where we would buy each other rounds of ale and argue through the blue haze and settle all the problems that baffled the world.

Derby Day at Newmarket, where 8,000 came to see a race that was run behind a hill, and the same 8,000 tried to get back to London on one train.

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Egerton, Kent, England — (CP) — George Pearson who has died at 96 had been a member of the Ancient Order of Foresters for 77 years.

London

London — (CP) — G. Heaton Nicholls, new high commissioner for South Africa in Britain, has arrived here accompanied by his wife.

CANADA'S VETERANS

Their Post-War Opportunities

The second of three advertisements explaining the re-establishment credit.

Homes, Businesses, Tools, etc.—

USES OF THE RE-ESTABLISHMENT CREDIT

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TO PURCHASE A HOUSE

Re-service men and women may use their re-establishment credit to assist in the purchase or building of a home. In these cases it is necessary for the veteran to have an equity in his home. Reduction of a mortgage on a home already owned is included under this heading. In making application to use the credit to purchase or build a house it is necessary to supply full information as to purchase price, appraisal value, mortgages or any other encumbrance.

TO REPAIR OR MODERNIZE HOMES

If the veteran already owns a home and repairs or modernization are necessary, the re-establishment credit may be used. In making application for use of the credit in this way, proof of ownership and details of the expenditure should accompany the application.

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CANADIANS DRIVE WITHIN 25 MILES OF DUISBURG

Scottish Troops Fight Into Centre Of Fortified Goch

Important Frontline Road Centre of Calcar Menaced

Paris, Feb. 19 (AP)—Scottish troops fought into the centre of the heavily fortified road hub of Goch today as the 1st Canadian army advanced within 25 miles of Duisburg, world's largest inland port and western portal of the rich Ruhr valley.

British and Canadian troops fought within a mile of Calcar, like Goch an important frontline road centre, and pushed the stoutly resistance Germans to the southern edges of the Moyland woods. Canadians were heavy on both sides. The forest extends almost to the edge of Calcar.

Field Marshal Montgomery was said by the Germans to have committed his British 2nd army to the intensifying battle between the Meuse and flooded Rhine, a front on which the northern end of the original Siegfried Line has been run through. The Field Marshal himself said the last round of the battle for Germany was in the making, the enemy "is going to receive the knockout blow—a somewhat unusual one, delivered from more than one direction."

Widen Front.

The U.S. 3rd army widened its front in Western Germany to 22 miles and captured numerous towns in the drive mounting some within seven miles of the important road centre of Bitburg.

Farther south, the 7th army fought back two miles into the German Saar basin, capturing 1,000 prisoners and Auersmacker, six miles southeast of Saarbrucken. Supreme headquarters said the 7th objective was nearly.

The American 1st and 9th armies, and perhaps other formations, still were inactive along the Roer river facing Cologne Bonn and Duesseldorf, as was the 1st army east of Aachen that the Germans have been predicting renewed activities.

Centre of Eight Roads.

Goch, a city of 13,500 and the centre of eight military highways, had been outflanked and virtually surrounded. Scottish troops poured into its ruins, created a terrific artillery and ground bombardment. The town is divided by the Reitz River eight miles south of Kleve and has been a fortress since 1291.

Enemy opposition, though heavy, was lighter than expected with the Germans concentrating on the flanks of the Canadian Army front. Front dispatches called the Battle of Goch the heaviest of the 24-day campaign. The Scots drove in from the northeast and pushed through massive outer bulwarks. They battled through a deadly hail of machine-gun and sniper fire and fought bitterly, house by house.

Strong Opposition.

On the southern end of the 17-mile attack from the 1st Canadian Army dealt with strong German resistance along a 2,000-yard anti-tank ditch from the south outskirts of Blijenbeek, 30 miles north of Venlo, to the swollen Meuse River. The ditch was flooded, and the attacks encountered mines and road blocks.

On the northern and eastern flanks, English, Canadian, Welsh and Scottish troops were within 16 miles of the ruined Ruhr Valley city of Wesel, wrecked under the 300 tons of R.A.F. bombs Sunday.

Switching and a drizzle again plagued the troops and blocked tactical air support early in the day.

Elements of eight or nine German divisions have been identified on the northern front, and the bulk of them have been attached to the Goch sector. Beyond Goch lies a small open plain suitable for tank battles, and no elaborate defences are expected in the area immediately past the ancient town, Ne Canalbarg.

The German radio, which has been predicting for some time that an all-out offensive on the Western Front is near, asserted that Field Marshal Montgomery has thrown the British 2nd Army into the fighting alongside the 1st Canadian. There was no Allied confirmation.

U. S. 3rd Army advances in the centre of the Western Front ranged up to a half mile along the entire 26-mile front.

JUSTICE RIDDELL DIES AT AGE 92

Was Member of Supreme Court of Ontario for 39 Years

Toronto, Feb. 19 (CP)—Mr. Justice William Renwick Riddell, member of the Supreme Court of Ontario for 39 years, holder of 11 honorary doctorates and senior member of the American Bar Association, died yesterday at his home here. He was 92.

Predeceased by his wife last Monday, Mr. Justice Riddell was born in Hamilton Township, Northumberland County, Ont., and received his education at Cobourg Collegiate Institute and Victoria University, Toronto. He graduated in 1873 as gold medallist at Osgoode Hall and for a time was mathematics teacher at Ottawa Normal School.

He was appointed a Justice of the Supreme Court of Ontario in 1906 and 36 years later became a Justice of the Appellate Division. He served on several royal commissions, including one appointed in 1920 by the Drury Government to investigate timber limit operations and one appointed in 1932 to investigate the affairs of the Ontario Hydro Electric Commission.

At the time of his death he was working on an abridgement of Canadian law decisions, of volumes of which have already been published.

Literary Background.

His literary background was the envy of many Canadian writers and among his published works are "Le Professeur" and "Upper Canada."

"The Constitution of Canada," William Kirby, F.R.S.C." "La Rochefoucault's Travels in Canada and the United States" in Canada." He also contributed many articles to literary, legal and scientific journals.

Interviewed on his 92nd. birthday last April 6, he told reporters he had no intention of retiring from the bench, adding "I figure about another 24 years should be about right."

Last November he was elected president of the Health League of Canada for the year and officials of the league last night expressed their "deepest gratitude" for his long years of service.

His ability and scholarship were recognized in many directions by which honored him with degrees and he was honored by 13 state bar associations.

YANKS SWARM OVER CORREGIDOR, 7,000 LIBERATED

Manila Bay All But Back in U.S. Hands Though Japs Still Cling to City

Manila, Feb. 19 — (AP)—Manila Bay was all but back in American hands today but in the city itself, where 7,000 civilians were released in a new dramatic rescue, the Japanese still clung grimly to the walled intramuros section.

Mopping up continued on Corregidor.

The 7,000 civilians were liberated under guards as American troops stormed into the ruins of the Santo Tipolte general hospital, a few blocks from the intramuros walls.

MAJ.-Gen. Oscar W. Griswold, commander of the 14th corps, who delayed a showdown battle for the intramuros district in the hope other civilians could be voluntarily released by the Japanese.

Troops of the same regiment which liberated the hospital came upon its first of 40 Catholic nuns, priests and women and children to whom they had given shelter in the ruins of a De La Salle college and the nearby Malate district.

The 60 were shot and bayoneted to death a week ago today by a Japanese officer and 20 soldiers.

Rev. Francis J. Cosgrave of Sydney, Australia, one of 10 survivors, said the Japanese broke in upon the helpless group during noon lunch and, at a prearranged signal from the officer, started shooting and slashing.

Bombard Defenders

Warships steamed to the entrance of Manila Bay to bombard positions on the Cavite Shore, it was disclosed in a communique also reporting mopping up progress on Corregidor.

American troops, who landed on the fortress at the key entrance Feb. 16 day, cleared important Manila Hill.

The communique said the east entrance of Corregidor tunnel, which the Japanese may follow their usual underground defense in death practice, was closed by a landslide dynamited by the Japanese.

Some enemy pockets also remained on Bataan Peninsula, enclosing Manila Bay on the west.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur recalled the stand of Americans and Filipino pine troops on Bataan and Corregidor in 1942, declared they knew they would record the stand "as one of the most glorious epics of the world," in that it delayed Japan's push south and saved Australia.

Bombs Rain

"Our triumphs today," he declared, "rank equally to that dead army."

The Philippines hospital liberation, disclosed in a communique, was accomplished Saturday afternoon. Only a skirmish with enemy remnants was reported.

Bombs rained on Manila and Corregidor as Allied planes last week the Germans had been able to rush reinforcements to the front.

The German communique said Marshal Ivan Konev's 1st Ukrainian Army was forging ahead, however and compelling the Germans to engage in "violent defensive fighting" all the way from the Czech border to the Oder bend southeast of Berlin.

Marshal Konev's tanks have reached the area southeast of Leuban on the Queis River, 62 miles from Dresden, the communique said.

Leuban is eight miles southeast of Naumburg, captured by the Russians yesterday, and 13 miles east of Grossen on Neisse which Moscow dispatches last week had been reached by advanced spearheads.

New Bridgehead.

The town is only nine miles from the border of Czechoslovakia.

On Marshal Konev's right wing, a German war reporter said, Marshal Gregory Zhukov's 1st, White Russian Army has hammered out a bridgehead over the Oder near Crossen, 64 miles southeast of Berlin.

Konev and Zhukov were linking up for a smash toward the German stronghold of Guben, on the Neisse 43 miles from Berlin and at the apex of a vital defence triangle guarding the southeastern approach to the capital.

Crossen is 16 miles northeast of Guben.

D.N.B. said the Russians had broken into Guben.

Guben, however, is 15 miles east of the north-south line running between Gottbus and Beeskow which Russian armored spearheads were

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Russians Continue To Forge Ahead Toward Dresden And On Berlin's S. East Flank

Churchill Home, May Report Later This Week

London, Feb. 19 (CP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill returned to England today from the Crimea conference after stops at Athens and Cairo.

The Prime Minister is expected to furnish to the House of Commons, possibly later this week, a first-hand report on the discussions with President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin.

The House will set aside two days for the review and a debate in which Foreign Secretary Eden will participate.

DEATH TOLL NOW 16

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 19 —(AP)— The death toll in the tragic Marigold apartment fire now stands at 16, six of them remain unidentified.

Five more bodies were recovered late yesterday from the buildings. The Red Cross has a list of nine reported missing, adding to an estimate of at least three more bodies concealed in the rubble.

Weather Forecast

Lake Superior: Generally fair; not quite so cold tonight, Tuesday partly cloudy with scattered snowflurries.

Kenora and Rainy River: Generally fair today and Tuesday and not quite so cold.

Manitoba: Fair today; not quite so cold. Tuesday partly cloudy, somewhat colder again.

Marines Push 600 Yds. Up Beachhead In Stiff Battle

500 Jap Aircraft Wiped Out, 14 Ships Sunk in Tokyo Raid

By ELMONT WAITE
(A.P. War Correspondent)

Guam, Feb. 19 — (AP) — United States Marines invaded Tokyo's "lookout" island of Iwo today and pushed 600 yards up rugged slopes from their beachhead to penetrate the important bomber air strip.

First eyewitness accounts from the flagship of Vice Adm. Richmond Kelly Turner, commanding the amphibious operation, said casualties among the Marines were "considerable."

The tiny, pork chop-shaped island, invaded at 9 a.m. Monday (Guam time) was a prize the Japanese defended with all their fanatical fury. Invading Marines of the 5th Corps, the United States' oldest amphibious outfit, advanced from the south and east beaches.

They reached the bomber strip, most important of Iwo's three airfields (one still under construction) in the first day of the struggle.

Raked with Artillery Fire

Japanese artillery, mortar, machine-gun and rifle fire raked the flanks of the veteran 4th Marine Division and the new 5th Division making up the invading force, throughout the day.

Lt.-Gen. Holland M. Smith, commanding the Marines, said from his command post above Admiral Turner's flagship: "Our men are landed all over the place out there. And they're going after those hidden Jap guns, which are mighty hard to locate."

Admiral Turner said the "over-all progress is satisfactory." He added that the pre-invasion bombardment by Admiral Mitscher's fast carrier task force and warships and the subsequent softening-up by the Seventh Army Air Force "accomplished its mission."

Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz' communiques announcing the invasion said the operation is "proceeding satisfactorily." He said casualties were "moderate," by early reports.

The beachhead extends for nearly 2½ miles northward from the volcano at the southern tip of the six-mile island.

Admiral Nimitz credited 3296 and subsequent tonnage piled up en route to pave way for this morning's invasion of the island's airfields will step up the air offensive against Japan, where carrier planes destroyed or damaged 35 ships and 132 planes in two days before withdrawing.

Fire from rockets launched from the southern two beaches climaxing the Navy's aerial bombardment which included the batteries of such veteran battleships as the Nevada, sunk at Pearl Harbor and raised to help pave the way for the invasion of Normandy and now a stepping stone island to Tokyo.

"Casualties are moderate," Admiral Nimitz said.

Two "light units" of the heavy supporting fleet of more than 800 ships which prepared the way for the 9 a.m. invasion today were damaged.

Resistance originally was light but Japanese counter-fire, in small sporadic, steadily intensified as the Marines scrambled against the enemy entrenched in ridges and burned-out caves of pill-boxes with flame-throwers.

Warships, which Tokyo said controlled the island, furnished artillery support while swarms of carrier planes dived on the Japanese in front of the marines' path.

There was no report on the initial landing at 9 a.m. (two time) Wednesday Edwards, representing the command, U.S. radio correspondent, hit the beaches and reported "there's a hale of a scrap still going on."

Airfields Objective.

The immediate objective was Iwo's main airfield from which land-based American fighters and medium bombers will be able to strike the Japanese homeland for the first time.

Battleships, including new 46,000-tonners, and cruisers have poured murderous shellfire into the eight-square-mile island since Friday to soften the coastal defences.

Iwo had undergone the most intensive bombardment in the history of the Pacific war. Daily since Dec. 7, Tokyo has been subjected to explosives on the air strip—bothersome to the B29 base, as mentioned on several guns. On 10 different missions U.S. warships shelled the island.

Remain in Reserve.

But the Japanese remained in bomb-proof shelters and emerged to mount fighters and send up an anti-aircraft fire.

The Japanese Domei Agency version of the landing said the Americans invaded beaches on the south and east coasts and that fighting was of "great violence. Domei termed it a "ghastly interception."

Japanese broadcasters earlier reported the Americans' armada of invade two had been "frustrated." The U.S. Navy, with marine divisions, of the 5th Marine Division under Maj.-Gen. 'Mary' Schmidt, invaded Iwo, pear-shaped island which is so close to Tokyo it is administered by Tokyo prefecture.

In distances, in comparison to their naval bombardment of Ottawa, Montreal and Toronto would be to enemy landing at the mouth of Iwo Jima Bay.

Highly Successful.

A communique from U. S. Pacific Fleet headquarters came only an hour after a spectacular report carrier plane raids on Japan's Nanpo-Shokan industrial area Friday and Saturday in which 1,300 American aircraft hit in continuing waves, had been highly successful.

The communique said the attacks achieved complete surprise and wiped out 500 enemy aircraft in the air and on the ground, sank four warships and 10 cargo vessels and damaged a number of vital war plants.

A total of 333 Japanese aircraft were destroyed in the air and 167 on the ground. At least 135 more were probably destroyed. The escort carrier task force was commanded by Rear Admiral Thomas L. Sprague and two escort destroyers were sunk.

Coming Events

DELICIOUS PIES AND CAKES at the Catholic Women's League Rummage Sale, which opens at 2 p.m. Co. on Friday, February 23rd, at 2 p.m.

BINGO TONIGHT, 8.30, SACO Club Rooms, Front Street. 25 games 25c. Door prizes. Auspices Ladies' Auxiliary Canadian Legion. Everybody welcome.

BELLEVILLE HORTICULTURAL Society open meeting, Friday, February 23rd, 8 P.M.C.A. o'clock. Everybody welcome.

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Halsey Predicts Jap Fleet Will Not Fight in Present Pacific Operations

Washington, Feb. 19.— (AP)—Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr., paying a surprise visit to Washington, predicted today that the remnants of the Japanese fleet will not come out and fight in the current Pacific operations.

"We are going to have to dig them out," the commander of the U.S. Fleet told a new conference. "They are very little left to fight with and what they have is in static bar accounts."

Admiral Halsey said he has not yet received all the facts of the Tokyo air raids by carrier planes but that all indications are that it was "another magnificent show against the deteriorated Japanese navy and air Japanese navy."

Asked what is his opinion would be necessary to force the Japanese Navy to a showdown, Admiral Halsey, in typical fashion replied:

"I can't get myself in a relaxed frame of mind. I don't know what it would take."

Asked about his presence in Washington, Admiral Halsey said with a laugh: "I am here under orders of Admiral King," Chief of Naval Operations.

BRITISH BRIDGE IRRAWADDY R. BELOW MANDALAY

Crossing Made Under Withering Artillery and Mortar Fire by Japanese

By FRANK L. MARTIN
(AP Staff Writer)

Calcutta, Feb. 19 — (AP)—British Imperial troops who bridged the swift Irrawaddy River in Burma apparently at an important point Saturday were reported today to have "a very tight hold in their hands" after days of fierce fighting with bitterly resisting Japanese.

The British and Gurkha troops of the 14th Army made the hazardous crossing in the early morning of Feb. 13 under a hail of enemy artillery, mortar and small arms fire. The Japanese reacted violently to their jungle hideouts.

The new bridgehead, first to be established below Mandalay, would keep the enemy from using the river for escape when the city itself finally is assaulted.

British assault troops crossed the stream in hundreds of light river craft. Many were caught in the current and swept downstream out of control.

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MASSIVE ALLIED AERIAL ASSAULT INTO SIXTH DAY

In Night Sweep Berlin Plastered With 4,000-Pound Blockbusters

London, Feb. 19 — (CP)—United States bombers struck Germany from the west today, and Berlin declared fleets from the south were over the Danube.

A brief announcement did not name today's targets.

It was the sixth straight day of assaults from the west—and seventh from Italian bases—and was announced in by R.A.F. Mosquito night attacks on Berlin with blockbuster bombs.

Mosquitos also attacked Mannheim, Ludwigshafen and communications centre, and the port of Kiel.

While American heavy bombers based in Britain were grounded yesterday, the Americans, about 250 British Lancasters took off just before dusk and pounded the communications hub of Wesel with 1,200 tons of bombs. Wesel's bridges — a prime target for the raiders—form an important Rhine crossing for the Germans now under heavy pressure from advancing 1st Canadian Army troops.

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2 New Aviation Pacts With U.S., Canada Given 6 New Air Entries

Ottawa, Feb. 19 (CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King today announced the conclusion of two new aviation agreements with the United States, one providing for an extended network of trans-border aerial air services and the other a wartime agreement governing operations of military air transport routes in each country over the territory of the other.

Canada is granted six new air entries into the United States in addition to the Toronto-New York route now operated under the Civil Aviation Agreement which was reciprocal in character, meeting between parties of the two countries in New York.

The new lines authorized for Canadian operations are Halifax to Boston; Montreal-Ottawa-Toronto to Chicago; Port Arthur to Duluth; Victoria to Seattle and White Horse to Fairbanks.

In addition the agreement provides for mutually reciprocal use of Detroit and Windsor as stopping places for air lines of the two countries.

This, in effect, adds an additional route to those otherwise authorized for each country. The provision is that aircraft operating on services authorized by the United States into Detroit may stop at Windsor and aircraft on services authorized by Canada for Windsor may stop at Detroit.

The new routes authorized for United States operation are New York or Boston to Quebec; New York to Ottawa; Washington to Montreal and Ottawa, and Seattle to White Horse.

(Discussions on the agreement in a wartime air transport agreement with the Canadian Club at Toronto today and Ottawa tomorrow. Howe said:

"The New York agreement gives Canada entry into the United States on eight routes and gives the United States entry into Canada on 15 routes. In general, a very large proportion of the routes assigned to each country have great traffic possibilities. All the routes which the New York conference expressed the desire to operate on are included. It is equitable under present circumstances."

When all the routes authorized in the agreement are in operation five Canadian cities — Quebec, Halifax, Ottawa and Port Arthur — will be given direct air connection with the United States for the first time and four United States cities — Washington, Chicago, Cleveland and Duluth — will get direct connection with Canada for the first time.

City and District News

GROUP CAPT. DUNLAP NOW AIR COMMODORE

Former commanding officer of the Bombing and Gunnery School at Mossbank, Wing Commander Gordon D. Dunlap, of Vancouver, has been promoted to the rank of Air Commodore, RCAF Public Relations announced today.

He has been given command of a base overseas from which the Hudson bombers, troopers and fighters from Squadrons operate.

Air Commodore Dunlap has had considerable experience since leaving Manning View and has been awarded the C.B.E. and the United States Silver Star.

WING CMDR. DAVENPORT GIVEN COMMAND OF IROQUOIS SQUADRON

Wing Commander Ralph Davenport former flying instructor at the Trenton Air Station has been appointed to command the famous Iroquois Squadron, it was announced today. He was attached prior to his latest command.

His wife and two-year-old daughter reside in Belleville.

GAS RATION BOOKS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

Gasoline ration books for the 1942-43 period year went on sale in Belleville this morning according to Mr. E. S. Vermilyea, local motor vehicle license inspector. He said that any car is again to be followed with the exception that they are required to secure his motor vehicle permit before he is eligible for his AA category booklet. If motorist is entitled to additional gasoline for business purposes special forms are available for application for special privileges.

DANGEROUS PRACTICE TO SLEIGH RIDE DOWN CAMPBELL STREET

Complaints that children were sleigh riding down Campbell Street hill directly into the path of Pinnacle Street traffic were investigated by police here over the weekend. Traffic police officials warned that such practices are not only needlessly dangerous as the sudden appearance of children riding hand sleighs into Pinnacle Street gives motorists little or no opportunity to protect the children or avoid an accident. Although the children making this practice on Saturday had left the hill before police could warn them, traffic officials have made a special appeal to parents to warn their children to refrain from sleigh riding down open street hills in the vicinity of cross section motor traffic. Yesterday a serious accident was reported in a near by city when a child was fatally injured when it darted out into Pinnacle Street directly in front of a moving motor vehicle. "I had not a chance to stop and I was only going at the fortune there wasn't a serious accident," reported the motorist.

141 BLOOD DONORS AT SUNDAY CLINIC

Belleville residents made a distinctly better showing at the regular Sunday Blood Donors Clinic held at Kiwanis Centre Sunday, Drs. R. S. Gibson and C. S. Dafoe were in attendance.

Donors totalling 141 including 49 from the city gave their services. Several surrounding towns, village and district were represented which included Belleville R. S. 5; Picton-Bloomfield, 34; Wellington, 10; Marmora, 20; Trenton, 26; Frankford and Stirling, 2; R.C.A.F., Mountain View, 4; Foxboro, 2; Corbyville, 1; Hillier, 2; Stirling, 2; Shannonville, 1.

Clinics for city residents are held every Friday and since the quota anticipate a much larger turnout this week than has been the case heretofore.

21 Pays to Shop At the Rexall Store.

SERGEANT'S
Dog
Remedies
WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK OF SERGEANT'S DOG MEDICINES
25c to 1.25

McKEOWN'S
DRUG STORE

FLOOR SANDING
New Floors Sanded and Finished
Old Floors Resurfaced and
Made Like New.
GLEN ELLIOT
311 FOSTER AVE. Phone 3592

Many Residents Ill With Varied Types of Flu

Although a number of people have been confined to their homes and some to hospital with true-blue influenza during the past few weeks, the disease has in no way reached the proportions of an epidemic, Dr. C. S. Cronk, Medical Officer of Health, stated today.

Because to the effect that it has reached an epidemic stage are caused, no doubt, by the fact that a larger number of people than usual have fallen victim to the disease. However, Dr. Cronk added there is no cause for alarm insofar as an epidemic is concerned.

The "flu" has had varying effects on different persons, some have been subject to immediate prostration when the "germ" struck, but their illness was of brief duration. Others have had attacks following varying symptoms that have resulted in prolonged sessions in bed.

Medical dictionaries define "influenza" as a contagious epidemic catarrhal fever with great prostration and varying symptoms of bronchiaequals; or "grip". The intestinal variety is not the pleasantest experience in the world either, according to victims, and all precautions are urged at first symptoms.

Sugar Ration Cut Two Pounds By Prices Board

Ottawa, Feb. 10 —(CP)— The Prices Board announced today the canning sugar allowances for Canada like when will be the same as in 1944—10 pounds per person, but that, because of the world sugar situation, the regular sugar ration for each person will be reduced two pounds a year.

This will be done by making two sugar coupons good on the first Thursday of each month, instead of one coupon good, formerly, for one present ration is half a pound per person per week. Extra sugar quota for industrial users, hotels and restaurants was cut at the first of the year from 80 to 70 per cent of 1940 usage.

The board said the purchase of canning sugar will be simplified by the issuance of special coupons instead of the separate canning sugar coupons used last year. Under this arrangement there will be only two types of coupons for the purchase of canning sugar, namely the coupon, good for one pound of sugar, and the coupon, good for half a pound of sugar or the alternative of 25 pounds in preserves.

Twenty extra preserve coupons will be issued to enable the housewife to purchase her canning sugar allowance of 10 pounds. Two of these extra coupons will be made valid March 15 to provide for early preserving, eight more will be valid May 17, and the other 10 will be valid for the purchase of canning sugar on and after July 19.

The coupons can be used to buy preserves instead of canning sugar if the consumer wishes. For such an alternative purchase he will use the "P" canning sugar coupons to be exchanged for preserves coupons at a local ration office.

RAWDON

Sgt. Harry Brooks Home on Leave

Rawdon, Feb. 19 — Sergeant Harry Brooks of Carmel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brooks, and a member of Mrs. Harry Brooks (former. Miss Helen Hastings) arrived at home from England on February 10.

Harry sailed for England in December, 1939 and has spent six Christmas Days on the ocean. His daughter, Margaret Brooks, is four years of age and this is the first time she has seen her daddy. Mrs. Brooks and Margaret also reside at Carmel.

During this past summer Harry saw service in Belgium and Holland and he now has a month's vacation. He is relative in the Stirling district.

Neighbors and friends rejoice that he has been allowed a holiday at home.

Max Factor's
Lip Sticks
NOW IN STOCK.
75c and 1.35
GEEN—DRUGS

Winner Must Be Declared Wednesday Night

Previously arranged plans to play a best two-in-three series to determine the championship local soccer hockey league went by the board today with orders from Military Command in Belleville that a winner must be declared in the Bay of Quinte Area by Wednesday night.

Thus according to orders received today, Trenton and Napanee Rangers will now play a two-game series on Wednesday night, earlier in the week. The games will be played Monday and Wednesday nights with the winner to play a similar two-game series with Camp Borden on Friday night, Saturday and Sunday nights.

With two tie games already played, officials of the Trenton and Napanee clubs have decided that in future games of their current series a winner must be declared in regular time, however, the series will be of two games with total goals to count.

Veterans Thanked For Cigarettes Sent

"Thanks to the Vets or another way we can make Canadian cigarettes obtainable," reads the front on the stores of our Canadian homes. No doubt many Canadians and Canadians realize full well the value of the splendid smoking privileges and the Belleville members of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada are not forgetting expressing us with fags. "Keep up the good work" is the message that is being received by President James Lemoby and Secretary Harry Wills, from John H. Sills of Belleville stationed at sea serving in the Navy. Thanking them sincerely for their kindness Pte. Sills writes: "I am one of the many who are receiving your cigarettes and I want to thank you for them. I know that you are doing a good work and I am sure that it is appreciated by all the boys. I am sure that you will be glad to hear that I am getting along fine and I am enjoying myself. Now I must close as I have to write a few more letters. Thanking you again and wishing you all the best of luck."

Besides the regular shipment of 6,000 cigarettes to the crew of the ship, Veterans' Club No. 68 sent individual shipments of 300 cigarettes each to Pte. Sills and to Belleville and district lads serving overseas in the Army and Navy. War Veterans' fag fund is a worthy one but included: M. L. Pope, C. T. Pope, C. Pope, C. T. Pope, Alyea, E. P. Joyce, R. F. Arndt, A. O. Sexsmith, Carson, S. Salmon, R. Lickfold, R. A. Lefevre, J. Noakes, J. Massey, G. Hutley, J. G. Hutchinson, W. Hutchinson, W. Lucas, W. Morton, C. Kennedy, R. Cunningham, R. I. Barbeau, W. A. Bowen, Bowen, R. C. Thompson, R. Warwick, R. McMillan, C. Akey, R. E. Gregory, J. A. Rushley, A. J. Campbell, W. Hutchinson, W. Elliott, O. W. Shaw, R. Dafoe, A. G. Ross, Ryan, Ryan, Ryan, D. Barnes, Ken Barriage, T. S. Belnap, Bill Bills, Bill Bills, Mark Sterns, R. M. Dempsey, L. L. Mac-Lloyd, N. J. McDonald, H. R. Bills, J. Bills, Bill Bills, Bill Bills, H. F. Burshaw, H. Akey, C. S. Robinson, C. A. McMillan, C. Akey, R. E. Gregory, J. A. Rushley, A. J. Campbell, W. Hutchinson, W. Elliott, O. W. Shaw, R. Dafoe, A. G. Ross, Ryan, Ryan, Ryan, D. Barnes, Ken Barriage, T. S. Belnap, Bill Bills, Bill Bills, Mark Sterns, R. M. Dempsey, L. L. MacLloyd, N. J. McDonald, H. R. Bills, J. Bills, Bill Bills, Bill Bills, H. F. Burshaw, H. Akey, C. S. Robinson, C. A. McMillan, C. Akey, R. E. Gregory, J. A. Rushley, A. J. Campbell, W. Hutchinson, W. Elliott, O. W. Shaw, R. Dafoe, A. G. Ross, Ryan, Ryan, Ryan, D. Barnes, Ken Barriage, T. S. Belnap, Bill Bills, Bill Bills, Mark Sterns, R. M. Dempsey, L. L. MacLloyd, N. J. McDonald, H. R. Bills, J. Bills, Bill Bills, Bill Bills, H. F. Burshaw, H. Akey, C. S. Robinson, C. A. McMillan.

Winter Lull Used To Make Preparations

(CP War Correspondent)

With the 1st Canadian Army in Germany, Feb. 10 (CP)—Cable)— The 1st Canadian Army's winter lull in Holland was marked today in its true light — a period of planning and preparation for battles to come and training of new units that have materialized.

Infantry soldiers patrolled night and day from the Nijmegen salient westwards to the mouth of the Maas River last November. Since then, activities was behind-the-lines activity far beyond the ken of an army committed only to a holding role.

Field Marshal Von Rundstedt's Ardennes offensive in December set back by a month the Canadian Army's preparations for offensive operations and confronted the army command with the task of thinning out troops in the Nijmegen salient to provide reinforcements for the Ardennes battle.

Killed in Action

L/C. Gerald D. Forbes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Forbes, Glen Allen, and a brother of Mrs. William McKay, Cox Hill, has been killed in action, his parents have been officially notified.

Enlisting in 1940, he served two years in Newfoundland, going overseas with the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment. He was killed while serving in Italy with the Westminster Regiment.



L/C. Gerald F. Forbes

Remaining members of his family include besides his parents and Mrs. McKay, six sisters, Mrs. Winter and Mrs. Clive Hoard, and Misses Dorothy, Edna, Howard and Douglas, all of Chandos.

Following is a letter written to his parents by his platoon commander in the Westminster Regiment.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Forbes:

Now you will have had official notification of your son's death.

I was Gerald's platoon commander, and was responsible for all the men. You would not like me to go into a detail of talking, and frankly I wouldn't if I could, though not as great as yours, is enough to make one very unhappy. Not to mention my army life, you would not know how much an officer depends on his N.C.O.'s and I say without exaggeration, that he was one of the finest men I have had and it will be practically impossible to replace him. He was one of the few who stood firm in the face of terrific shelling and dug even more than I do to make that short an outstanding success. A few things you would like to know are that he suffered not whatsoever for his death was instantaneous; he is resting in a Canadian cemetery just out of Vinsmora, not far from Ravenna, and this is from the home of one of the finest men I have ever known or had the honor to. Tell him I say, Salute, Gerald, and God is with you.

The thoughts and love of the whole of your son's platoon and you, Mother of a Noble Canadian.

I remain,
Yours, Capt. Lipp, Lieut.
No. 9 Platoon.

BRITISH BRIDGE

(RCA wins counting)

Troops who gained the left bank of the river in the first wave were forced to lie in the open all night after returning Japanese fire from boats in nearby half-hour. Under constant pressure for five days, the 14th Army front expanded the beachhead yard by yard until they gained a 10-mile-wide foothold near the village of Akyab.

Field dispatches described Japanese casualties heavy from British assaults as having "not been light."

The crossing posed a powerful threat to the Japanese position in Burma and elsewhere as one of the greatest obstacles faced by the Allies in the Burma campaign.

American and British army and medium bombers of the Eastern Air Command also joined the surrounding troop concentrations and supply dumps on the enemy's land routes south of Mandalay.

Units of the 30th Division of the 15th Indian Corps, with full air and air support, have made a successful landing at Donu, on the west coast of Burma, 66 miles southeast of Akyab, and occupied the village, a spokesman for the Command communique said today.

MASSIVE ALLIED

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Two bombers and a fighter were lost in the attack on Wesel and the overnight forays, the Air Ministry said.

The aerial offensive in Italy also continued yesterday with Italian-based U. S. bombers smashing hard at German communications in Austria.

Since Tuesday night nearly 7,500 R.A.F. and American bombers have hammered at targets in Germany and oil centres between the Rhine and the Russian front, with 62 planes lost in the operations.

Wesel has been a target three times during these attacks.

BOMBARD DUNKIRK

Folkestone, England, Feb. 19 (Reuters) — A heavy bombardment in the Dunkirk area was heard at this east coast town today. Nearly all morning the roll of gunfire echoed across the Straits of Dover and was still going on after midday. German troops are still holding out in the French port.

Obituary

MRS. LENORA J. CHARLTON

The funeral of Mrs. Lenora Jane Charlton, widow of William Alva Charlton, and late residence, 10 Metcalfe Street, took place from the Martin Funeral Home, Campbellford, on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 15th. The service in the home was conducted by the Rev. Dr. A. J. Terrill, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Shorter, United Church.

Pallbearers were the following nephews and the interment was in Mount Evergreen Cemetery, Rev. A. F. Shorten.

The bearers were the following nephews: Arthur Charlton, Campbellford, Clarence Logan, James Brymer, Harry Maddocks and Delbert Gallagher.

LATE ROY CAMERON CRONK

On Saturday afternoon, Feb. 15th, the funeral of Roy Cameron Cronk took place from his late residence, 215 Albert Street, and Grace United Church. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. W. T. Stephenson of Bridge Street United Church.

Interment took place at Belleville cemetery.

The bearers were Messrs. Ernest Mills, Harry Mills, Ernest Hall, Marie Locke, J. V. C. Truskan and Harry Jones.

MRS. SARAH SARLES (Stratton)

Trenton —(Special)— One of the oldest residents of Frankford village passed away Thursday morning, when Mrs. Sarah Sarles, widow of the late Adchael Sarles, died at her home on Main Street, village on Saturday. She was in her 90th year. She is survived by two sons, Dr. Roy Sarles of Belleville, Melville, and Mr. Frank Sarles of Frankford.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 18th, from the late residence in Frankford to the Anglican Church for service. Interment in Frankford Cemetery.

HARRY SIMPSON (English Settlement)

Trenton (Special) — Resident of this district for many years, Harry Simpson who was employed in the maintenance department of the Trenton Air Station Mr. Simpson died Simpson of English Settlement, Sidney Township, on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 15th, following a short illness. Monday. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon.

Born in Trenton 68 years ago, Mr. Simpson was the late Dr. F. J. Simpson and Mrs. Simpson. Deceased was educated in Trenton public and high schools. He was a member of the Methodist church.

He is survived by his wife, the former Mary May; his mother, residing in Brighton; two sons, Percy of Sidney, Carl (Marian) Davis of Smporium, Pa.; two daughters, Mrs. Palmer of Oshawa. There are also two grandchildren, Mrs. Simpson and Mrs. William Hendricks of Trenton.

The funeral was held from his late residence with Rev. Grant of Wellington conducting the service in the home. Bearers were Ron Simpson, Ralph Simpson, Ernest Lind, Arthur Hayes, Ernest Irvin and Ken Simpson. Interment was made in St. George's Cemetery.

MRS. W. E. CONNOR (Madoc)

Madoc, Feb. 19 (Special)—Mrs. W. E. Connor died at her home here early this morning. She was in failing health for some months. Mrs. Connor was the former Miss Ethel Ashley, and had been living the many years she made her home here. She took a high place in the regard of many friends to whom her death has brought much sorrow. For 25 years she was Women's Institute she was an active worker and organizer and she was a charter member of the Rebekah Lodge here.

Surviving her are her husband, Mr. W. E. Connor hardware merchant, one son, Arthur Connor, Madoc, and one daughter, Mrs. Arthur Bird, Madoc.

The funeral announcement is made this day.

MR. JOSEPH COX (Madoc)

After an illness of some duration, Joseph Cox, a resident of Madoc, died at his home on the Belleville General Hospital on Friday, Feb. 14th, at the age of 74. Mr. Cox who was in his 74th year, had been living in the village for a number of years. He was a member of Bethesday Anglican Church. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Addie Reid of Madoc; one son, Andrew, Madoc; two daughters, Grace of Belleville, and Mrs. Alma Connery of Toronto; two brothers, John of Toronto, and Harry of Malone; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Hawkins and Mrs. Fred Ham of Madoc.

The funeral took place from Tufts and Kelly Funeral Home on Monday afternoon at St. John's Anglican Church, with the rector, Rev. Mr. Hicks, conducting the service. The L.O.L. No. 1 Madoc Band was a member, sat in a body. Interment took place at Lakeview Cemetery.

MRS. ANNE TIGHE (Point Anne)

Mrs. Anne Tighe, wife of Mr. John Tighe, died at her home at Point Anne, Sunday, Feb. 16th, after an illness of six months' duration.

Born in Thurlow Township, the late Mrs. Tighe was in her 61st year, and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Summers. All her life was passed in the district where she was born. She was a faithful member of St. Michael's Church, Belleville, and was well known.

Surviving her are her husband, Mr. John Tighe; one sister, Miss Ella Summers, Toronto; three brothers, Messrs. John Summers, Edmonton; Matt. Summers, Dunand, Mich.; James Summers, Hochester, N.Y., and Frank Summers of Thurlow Township.

The funeral announcement is made in this issue.

LATE ALBERT DUNKLEY

Rawdon—The funeral of the late Albert Dunkley was held on Sunday afternoon in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, with Rev. T. Townsend, B.A., B.D., officiating. Hymns sung were "Abide With Me," "O, God Our Help in Ages Past," "Rock of Ages," "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "The Lord is My Shepherd."

The bearers were Messrs. Wesley Sharp, Will Potts, Claude Sharp, Ed. Sharp, Harry Maddocks and James Sharp.

The interment was made in the family plot at English Line Cemetery.

MRS. HARRIETT JANE MOTT

Mrs. Harriett Jane Mott, late residence, 4 College Street, and widow of Allan G. Mott, died in the Belleville General Hospital late on Tuesday afternoon. Her death occurred suddenly and she was progressing favorably from the results of an operation which she underwent in the hospital this week. Death, therefore, occurred suddenly from other causes.

The late Mrs. Mott, who was in her 75th year, was born in Thurlow Township and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hendrick Dafoe. In her life was passed in this city and district and her death will be learned of by many friends to whom her kindly disposition had brought sincere feelings of regard. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving to mourn her loss are one daughter, Mrs. Ernest Wall, at home, and one son, Mr. Charles Mott, Belleville City Engineer, and two sisters, Mrs. Hector Grant, Thurlow Township, and Mrs. Lorne Frankford. Her husband died twenty years ago.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, until early this afternoon, when the funeral of son, Mr. Charles A. Mott, 17 Forin Street, will take place, arrangements is made in this issue.

THOMAS D. McCUTCHEON

Thomas Dunbar McCutcheon, formerly of Point Anne, Belleville, was destroyed by fire a short time ago in the Belleville General Hospital, early this morning, after a brief illness.

Born on Mount Forest, Ontario, the late Mr. McCutcheon, was in his 74th year. He was one son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William McCutcheon, pioneers of Point Anne. For many years he lived in Mount Forest, the State of New Jersey, and Toronto. For the past fifteen years he had made his home in Belleville. He was a member of Christ Church and was well esteemed.

Surviving him are one sister, Mrs. John Canning, Belleville, with whom he made his home, and one niece, Mrs. Clarence Stalley, Toronto. He never married.

Rev. Mr. Thomas C. Thompson, Funeral Home, 36 Everett St., has charge. Interment announcement is made in this issue.

LATE MRS. ALEX. JOHNSTON

Rawdon.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Alex. Johnston, 2nd, a resident of Rawdon, was held in Wellington Street United Church, the city of Belleville, on Friday afternoon with a large number of friends and relatives in attendance.

The choir rendered the hymns "Nearer to Thee," and "Abide With Me." Interment was made in Belleville Cemetery.

The bearers were Messrs. Wallace Graham, Ernest Mayhew, Albert Graham and George Mackee.

Mrs. Johnston, who formerly Miss Annie Casey and had lived in Rawdon practically all her life suffered on the battlefield where his 9-on yes-terday killed 2,000 enemy troops and tightened their stranglehold on the Imphal plain. A force of 200,000 Japanese are fighting.

100 Divisions Attacking

Berlin said 100 Soviet Divisions were attacking in an attempt to wipe out the trapped Germans in that sector.

Overlooking the Germans launched 20 counter attacks in an effort to break the encirclement which has been tightening for weeks. They were beaten off and the Soviet troops drove into the city's outskirts.

By official Moscow account 7,-640 Germans were killed, captured or killed in fighting along the 800-mile front during the week to Sat., 150 the total of Germans and Hungarians reported killed or captured in the last week, including the casualties in the city and the siege of Budapest.

The Paris radio said this morning the Russians were opening up huge offensive in the Ukraine, and asserted that Marshal Gregory Zhukov, Soviet commander-in-chief was massing all his reserves of men and material for this final assault on Berlin.

IN MEMORIAM

LUCAS — In loving memory of a dear father, Charles Leslie Lucas, who passed away four years ago today, February 19, 1941.

As daytime turns to evening,
And the sun sinks out of view,
There is one that shines more brightly,
It's that loving dad of mine,
Sweet memories are dear but they don't grieve for me.
When you are all down on your knees
Go down when God thinks best, dear,
He will call you home.
—Ever remembered by his daughter, Dorothy.

CHOUINARD — In loving memory of Georgina Chouinard, who died on February 17th, 1942.
No one can tell but my own heart
May be,
How deep the wound that never healed.
We may seem happy and gay,
But the sorrow in our hearts is there to stay.
We have missed you so, dear mother,
For there's no one who can ever take your place.
Sadly missed by daughter, Mrs. E. Woodacre and family.

ROWLAND — In loving memory of my beloved mother, Mrs. E. Rowland, who passed away in Brighton, England, on February 19, 1941.
Two dear bright eyes, a tender heart
A loving heart that knew no guile,
God called her home, it was His will
But in my heart she liveth still.
—Sadly missed by her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Fry.

RUSSIANS

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reported attacking last week-end in the Kursk area.

Soviet correspondents last Friday said the Russians were within sight of the city's suburbs, with Besakow and Cotibus are located, and indicated that Orlean might have been by-passed at that time. Orlean was captured today and Cuben was under artillery fire and the German communique said a violent battle was raging in the streets of the place.

Marshal Zhukov remained quiet in his sector along the Oder where the Russians are within from 30 to 40 miles from Berlin, but the Germans' communiques said this was the "lull before the storm."

Sagan, a air-way railway centre 90 miles southeast of Berlin, was captured by the Russians over the week-end after a bloody two-day fight in the virtually encircled city.

Overrun Nazmberg

A Soviet communique said the Southern wing of Marshal Ivan S. Konev's 1st Ukraine Army had overrun Nazmberg in Poland on the threshold of Saxony. Nazmberg lies 100 miles from Berlin.

Marshal Konev's northern wing battled 20 miles west of Sprottau, Silesia, in the face of several German counter-attacks.

Moscow said the 3rd. White Russian Army had scored new gains in the Vitebsk area, where the Germans were tempted by announcement of the death of that army's territorial commander, Gen. Ivan. D. Chernikhovsky.

Youngest of the Russian front leaders, this 37-year-old Jewish tank expert died of wounds suffered on the battlefield where his 3-on yesterday killed 2,000 enemy troops and tightened their stranglehold on the Imphal plain. A force of 200,000 Japanese are fighting.

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ELDORADO WINS FROM MARMORA

A very exciting game of hockey again took place on Madoc Ice, Friday night, Eldorado took Marmora for a score of 7-1. Eldorado had the best combination this with Madoc and if Eldorado is successful in these they will take the trophy.

The goals scored for Eldorado were by Hubbs 4, Hubbs 2, and Thompson, 1. For Marmora, Mellrod did the scoring of the goal.

This game was still better than Wednesday's game as there were only two or three penalties called and it was a very great game for Marmora while on the ice, Referee Stewart held Marmora at centre.

The referee for last night's game were Runner and Cummings. It was thought for some time that it would be a shut out for Eldorado but in the last quarter of second period Marmora got a break away and got the only goal of the evening. Mrs. P. Reeves was the timekeeper and the goal judges were Jack Ingle's game for the sum of $10.00.

BIRTH

BREARLEY — At Belleville General Hospital on Sunday, February 16th, 1941, to Dr. and Mrs. Brearley, a son—Donald Thomas.

HURLEY — To Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hurley, 851 North Drive, Fort Harry, Penetanguishene, on February 14th, 1941, at Penetanguishene General Hospital, a son, Thomas Murray Hurley.

DEATHS

TIGHE — At Point Anne on Sunday, February 16th, Anne Summers, beloved wife of John Tighe, in her 61st year.
The funeral will be held from her late residence on Tuesday, February 20th, to St. Michael's Church for Requiem Mass at 9.30 a.m. Interment St. James Cemetery.

BOWLER — In the Belleville General Hospital on Friday, February 14th, 1941, Mrs. Annie (Hazlip) Bowler, widow of David Bowler, residence 4 Milton Bowler, Peterborough, and Mrs. Ed. Hazlip, Hastings, 24 Sidney St., Belleville, in her 61st year.
Funeral Monday afternoon, February 19th, at 2.30 from the Memorial Home, Church Street. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

COLLINS — In Sydney, Nova Scotia, on Thursday, February 13, as a result of an explosion and fire in the Dominion Coal Building, L.C.G., Herbert William Collins, age 40, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Collins, 209 Dundas St. East, Trenton.
Resting at the Grant Funeral Home, North Front Street, from whence the funeral will take place on Wednesday, February 21st. Service to be held at 2.30 p.m. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

McCUTCHEON — In the Belleville General Hospital on Monday morning, February 17th, 1941, Thomas Dunbar McCutcheon, formerly of 14 Isabel Street, beloved brother of Mrs. John Canning, Belleville, in his 74th year.
Resting at Thomas C. Thompson Funeral Home, 36 Everett Street, from whence the funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon, February 21st. Service in the home at 2.30 p.m. Interment family plot Belleville Cemetery.

CONNOR — At Madoc, on Monday, February 17th, 1941, Ethel Ashley, beloved wife of William E. Connor.

The funeral will be held from her late home on Wednesday, February 21st, service in the home at 2.30 p.m. Interment Lakeview Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Albert Dunkley and family wish to express their very sincere thanks and appreciation to many friends for their kindness in their sickness and sympathy during their recent bereavement. Also wish to thank those who assisted in the home and for the many messages of kindness and sympathy.

YANKS SWARM

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Japanese snipers, hidden in remaining buildings, kept up their fire from rooftops and attacked the civilians. Those freed included at least 100 hospital patients. Studded with mines, there were thousands of refugees from the city streets drove into the city's outskirts.

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From You So Little, For Them So Much

Oh, excuse me, buddy, I slipped accidentally. Not used to these crutches, y'know.

What's that? Yeah, just got back from over there. I'm Bobby Jones, one of Gordon's guys. What's the name like that.

Yeah, it was pretty tough over there. There was muck, and blood and hell. Days, and nights of a world turned inside out. Guts and gore, mud for your mattress, snow for a blanket, and all through it all the hellish din of war.

No, we didn't yield. Yes we were doing it for a purpose. We had ideas of what would happen if we didn't do our bit.

There were times when we dreamed too, of the old days. We saw the little red schoolhouse; kids fishin' in the old crick and playin' hookey to go swimmin'. Then there was the little corner store where we used to sit Saturday nights, or go down to the rink and show our play shinny. We used to see sunlight dancing over wheat fields, or making red harvest moons.

Then there was "Mom" who smiled when she left. We used to see her standing in the kitchen door, pullin' the kids in every night and get our dinner. There was Pop too, and Sis, the red beaux, and the old mare which we used to ride back the lane.

Sure, we dreamed all about those things, for after all they were what we were fightin' for.

Where did I get it? Oh, we were crunchin' the Jerries river at Italy and my buddy and I were part of a mortar detachment. We had just got set to fire off several rounds when Jerry got our range. He dropped a heavy shell square in our position. I got my leg badly mangled but my buddy got it in the stomach.

Sure, the stretchers caught up with us and did a swell job too. But there were a lot of casualties that day. I got fixed up—but my buddy—well he won't come back. It's too bad, Bill was a regular guy.

How bad was he hit? Well, he was seriously wounded, but he might have come back.

How? Well, mister if you don't mind, I'm lazy talkin'. It was like this. Those stretcher fellows had attended to a lot of guys who were hit before they reached our foxhole. By this time they fixed me up well they were out of one of the most precious things a wounded man gets in battle—morphine. Yeah, you guessed it. Bill would be here today if the medicine had had four or five more plasmas to give him. But they hadn't.

Just a minute mister, don't go. There's somethin' else I would like to say. The folks back home here and especially in Bellville have done and are doing a swell job in standing behind us over there, but what's wrong with 'em as far as giving blood is concerned? I went to the Blood Clinic at the other day and there were a lot of service boys and folks from the country there, but very few from Bellville. I was showed up. That just don't look good after the fine job they have done in other phases of the war effort.

You five here, mister? Well, tell your city buddies that we're dependin' on 'em to help us out in the Blood Clinic. It don't hurt, and what's a few drops of blood to folks who never heard the roar of a rocket, the whine of a screaming shell, or the rattle of heavy machine guns. The only roar of a plane they've heard is from trainers.

No, don't get sore, mister. Jim Bellville talks rough but he's a regular guy. I'll help all right myself or even a hurt puppy. It's the same thing; only it's their own flesh and blood they might be saving. Hell ves, chum, that the boy over there is one of them, and needs a lot more to need a helluva lot more, before asking them for a little help. Well, Tell 'em to go down on Thursday night to the Clinic here.

Seventeen Belleville and District Veterans Arrived in Kingston, Fri.

Seventeen Belleville and Bellville district veterans of the many fighting fronts overseas were included in the list of Canadian army personnel who arrived in Kingston from overseas on Friday. The group included Lieut. Ross Irvine, who was in the second quota of rotation leave from the European theatre and the United Kingdom, "muddy, walking" ones, trimwood personnel and soldiers returning for medical disposal.

Returning for duty in Canada were Sgt. F. E. Delyea of Bancroft; Sgt. J. A. Smith of Frankford (Grwsund); Pte. A. W. Sharpe of Brighton, and Pte. R. A. Wickett of Foxboro.

Pte. Wickett is still only 16 years of age, having enlisted when only 14 with the Royal Canadian Artillery. After training at Petawawa and Hamilton he saw service in England and had been in France for one month before being wounded and was layered by army officers.

Arriving home on rotation leave were L/Sgt. H. W. Brookes, R. R. 3, Stirling; Gnr. W. G. Cook, 21 St. Paul; Sgt. R. M. Dafoe, R.S.M. 32 Duffy, Victoria Ave., Belleville; Sgt. A. Hess, Brimley, Bloomfield; Rfmn. M. W. Johnston, 13 South Front Street, Belleville; Cpl. C. Latta, 8 Brasser Street, Belleville; Pte. R. E. Martin, 10 Amable; and L/Sgt. J. W. Laird, Dundas Street, Belleville.

Medical walking cases returning were Pte. F. W. Bird, Trenton; Cpl. Ross Irvine, 32 Bridge Street East, Belleville; Rfmn. A. J. Carrol, St. Ola, and Pte. R. Chouinard, Trenton.

Fuel Dealers Have Plenty Of Troubles

While there is no serious shortage of fuel in the city, local deliveries are providing a problem to local coal dealers.

Delays in getting cars and trucks and consistent demande for fuel from all parts of the city have resulted in many head-scratching sessions on the part of local supply men here.

Deliveries from supply sources are trickling into the city with some difficulty, retailers said, and dealers and others another week. Some small cars arrived at intermittent periods.

However, there is a plentiful supply of soft coal here and there isn't much danger of any one suffering unduly dealers state.

Orders have been pouring in to dealers' offices where these gentlemen and their staffs are being kept busy, keeping customers satisfied.

Conditions of city streets since the mild thaw and subsequent cold weather, plus the fact that some of the heavy have been sick, and with vehicular breakdowns thrown in for good measure have provided a number of headaches for worried dealers.

Memorial Service For Cpl. G. A. Soule

"If we hope to see the sort of world that will be safe for our children we must not forget those of those who have died in this ghastly war," the Rev. Canon Bedford-Jones stated Rev. H. C. Eastman during the memorial service held in Trinity Anglican Ave. Baptist Church Sunday morning in honor of Opl. Garnet A. Soule, who was killed in action on action January 30th.

Opl. Soule, who was only one of our debts is to render all our Christian Virtues, love and tenderness to the bereaved, who have lost husband, father and friend. He further stated Rev. H. C. Eastman during the service held in Trinity Anglican Ave. Baptist Church Sunday morning in honor of Opl. Garnet A. Soule, who was killed in action on action January 30th.

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Police Blotter

Kingston police reported the theft of a 1935 Ford sedan over the weekend. The theft occurred between 11 p.m. Saturday (1943) when taken. The car is the property of Kenneth Kennedy of that city.

While patrolling the downtown area of Belleville at 10:30 o'clock this evening P.C. Doherty observed a car parked on Front Street, in a strange manner. Closer scrutiny revealed that Gordon Lewis was in possession of a quantity of what police say is "home made whiskey." Three young men, James Holmes, Wallace Malloy and Donald Markham, were also found in the car and charged under the Liquor Control Act, appeared before Magistrate Ponton this morning.

Several other interlaces ran into the children's line and a number were arrested on drunk charges Saturday night. All were released to appear in police magistrate's court on Tuesday.

NAZI ARRIVES IN ARGENTINA

London, Feb. 19 (CP)—The Moscow radio said today that Karl Friedrich Borchem, son of Martin Bormann, Deputy Leader of the Nazi party, had arrived by plane in Argentina.

YANKS BOMB FORMOSA

San Francisco, Feb. 19 — (AP) — The Japanese Domei agency said today that hundreds of American planes bombed Formosa Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The broadcast, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, said 160 planes attacked Island Friday, 170 Saturday and 300 Sunday.

COLLEGIATE NEWS

ASSEMBLY

Special Speaker:

The assembly this week was postponed until the eighth in the afternoon. On Monday at our special speaker was Mr. McGill, Assistant Field Secretary for the Canadian National Institute for The Blind. Mr. McGill delivered an interesting talk on the work of the organization and explained the success attained by various members in learning and carrying out a natural life.

Literary Entertainment:

Due to the presence of Mr. Fuller, the Music Inspector, the Glee Club was called upon to deliver a series of numbers. Singing from the balcony they gave "Sweet and Low," "Waltzing Matilda," a popular song, and "Gaudeamus" and "God's Chilhun Got Wings". In a short address after these numbers, Mr. Fenwick commended the Glee Club and the band on their fine work.

W. J. S.

Our Second Tuner Deserves Another

The 2nd tuner of the Bell family is about nine pounds more than the other two. The reason for this is the St. Valentine's Day addition in the form of a baby girl, Janice Helen. Sincerest congratulations from everyone.

COMING EVENTS

Week of Monday, February 19th to Saturday, February 24rd.

Monday, February 19th, is a compulsory day for all boys in the Collegiate. Come and support the Basketball. Two games will be played as see also that the soldier is given an equal opportunity to share the contests back in the civilian life when he returns to compete with those who, because only to themselves and God, were oblig-ed to stay home and work hard and plenty. Then we must pay our debt to God, by living the kind of life worth being bought by the sacrifice of our soldiers. While I had not the opportunity to know Opl. Soule personally I do know that he died for me."

During the service Mr. H. Hyrke-Jones sang "I'm Not Ready," accompanied at the piano by Donald Houston, while the choir rendered "Lead Kindly Light." The R.C.I. Bugle Boys' hockey va Albert at the arena. Better fill-up the Bell Tank and the basketball game and then go to the arena to see the hockey game at 8:30.

Friday, February 23rd: As far as we know there are no extracurricular games today. The Teen-Agers Club is still in operation on Friday nights. Everybody goes. Why not you?

Grim Reminder: Les Examens ne sont pas treş loin.

V. C. M.

Boys' Sports

Basketball.

Flash . . . Seniors Defeat Stirling.

The War Today— U.S. Landing on Midget Island Of Iwo is Big Scale Operation

By DeWITT MacKENZIE
(Associated Press War Analyst)

Americans Marines finally have given us the denouement of the 70-odd day bombardment of Iwo Jima by fighting chiefly on the ground this little island, which lies only 700 miles from Tokyo and supplying no fierce combat with a strong garrison of Japanese who think may total 10,000 men or more.

Two Jima—Jima means island—is tiny spot in the Pacific but strategically it's a mighty stem, as it is a peak-for for an air force on the Midako's front door. Its capture will represent a major step toward the invasion of the Japanese mainland. Thus, the battle for this mutton-leg island, which is about eight square miles of volcanic formation, is one of the highly important operations of the whole Pacific war.

The amphibious invasion is a big scale operation, despite the midget size of the island, and is on the great strength of the Japanese garrison and the defenses there.

The capture of Iwo Jima will serve a double purpose both of festive and defensive. The threat posed by Iwo-based planes will be eliminated and American forces will be so close to the Japanese mainland that they not only can use superfortresses but for the first time will be able to employ land-based light bombers and fighters.

In short, this operation and the reclamation of Luzon in the Philippines are the two big steps in the air and naval blockade that it will be a gavrol around Tokyo's neck.

Gilbert Loveless, Garth Sharpe Held for Robbery

Charged with robbery with violence, Gilbert Loveless and Garth Sharpe, both of Belleville, are being held in custody by local police authorities today. Loveless and Sharpe will face the above charges as a sequel to an alleged attack on Ivan Scott, also of Belleville, who reported to police he had been struck and relieved of approximately $80 last Friday night.

Following extensive investigations on Saturday P. C. Doherty arrested Loveless on Front Street, while on Sunday Inspector J. C. Hayes arrested Sharpe as an alleged accomplice. Both are being held in custody on robbery with violence charges, bail having been refused. They will appear in police court Tuesday, Chief Probert announced at noon.

The bicycle arrived at the police station late Friday night complaining that the bike and two men in a local downtown restaurant following which he was unable to remember exactly what had occurred. Examinations revealed that Scott had a large bruise on his head and he was immediately taken to the hospital for medical treatment. Later he informed police he had received about two hundred dollars denomination and was relieved of approximately $80 when he reported the matter to police.

Fourteen Meet Violent Deaths During Weekend

Seven Die In Fires That Caused Damage Estimated at $1,250,000

(By The Canadian Press)

Fourteen persons met violent deaths, seven in fires that caused damage estimated at more than $1,250,000, and three others were reported missing throughout the Dominion during the weekend. Five of the lives claimed by the fires were children.

Two persons were drowned, three are missing and six others were injured yesterday after the 27-foot Indian dugout in which they were traveling from Squamish, B.C., to Capilano, six miles north, overturned in Howe Sound. Names of the occupants of the boat were not learned immediately, although all were rescued save one woman.

A $1,000,000 fire gutted an entire block on the main thoroughfare at Chatham, Ont., destroying five stores and two apartments and depriving about 75 persons of property. No casualties were reported.

At Windsor, Ont., four small Negro children died last night in a fire which destroyed the family home. Parents were kept at a distance by flames raging through the building. They were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Jones, 37, and their children, Clayton Basil, Banks, 16 months, daughters Ann Marie, 4 years, and Mary Ellen Ann Banks, daughter of Evelyn Banks.

Burned in Home.

Nine-year-old Jack Graham died in a fire which destroyed the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. George Graham, five miles from Hornby, Sask. Nine other children, alone in the house when the blaze started, escaped. Trapped into the 30-below zero weather, three of them under 10 years old were injured, two burned to death and another severely burned. Mrs. Jarrett Ont., was removed to hospital in serious condition following a blaze which destroyed her home at Bay Lake, Kay House hotel block at North Bay was destroyed.

Besides the hotel, six business establishments were destroyed.

At St. Catharines, Ont., Ernest Peters, about 45, died last night en route to hospital of burns suffered in a fire at his home when an oil stove exploded.

At Toronto, five children and six adults were forced from their home when flames caused an estimated $7,500 damage in a two-storey brick building. Laura Vinnicombe, 34, was credited with rescuing two 5-year-old children from the burning residents.

Fire early this yesterday destroyed a large section of the "Commercial Centre" at Lac La Ronge, Sask., according to a message from Lac La Ronge Indian Agency. No one was injured.

At Lachenaill, Que., firemen from Longueuil, Montreal, and Montreal-Nord were called to fight a blaze that destroyed the administration offices of the Canadian Car camp there.

Rescue Five Children.

Firemen at London, Ont., rescued five small children and five other persons escaped when fire destroyed their home at 1438 Waterloo Street. Damage was estimated at $5,000.

At Hull, Que., damage estimated at $100,000 was caused and 12 persons were left homeless when a two-alarm fire swept a main street business section Saturday night.

In Toronto, William Howlett, 51-year-old war worker was killed by an automobile Saturday while crossing the road, and John Higgins, 64, died in hospital early yesterday a few hours after accidentally swallowing a quantity of poison.

Mrs. Alfred Giroux of Quebec City, died en route to hospital early today night after neighbors investigated a disturbance in her house found her covered with blood on the floor of her kitchen. Remi Giroux, her husband, is being held by police as a material witness for the Deputy Coroner's inquest.

LAC. Noah Anthony Timmins, 20 year old son of Hon. Jack Timmins, Jr., Montreal mining financier, was killed Saturday when his training plane crashed at Mountain View, west of Ottawa.

At Sydney River, N.S., Mrs. Murray Ball, 65, of nearby Westmount, was killed and her son was seriously injured when a Canadian National Railways work train collided with their car late Saturday night. The injured included Abie Cassidy, 17, Sydney River, French Canadian amateur boxing champion. His condition was described as critical.

Living Accommodation Urgently Needed by Air Force Young Couples

A most urgent appeal from the North Vennie Rooms Registry for Belleville householders to rent vacant rooms in their homes to Air Force personnel and their wives was issued this morning as registry officials were at loss to know where to provide accommodation for the many Air Force officers recently stationed either in Trenton or Picton Ontario View.

According to officials of the local Rooms Registry the demand for housing accommodation in Belleville was never so great as is is at the present time. Air Force officers, many of them returned from overseas after completing their tour of operations, are being posted to the local stations and are bringing their wives and expecting to live in Belleville.

The urgency accommodation was provided for many wives of service personnel arriving in the city over the weekend, but officials in the Rooms Registry indicated permanent accommodation could not be immediately provided. Where to find the accommodation was the pressing problem.

Canadians Eat Well on German Chickens, Geese

By NED NORDNESS

With canadian and British Troops in Germany, Feb. 19 (AP)—Allied troops advancing in this country-side in Field Marshal Montgomery's northern offensive between the Rhine and Maas Rivers are living off the fat of the land—German fat.

There is a chicken or a goose in nearly every pot that sets over the little front-door charcoal burners at night, and those who don't have a plump fowl probably are broiling steaks or roasts.

The German farmers lived well, as contrasted to the Dutch on the other side of the border. There was a wealth of foodstuffs on both sides and an absolute lack of it on the other.

The Germans were pushed back so fiercely they had no time to take the livestock with them. Most of make off with canned goods.

"Cripes," said Sgt. Paul Goyer of Montreal, "you ought to see the size some of these backwoods guys when they get fattened up through the fall days of this battle.

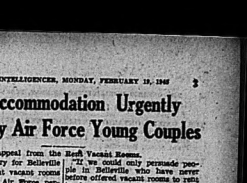
"No help me, you'd see guys plus a German, reach for a chicken, twist the head and knock off another Heinie all in one motion."

Huge stores of liquor have been captured, too, but much of it was looted by the Germans from Holland, Belgium and France. Booze, too, are well furnished.

"That's loot," said Tpr. George Bisset, Verdun, Que. "See that bottle-shaped thing over there? Well, it had a plano, two cases of liquor and some bread, cups, razor-cover furniture. They are litter of covers delivered from the homes of occupants.

It is true that excellent furniture, and that is doubtless why so many every home. There are leather chairs for the poorest family, and the rest of Europe clogs along in wooden shoes.

The civilians smile and protest they are innocent of nazism. All Germans, they say, they have been waiting for "liberation." But both Canadian and British troops and Hitler's pictures hastily tucked away.



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100	34.34	17.55	11.96	9.17	$ 7.49	
150	51.51	26.33	17.94	13.75	11.24	
200	68.68	35.11	23.94	18.34	14.99	
300	103.01	52.66	35.88	27.50	22.48	
400	137.35	70.21	47.84	36.67	29.98	
500	171.69	87.76	59.80	45.84	37.47	
600	206.02	105.32	71.77	55.01	44.97	$34.96
700	240.37	122.87	83.73	64.18	52.46	40.79
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Warning to Japan

A few days ago it was the landing on Luson, then it was Manila, from which Japan heard bad news and now it is Corregidor, the rocky island in Manila Bay, which is in American hands.

The Allied advance against the Japanese has been steady step by step and it is now speeding up. Strategic centres of the Japanese homeland have been visited by Flying Fortresses with increasing tempo and all the news of the American attacks have brought good tidings to Washington and the United States and the other Allied capitals and peoples and grim warnings to the Japanese aggressors.

With the great war in Europe requiring so great attention what has been achieved against Japan is one of the marvels of the fine patience, tact and productiveness of the United Nations, the fine sense of understanding and co-operation which keeps the two wars moving towards their end, that in Germany on a very fast rate and Japan's to follow shortly after the main criminal government falls.

60,000 Tons on Berlin

The Air Ministry announced the past week 60,000 tons of bombs had been dropped on Berlin since the war began. Of this total the U.S.A.A.F. has dropped 15,000 tons. The 45,000 tons which is the share of the R.A.F. and Dominion Air Forces is much more than generally realized, and reveals the importance of the almost nightly Mosquito raids and the occasional attacks by small forces of Lancasters.

The great R.A.F. raids on Berlin began in November, 1943. There were twenty-two of them, and when they ended in March, 1944, Berlin had been at the receiving end of 33,000 tons. Since then there have been no major raids on the German capital by Bomber Command. The city was turned over to the Mosquitos and small night raid forces. On no one night since March last year has Berlin had more than 500 tons dropped on it. On most nights it has been under a hundred tons. These small raids, however, have been so regular and persistent that in eleven months they have added 12,000 tons to the 33,000. The Nazis like to call them "Nuisance Raids." The total tonnage dropped on Berlin during eleven months of the 1939-40 blitz was only 7,500 tons, and no one who was there brushed that off as a nuisance.

One word of warning about these figures. It would be a mistake to attempt a comparison between the American and the British totals. Except for the recent great raid on Berlin, communications this month, most American attacks on the capital have been aimed at special key targets in the suburbs, bail bearing factories and aircraft plants. These were not targets that demanded great tonnage, but their destruction fitted in with the joint Anglo-American air strategy just as closely as the great mass raids of the R.A.F.

In Lent

A large part of the Christian world is now observing the season of Lent, that period of the year which prepares it for the great Christian festival of Easter. Fittingly it is in the winter season when there is more inclination to meditation and study and also more time for meditation than there is in any other part of the year.

In the modern world of speed and industry there is felt the need for this time of quiet moments and meditation, the taking of time to pause which is productive of strength as, so many have discovered to their happiness in directing their minds on the great issues of life.

The world in which we live is one of restless movement with its myriads of thrills and it is also a world in which noise is prominent and for these the season of Lent can offer a soothing and a staying influence.

The season is more and more occupying the minds of many people.

New Synthetic Building Material

A new synthetic building material which combines the properties of concrete and wood has been evolved in Britain.

It is made by mixing sawdust with concrete. Hitherto no way of "marrying" sawdust to concrete has been found—but British scientists have discovered a chemical process which successfully blends them.

The new wood-concrete can be produced in bricks or panels of any shape or size. It is especially suitable for interior partitioning, since it can be sawn, drilled or nailed, exactly like wood.

Unlike wood it does not warp, takes a high glass and can be stained any color.

The Good Wife

(New York Herald Tribune)

There are various desirable virtues in wives, and those cherished in one country do not always find favor in another. In America a girl who wanted to marry an army officer would not think of learning to make shoes as a preparation for wedded bliss, while in China she would be well advised to do so.

Leather shoes are scarce in China and priced beyond the incomes of all but the highest army officers. A colonel or a one-star general, however, can afford cloth shoes, especially if they are made by his wife. A good pair of cloth shoes will last a week or two, which gives the wife plenty of time to make a replacement.

Because of their many incomes, it is difficult for Chinese army officers, which makes the shoe problem more troublesome. Another type of dashing an officer is the fathers of eligible girls are not likely to encourage him. One father in Yunnan province, for instance, publicly that no one could marry his daughter who could not show a check for a half-million dollars, equivalent in purchasing power to approximately $1,000 United States.

As a result, the girl became known at the headquarters of the Chinese Expeditionary Force as "Miss Five Hundred Thousand." There are not many Chinese officers who could produce that sum, even to marry the liveliest girl — and the best shoemaker — in the world.

One Lump, Or One Half?

(Christian Science Monitor)

The restaurant that wishes to display a sign requesting customers to use less sugar and stir harder — "we don't mind the stir" — probably will hang out two signs now. Or as Spenser might have put it, more or less elegantly:

Sweet is the rose, but grows upon a briar;
Sweet is the juniper, but sharp his bough;
Sweet is the eglantine, but pricketh near;
Sweet is the freshbloom, but his branches rough
And sweet is prayer, but there ain't enough.

At such a time it is a comfort to reflect that sugar is one of the things that other people can do quite well without. Even you yourself are getting along with no more than at present. And as Milton reminded us, you can have too much of a sugary thing. He once wrote gloomily of "a wilderness of sweets." But that was in "Paradise Lost." In "Paradise Regained" there is no mention of an OPA.

Planes vs. Battleship?

(Newsweek Magazine)

The Navy has officially chalked up another trophy for air power. It has credited to planes alone the sinking of the modern Jap battleship Mussashi, comparable to the U.S.S. Iowa in size, armor and equipment, including anti-aircraft defences. The Prince of Wales, sunk off Malaya in 1941, lacked modern anti-aircraft defence, and the Tirpitz was caught where it could not manoeuvre. Thus ends another round in the long argument over planes vs. ships.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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TIME

When I was young and healthy
I thought I'd time enough,
For who has youth is wealthy,
But time is slippery stuff.
Life sand, it slips the fingers,
And hold it as one can;
No second of it lingers
To suit the whims of man.

From joy to joy I hasted
Nor stopped to count the cost,
But oh, the hours I wasted,
And oh, the days I lost!
Now this unto my sorrow
I've learned as all will learn,
Time's stuff no man can borrow
And by and by return.
The days to hoard were not meant;
From east to west the sun
Is every man's allotment:
No more to any one!
And none may snatch or steal it
Or seize his brother's share,
Like money, to conceal it
And boast the fortune, fair.

In spite of prayer or pleading
The hour hand moves along,
No slowing down or speeding
For what seems right or wrong.
Though youth may think these's plenty
And that for sport Time was meant,
He'll learn, when three times twenty,
How soon the days are spent.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FILES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 19, 1925

Inspector T. D. Ruston was in Toronto today attending an executive meeting of the Children's Aid Society of Canada.

At the Turnbull Street skating rink National Castings 4 defeated the Boosters three to zero and the Wolves of the North defeated the Tigers four to zero. "Good-looking" was the verdict of everyone, says the sports writer of that day, adding: "Ken Codling, who handled the bell last night was very satisfactory to the players of the four teams."

J. Marmora resident, Sanford Lawrence, has bagged five wolves, two foxes and a fisher in a week. Four of the wolves were shot as they were pursued on the ice across a lake. They were close up on the deer yarding, when they brought down. The fifth wolf was caught in a trap.

30 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY, 19, 1915

Ontario Business College girls defeated Whitby Girl Champions, four to one at hockey here.

Mayor W. J. Nicholls has received acknowledgments from the mayors of the towns of Belleville, Kansas, and Belleville, Pennsylvania, of his message of sympathy on behalf of the city on the one hundred years of peace between Canada and the United States.

At Kingston an impressive ceremony took place when "Fred Six" Battery, C.F.A., of that place was presented with the King's Colors by the Veterans' Battery in town. This was of interest to Belleville and district as Major W. R. Riordon, formerly of the 34th. Battery, C.F.A., was the O.C. of the 32nd. The ceremony of presentation was taken by Major Sig Bidwell with whom was associated Dean Reid and Capt. Kidd. Major Riordon replied to the address. The flag is to be taken to England by the 34th. Battery as it goes overseas and will be deposited with the regiment in West-minister Abbey there to remain until the return of the battery to Canada when it will be brought back.

Rinks of Belleville curlers, who were skipped by Dr. C. J. Wallbridge, J. W. Davison and R. A. Backus were defeated here on Wednesday afternoon at Cobourg. In the evening Skips Backus and Davison tied the Cobourg rinks.

Belleville jolly curlers carried off the Ontario Tankard competition by Victorias of Toronto at Peterborough resulting 41 to 37. They had previously beaten the Orientals of Belleville by 31 to 14. In 1914, Belleville women curlers won the Mackendrick Tankard in competition here.

The bay is the scene of intense activity as many ice dealers are plying in the annual ice harvest for the summer months.

Timber from the old Grand Junction dock is being cut up at the waterfront to clear the way for the government wharf.

40 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 19, 1905

The average attendance of Public School pupils for January was 627, which is an increase of 19—per January of 1904. The total registration is 908 and the average daily attendance in the past month was 84 per cent.

Peter Pitcher this week has been located. Pitcher, it will be remembered came through on the O.N.O.R. The police in Belleville yesterday was booked for several days. On Wednesday the down train from Toronto reached Deseronto and mail by this train reached Picton on Wednesday night.

Ontario Business College won a close hockey game over the Belleville Business College by the score of 4 to 3.

50 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 19, 1895

Reverends E. N. Baker of Bridge Street Methodist Church and J. A. McClure of Bridge Street Church, exchanged pulpits on Sunday.

Thomas Walters, merchant tailor, has returned from Florida where he has been visiting his son. He has gone on an orange plantation. He is pleased that the late severe weather had caused so little damage to the peach trees and strawberry plants which are badly frozen. Citrus crops too, were affected. The cold was the severest in fifty years.

Roads are now blocked with sand and so bad that a cutter in which were a man and his wife upset in a pitch hole, said to be five feet or more deep near the University Church. Neither was hurt. A stage and several other vehicles upset in the same hole a few days ago.

Belleville has completed the revision of the Dominion Voters' List for East Hastings. The number of voters were 321 fewer than in 1891 when the last federal revision was held. By-election and the registration of voters in the two years was:

Belleville	1891	3804
Belleville	1895	3483
Sidney	1430	1469
Thurlow	1756	1746
Total	7861	8640

Belleville may expect soon to see the conclusion of negotiations for establishing a large wire manufacturing plant here. One of the principals interested was in town today.

Pupils of Loretto Convent in their annual drive to Trenton were about to return home and had left the depot. The driver had climbed into the van when the horses took away and his wife hailed only after they had got beyond the town limits. Two children scrambled out without injury and were all unhurt. They continued on their way to Belleville.

Miss Mia Gardinet, preceptress of Albert College, spoke to the Homemade Rewers' League last night on her rambles in Rome and visit to the Vatican.

General Superintendent Jas. Stephenson of the Grand Trunk is calling, stopped over at Belleville last night on a general tour of inspection of the system.

Pyle—
Columnist Worked Harder During His Vacation Than at the Front

EDITOR'S NOTE: Ernie Pyle day, he had the one magnificent privilege of being away from the war, but aside from that I've had more fun. I've worked hard. Being at home on "vacation" than most of the time I've been overseas.

Normal life for me has disappeared. The bulk of my time is now given to other people. It's almost impossible to count on a single uninterrupted hour. To get half a day uninterrupted with my own family I have to plan it days ahead and then bar the gates.

If the intruders were bores or publicity-seekers, then I could be tough. But the pressure upon me is not from bores or publicity-seekers, but from the curious.

Ninety per cent of the people who phone, write, visit or stop me in public places have legitimate reasons. Nothing do. They are people who have done kind things for me, or they are people who just want to call me, in complete sincerity, their friend. I've done a good job—and a fellow never gets tired of hearing that.

They are people who have always been overseas; they are people who write to tell me their sons are dead; they are people who want help in getting home from the end of the war; people who have a grudge to air; people who are war that has grown up around me.

Yet, by per sent or the destruction of my time, I'm getting a sweetness and sincerity in people, and from the sweetness flows that have become as much a part of my life as the war itself.

I have never aspired to be famous. If I had, then I could say to myself "All right, you've made your own bed, so now lie in it."

But the thing that happened to me in the early days of my reputation. I guess it comes in the category of "Act of God, the a blessed or slipping of the pearl."

You have to adjust yourself to this new condition, or else you're lost. You can't, that is, have it ignore it, you can't run away from it. You can't escape it. I do accept it as gracefully as I can, but I feel mad about it.

I feel sad because it has given me the joy of living, and it has torn me away from precious little things. I feel guilty, too, because, yet, dread to hear the telephone ring. It has brought me a measure of renown, yet when I'm in a hotel or in a restaurant because people whisper and point I feel terribly self-conscious.

It has put my book at the top of the best-seller list, but robbed me of the time to read other people's books.

It has put me on easy terms with the great, but robbed me of the privilege of sitting alone with my old friends.

It has made my homely face familiar throughout the land, but taken away that saving gift of serenity and the right to say, "My life now, day and night, is my own." There is no mental leisure in it; never the feeling that I can let down my mind go blank.

I like people. I always have and I still do. And so it hurts me to have to shut my phone calls in a hotel. It hurts me to refuse to see a visitor. It hurts to tell old friends that I can't see them day—maybe tomorrow. It hurts to have to hide and be a little criminal to get just an hour or two to myself.

But that's the way it is. I don't resent it, and I don't blame anybody. I read, and I think, the symptoms of such a great portion of America. I try to take the bad with the things with the good, and get along the best I can.

Sometimes I feel like sitting down and crying because my old life is gone. I feel as if I can't go back to it, that I'm finished. But I'm not finished. I'm still a writer, and I'm still determined to get just an hour or two to myself.

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Some of you sublime readers who've hung on faithfully to this column for years, might like to know how some of the characters in its fairs are getting along, since I've been away from the front. Here's a line on my sleeve.

Jack Mills, dear boy for instance —"Cheetah." When I got home and was in the midst, of a romantic whirl with the Hollywood glamour gals whom I'd never met hanging around outside the hotel, Jack's wife phoned.

But the romantic bubbles have passed, and our friendship as quiet and lazy as an old woman. The nerve barks, never makes any trouble, but it's there. Jack is the most gracious of all dog gifts—affection that is never demanding. Everybody is earning her way into Dog Heaven by proper deeds and conduct.

Or take "Thad Cobb," whom you used to read so much about before the war, and who for all those long years of peacetime seemed to be

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

NOTABLE ADVANCE IN SANITATION

Amendments of the New York State sanitary code became effective Jan. 1, 45, making the "quarantine", or isolation restrictions in scarlet fever the same as in septic sore throat, as it has been recognized for the past 20 years that scarlet fever and septic sore throat are caused by the same germ or by strains of the Streptococcus hemolyticus—Immediate benefits to public means disliveing or breaking up of destroying red blood corpuscles.

This Streptococcus hemolyticus is a wicked, versatile germ, groups or strains of which may cause septic sore throat or scarlet fever; other groups may cause erysipelas; and complications such as acute inflammation or abscess in the middle ear, acute mastoiditis, endocarditis (inflammation of heart lining), arthritis, peritonitis, pneumonia.

The New York sanitary regulation stipulates that streptococcic sore throats are to be isolated "until the abnormal membranes of throat and throat appear normal and all abnormal discharges from nose, throat, ears or suppurating wounds (lymph nodes) have ceased" and isolation in case of septic sore throat not less than seven days and not more than ninety days. Release from isolation depends on a negative throat culture and clinical recovery.

Provided that nothing is said about the rash. Too much information has been given the rash of scarlet fever and measles. The rash of scarlet fever is of no significance whether there is a rash or whether there is none in a day or two or whether peeling of skin follows or not. There is little if any evidence that scarlet fever or that matter measles is or can be spread through contact with the rash or the skin desquamation (peeling) that follows such rashes. Both scarlet fever and measles are spread through the discharges or secretions from nose and throat, or from suppurating lymph node or middle ear or other surgical or complication of the acute illness.

Either scarlet fever or septic sore throat may be spread through contact contaminated by a person who has the disease or is coming down with it or has not yet made a complete recovery from the disease or from the septic or scarlet fever.

Scarlet fever or septic sore throat may be spread from person to person via the invisible fine droplets of spray emitted from nose and mouth when a person coughs, sneezes or talks—In quiet conversation this spray carries about 2 1-2 feet, seldom over their five feet. Of course in any circumstances a sufficiently close proximity such infection. Finally, some outbreaks of scarlet fever and septic sore throat have been traced to cows in a dairy herd, cows having disease of the udder caused by Streptococcic hemolyticus. Pasturization of the milk prety certainly prevents infection from such a source. Pasturization is a partboiling, heating the milk to 145 or 160 degrees F. and holding at that temperature for thirty minutes, then letting it cool again. If pasturization is not possible, then bringing the milk to a boil for one minute makes it perfectly safe for infant or adult.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Spanking of Boners

If a Gentile girl and Jewish boy unite in marriage will their children have the appearance of some composite of the two sides? This boy does not seem to have the characteristics of either side.—Miss R.

Answer—Irrespective of religious beliefs of the parents, children are likely to resemble one or both.

Spanking of Boners

Your comment on bacon along with my breakfast coffee, as your sense of humor starts the day perfectly. Congratulations, Doctor—it takes a real mental intelligence to appreciate he has "pulled a boner". Most of us do every day.—Mrs. J. Mrs. F.

Answer—Thank you. Acknowledging the more flagrant boners from time to time is a great face and helps cover up a good many smaller ones.

Potatoes Not Fattening

Are potatoes fattening? Necessary to maintain good health? Husband has gained since potatoes once a year at least. I say they are starchy and fattening and do not supply anything essential to a well balanced diet.—(Mrs. F. R. H.)

Answer—Your husband is more nearly correct about potatoes. You should have a well balanced diet—everybody needs, must have, a liberal amount of starch daily to maintain good nutrition.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

I'M FROM MISSOURI

For the first time the Show Me State has furnished a Vice President of the United States in Harry S. Truman.

The familiar saying, "I'm from Missouri, you've got to show me" is generally ascribed to Willard D. Vandiver, a Missouri Congressman from 1897 to 1905.

Soon after Vandiver entered Congress the naval affairs committee of which he was a member went to Philadelphia on a junketing trip to the navy yard there.

A Mr. Hill, Penny governor of Iowa, was also a member of the naval committee. At a dinner given in his honor by the Governor of Pennsylvania at the Union League club of Philadelphia Governor Hull, who was a prohibitionist praised the Quaker City very highly. Vandiver, a teetotaler himself and not in formal dress, humorously said all the news things he could think of about Philadelphia.

In his speech he made something to this effect: "This story from Missouri you've got to show me."

Whether the expression was original with Vandiver is a matter in question. He himself was inclined to believe that it was. However that may be, he was the means by which the saying became nationwide and even worldwide currency. It was first heard in this country in the campaign of 1912 when Speaker Champ Clark of Missouri was an aspirant for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Soon after, Woodrow Wilson, then governor of New Jersey, was the successful candidate.

Champ Clark, a member of the naval committee, was a frequent visitor to the White House during the stirring days of 1914-17. Sometimes he would be there in 1897. He was of the opinion that a war was coming. He was also sick about the way the United States was drifting.

So what did Aunt Mary do? She took bundled up and walked three-quarters of a mile to the Fosterlis, worked all day and then walked back in the evening through the snow. She sure doesn't take after her nephew.

FILIPINO FIGHTING MEN AT WORK



He has no shoes, no uniform, not very much of anything except his fighting heart and a burning desire to help drive the Japs out. He is doing a mighty job of helping the American Doughboy kick the Japs out of Manila. This Filipino guerilla has no trigger finger, but he has roped it to a fire hydrant. This serves the double purpose of holding the gun steady and providing him with some hazardous cover.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss N. Campbell and Miss H. Harrison are in Toronto buying Spring millinery. P18

Second Lieut. Jean Storey, CWAC, was a recent guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Hastie, 286 Ann Street.

Miss Aileen Cameron, who is attending Queen's University, spent the weekend at her home.

Mr. Ward Ketchabaw, Queen's University, was home during the weekend.

Messrs. Jim Jenkins, Clarke James, and Ted McCormick, Toronto, spent the weekend at their homes.

Cdt. Myles Morton, RMCS "York," Toronto, was home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Morton and daughters, Nancy, Patsy and Linda, of Kingston, were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Salsbury.

Mr. W. Mackenzie, 15 Sinclair Street, is a patient in Belleville General Hospital, where he underwent an appendectomy on Saturday. He is progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Purdy Kingston Road, received a cable from their son, Ted, who has arrived in England.

Miss Lottie Hammond, B.A., Port Hope, was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Harper, 193 John Street.

Aubrey H. "Chet" Holway, 49, Chatham Street, celebrated his 70th birthday on Saturday. His sons and daughter called at the home to pay their respects during the day.

Little June Thomas, 51 Everett Street, was hostess at an enjoyable sleigh ride party on Friday night, the young guests in attendance following a delightful ride through the city, the children were entertained at the Thomas' home, enjoying refreshments and games.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Storey attended the graduation exercises of the Canadian Women's Army Corps Officers' Training Centre at McDonald College, St. Anne de Bellevue, Quebec, recently, their daughter, Second Lieutenant Jean Storey was a member of the class which received their officer's commissions.

Master Gordon Smith, 99 Chatham Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Smith, celebrated his fourth birthday on Thursday entertaining ten of his playmates. Games were played and refreshments served to the kiddies. He received a number of fine presents.

AVONDALE NEIGHBORS' AID

The February meeting of the Avondale Neighbors' Aid was held in the home of the President, Mrs. S. Leach, who led in a short devotional period. A solo was rendered by Mrs. Daniels, accompanied by Mrs. Winder. Treasurer's reports were given and letters of thanks were read from boys overseas. It was arranged to send Easter boxes to the Neighborhood boys overseas. After the business period the hostess held a contest which was won by Mrs. F. Denyes, and a quiz, the winner of which was Mrs. Button. Prize for the month was won by Mrs. Morton. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Leach and Mrs. L. Reid. A vote of thanks to the hostess was moved by Mrs. F. Reid.

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WEDDINGS

LUCAS—GRAY

Marmora.—A quiet wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Gray, on Wednesday afternoon, February 14, when their only daughter, Lily, was united in marriage to Fred Lucas, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. M. Cadigan, Miss Elda Gray was bridesmaid and Mr. Everett Gray was groomsman.

GREEN—MURDOCH

A lovely wedding took place last Friday afternoon at four o'clock, at Seymour Street United Church, Oshawa, Ontario, when Miss Jane Allison Murdoch, Reg.N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew R. Murdoch, was united in marriage to Corporal Deane (Bud) Bittner Green, Trenton, Ont., son of Mrs. Estelle Green and the late Cpl. Green, of 2039 Landy's Line, Niagara Falls.

The pale gold graceful ferns and mixed bouquets of stocks, snapdragons and carnations flanked the altar. Rev. D. D. Cornett and Rev. J. S. R. Wilson officiated at the impressive ceremony.

The charming bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin and chantilly made with a sweetheart neckline and long sleeves tapering over her wrists. The bodice was of satin and the long sheer skirt which fell into a slight train, had a deep band of white satin around the bottom. A satin headdress in the Mary Queen of Scots mode held her fingertip veil in place. Her only jewelry was a strand of pearls the gift of the groom, and she carried a cascade bouquet of red rosebuds and white sweetpeas.

Miss Helen Murdoch attended her sister as maid of honor. She was gowned in white sheer with which she wore a shoulder-length veil, held in place by a headdress of deep red and fuchsia flowers. She carried cascade bouquet of pastel shaded sweetpeas and pink carnations.

Wearing a frock of white broadcloth sheer, Miss Dorothy Noble of Oshawa, was the bridesmaid. Her gown had red inserts at the sweetheart neckline and her headdress of fuchsia and blue flowers was held in place by a shoulder-length fuchsia veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of pastel shaded sweetpeas and white carnations.

Corporal Jack Carlton, Niagara Falls, was the best man and the ushers were Corporal Orville Neill of Oakville, and Lance Corporal Bruce Murdoch, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Percy Dunbar sang "All Joy Be Thine" and "Thrill". Reginald Geen played the wedding music.

A reception for fifty guests was held at the home of the bride's parents, 27 Warren Avenue, Oshawa. Sweetpeas, carnations, stocks and snapdragons were attractively arranged throughout the reception rooms.

The bride's mother wore a gray ensemble with matching accessories and a corsage of red rosebuds and sweetpeas, and the groom's mother wore a navy blue ensemble with matching accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

A tiered wedding cake centred the bride's table and was flanked by white tapers in silver candelabra and exquisite arrangements of pastel shaded sweetpeas.

A most green dressmaker suit with matching pillbox hat and brown accessories and a mink-toned muskrat coat was worn by the bride for travelling. Her corsage was of yellow roses.

After a week's wedding trip to Boston, Mass., U.S., Mrs. Green will reside in Oshawa and the groom will return to his station at Trenton.

Golf Club Members Enjoy Social Evening

Members of the Belleville Golf Club held an enjoyable social evening on Friday when approximately fifty couple gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard, Bridge Street, East, where an evening of bridge was enjoyed. Mrs. Cleo Colling was the ladies' high prize, while the men's counterpart went to Mr. Clive Ryan. Hidden score prizes were won by Mrs. J. Marsh and Mr. H. Croll. Mrs. C. Ryan won the draw for the lucky score. Prizes were donated by Pauley's Drug Store, Lattimer's, Shaw's Men's Wear, McPee's and Christian Electric.

President Fred Fisher welcomed the guests and prophesied a very successful season for the club during 1941. He indicated that plans were underway for improved playing facilities and with increased membership a successful season would be assured.

Self-Analysis, a Beauty Aid



Irene Dunne is both chic and beautiful.

By HELEN FOLLETT

In the study of pulchritude, it is often the bad example that leads to good results. Contrasts get higher marks. If she sees a woman with face painted to high heaven, eyebrows crayoned to the limit, she is seized with a frenzy to dash home, lickity-split, pell-mell, wash her face and chuck the makeup box out of the window.

It isn't just what a girl does to her face to improve it that counts, but what she should not do to make herself conspicuous.

Eyes and Looks.

One factor toward the cultivation of chic and good looks is the power of observation. Look 'em over, woman, look 'em over! Take note of the lady of fashion. Size up the frump. Observe how your sisters carry themselves, how they walk, how they talk.

By passing judgment on others, a woman develops the gift of self-analysis, learns to size up her good and bad points, finds out if there's anything wrong in the composition that is herself. She must make appraisals, cultivate a sense of values.

Position of Feet.

It is interesting to notice what women do with their feet while sitting in public conversances. Some lose it. Some rest their feet on their sides, making themselves look like yokels. Other feet are spread apart, a habit that is anything but graceful. Then there is the girl in the short skirt who crosses her knees, reveals bare skin above the stocking tops. A black mark for her!

What about the woman with the shrill, rasping voice that puts goosle pimples on your skin? She should be a lesson to any girl who doesn't mind her vocal manners. Shouting and shrilling are just not done by well-bred individuals. A pleasing voice is worth more than the family jewels.

What a joy it is to see a coiffure that is to the queen's taste, soft and fluffy like a crown of down. The scrambled hair-do will throw the prettiest sister out or form.

The Half And Half Frock



World Day of Prayer Observed in Tabernacle Church by Large Group

The World Day of Prayer was observed in the city on Friday in Tabernacle United Church. There were representatives from many of the local churches with an attendance of about two hundred at the service. The program suggested was prepared by a group of four British women who write, "We British Christian women, feel strongly that our Christian living needs overhauling—that something in the nature of spiritual education is essential if we are to take up the task ahead to which are called as a part of the World Church."

The topic for meditation was "The Church Universal," the theme being "That ye should show forth the 'praises of Him who hath called you out of darkness into His marvellous light." Mrs. M. P. Duff of Tabernacle Church presided at the organ.

The program was divided into five parts with the congregation responding throughout the service. The call to prayer under the leadership of Mrs. A. J. William Myers of Tabernacle Church.

Worship—Mrs. H. Mollison of the Salvation Army.

Thanksgiving—Mrs. A. Wallbridge of Victoria Avenue Baptist Church. A solo throughout this portion of the meditation "Gloria Patri" was rendered by Mrs. A. Wynne of Tabernacle Church.

Confession—Mrs. G. Savage of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Intercession for the Church—Mrs. C. V. Freeman, of Alliance Tabernacle; Mrs. J. Grant Sparling of Christ Church and Mrs. S. E. Morton of St. Thomas' Church.

Prayers were offered by Mrs. E. A. J. Wicks, of Grace Chapel, Mrs. E. Hooper, of Bridge Street United Church; Mrs. T. S. Russell; or Emmanuel Reformed Episcopal Church, Mrs. S. A. Spearman, of Wesleyan Methodist Church.

The dedication verses were read by Mrs. L. Reid, of Holloway Street United Church.

A solo was rendered by Mrs. F. Hoard, of Holloway Street United Church, "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer."

The choir was made up of members from the various churches. Mrs. Arthur Wright was pianist. The offering amounted to $25.86. The money shall be sent to the Mission Board and distributed for Missionary work.

The ushers were Mrs. A. E. Berry of Victoria Avenue Baptist Church, Miss Ella Worrell, of Emmanuel Reformed Episcopal Church, Miss Margaret Sullivan, of Grace Chapel, and Miss Agnes Wright of Christ Church. Mrs. H. W. Frazis, the key woman for the year from Tabernacle Church, and Mrs. J. Grant of Holloway Street Church, distributed the programs. Mrs. A. J. William Myers of Tabernacle Church, pronounced the benediction.

Holloway Street W.A. Holds Tea

A very pleasant and successful afternoon tea was held at the home of Mrs. A. Lennox on Tuesday afternoon by the ladies of Holloway Street United Church W.A.

The spacious rooms were very inviting with an open fire burning and the tea table looked very well red carnations and snap-dragons and the soft glow of candlelight, with the living room looked gay with bots of daffodils. Mrs. E. Lennox and Mrs. E. Shortis received the ladies and Mrs. M. Denton and Mrs. R. MacMurray invited them into the dining room.

The home made goodies and Mrs. A. Sills poured tea, being relieved later by Mrs. Wicksted and Mrs. W. J. Slavin. The serviteurs were Mrs. Quinsey, Mrs. P. Wilson, Mrs. Bowden, Mrs. V. A. MacMurray, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. L. Rock, Mrs. A. C. Farwell, while Mrs. T. Anderson, Mrs. A. E. Downey, Mrs. G. Dobbs, Mrs. Johns and Mrs. J. Corder replenished the tea table.

The home made candy table was supervised by Mrs. A. Hitchon, Mrs. L. Reid, Miss McQuaddon, Mrs. C. Ostrum, Mrs. A. Oliphant and Mrs. F. Scott were treasurers for the afternoon.

Wife Preservers



Try peeling onions under water and boiling them root of the up, if they usually make your eyes water. The onions will usually go the way. The onion green tha procedure should help your eyes.

PLAINFIELD W.M.S.

World Day of Prayer was held on February 14, at the home of Mrs. N. Wilder, Plainfield, with an attendance of eleven. President Mrs. Fred Hall opened the meeting with prayer and printed programs were used.

Those assisting were Mrs. Clarence Hall, Mrs. Fred Prindle and Rev. G. T. McKenzie.

Mrs. Ralph Wilder led in singing and also favored with a solo, which was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Fred Hall read the leaflet.

The World Day of Prayer was read by Mrs. C. R. Donaldson. Collection amounted to $1.60.

Hospital Auxiliary Plans Fashion Show

Plans for their annual Fashion Show to be held in the Capitol Theatre here on March 8 have been completed, the Hospital Auxiliary was told at the regular monthly meeting. Clothes to be exhibited are by Arbaney's; millinery by Aaron's hats by Miss Campbell; costumes jewelry by McPee and Helena Rubinstein cosmetics by McKeowna.

The decoration of the nurses' reception room is nearing completion and the result is very pleasing, the meeting was informed.

Mr. Gordon Barclay, hospital administrator, spoke briefly on the progress of the tray morgue which the auxiliary is purchasing. Two new members were welcomed.

The meeting was held at the nurses' residence with President, Mrs. H. Wray, in the chair.

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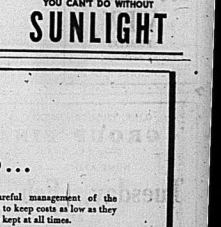


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Frisl top on monotone skirt

By VERA WINSTON

IT LOOKS like success for the dress with print-top and monotone skirt this Spring. Such a frock strikes a nice note for those women who like a touch of print but not too much and who like the figure flattery provided by a dark contrasting skirt. A black tear-drop neck with a pale green ground is used for the pretty top of this frock, with skirt of black crepe. Pleated inserts on shoulders form cap sleeves to further accent the fan-shaped, pleated peplum.

London (CP) — Wing. Cmdr. John G. Topham, D.S.O., D.F.C. and bar, 27 year old Mosquito pilot from Manchester, and Flt. Lt. H. W. Berridge, D.F.C. and Bar, 32, of Sutton, Surrey, are now the leading night-fighter crew in defence of Britain with 14 kills.

Maurice 'Rocket' Richard Sets N.H.L. Scoring Record By His 44th Tally in Toronto

Canadiens Defeat Toronto 6-4 on Saturday and Tie With Hawks Sunday

By EDDIE LEE
(CP Staff Writer)

Maurice (Rocket) Richard, speedy right winger of Montreal Canadiens, today is the brightest star in the National Hockey League and did not yet quite used to the position.

"It was just another goal," he said of the goal he scored Saturday, helping Montreal Canadiens defeat Toronto Maple Leafs 6-4 at Toronto, "I just wanted to see to win."

But the Habitant Hurricane was not slightly. It wasn't just another goal. It was the 44th goal he scored in 46 games this season and set a modern NHL scoring mark. It also was the first goal he scored on Leafs this season and won Montreal's first victory at Toronto this year.

Richard said he feels it is "a great honor for Montreal" for a French Canadian to hold the record.

"It was the first time I had been able to skate at Toronto," he said. "I had trouble trying to warm up and win the game."

For 56 minutes of the game, while Elmer Lach, Fernand Gauthier and Glen Harmon scored for Montreal and Nick Metz, Mel Hill and Gus Jackson counted for Toronto, Richard like like just another hockey player. He said he was having trouble "getting away from" Bob Davidson and Metz, his checkers, but time he got near the puck he was smothered by a bevy of Leafs.

Then he accepted a pass from Lach in the entire zone and in the time the usual flock of Leafs converged where he should have been, Richard was watching the puck intricate past Leaf goalie Frank McCool.

Net Goal at Change

The 24-year-old forward was unable to untrack himself Sunday night when the lowly Chicago Black Hawks held the league leaders to a scoreless tie.

Leafs were no more fortunate Sunday than they had been Saturday, dropping their seventh game of the season to Detroit Red Wings, a 6-1 setback that virtually assured second place in the standings for the Wings.

Carl Liscombe and Joe Carveth registered for Detroit in the opening inning and Murray Armstrong made it 3-0 early in the second.

Carveth added another early in the third and Ted Lindsay and Sid Brimsek got the others. Pete Blake scored the lone Toronto tally.

Boston Bruins and New York Rangers also won and lost in a weekend twin bill with Rangers losing at Boston Saturday 6-1 and edging Bruins Sunday at New York 3-1.

Dit Clapper collected three goals sending Boston Bruins into first place Saturday night, Frank Mario, Bill Cowley and Herb Cain contributing the others. Bill Moe scored for Rangers.

Ranger hopes of catching Boston in the league race were given a boost by the Sunday victory. Young Jack Mann and Ken Watson scored the goals, both of which came in the second period. Chief Rookie saved Bruins from a shut-out by a goal mid-way through the final session.

Playoff Games For Junior 'A' Are Announced

Toronto, Feb. 19. (CP)—The Ontario Hockey Association executive committee last night announced dates for playoff games in the Junior A series, St. Michael's Majors and St. Catharines Tigers will clash in a best-of-seven series, Oshawa Generals and Galt Red Wings will meet in a best-of-five series, and Young Rangers and Marlboros play a best-of-three series.

The dates:

Series A—Best-of-seven—St. Michael's Majors and St. Catharines Falcons Wed., Feb. 28 at Toronto; Sat. March 3 at St. Catharines; Mon. March 5 at Toronto; Wed. March 7 at St. Catharines; Sat. March 10 at Toronto; Mon. March 12 at St. Catharines (if necessary); Wed. March 14, at Toronto (if nec.).

Series B—Best-of-five — Oshawa Generals and Galt Red Wings, Mon. (Feb. 26; Wed. Feb. 28; Sat. March 3; Mon. March 5 (if necessary); Wed. March 7 (if necessary). (Home teams will be announced later).

Series C—Best-of-three— Young Rangers and Marlboros, Mon. Feb. 26 at Toronto; Sat. March 3 at Toronto; Tuesday, March 6, at Toronto.

Semi-final series—C versus B winners, Saturday, March 10, at Oshawa or Galt; Mon. March 12, at Toronto; Wed. March 14 at Oshawa or Galt.

Final Series—Sat. Mon. March 17; Wed. March 19; Sat. March 24; Mon. March 26; Thurs. March 29; Sat. March 31. (Home teams will be announced later).

All overtime games will be decided on first goal scored.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

New York, Feb. 19 (AP)—Probably nothing in sport is more easily understood than a punch in the nose and few things are much harder to understand than the various ways in which boxing is governed....This observation is prompted by a letter from a Florida scribe who is interested in having a state boxing law passed there. "Just something setting up a commission and I'm sure we'll get the bums"....It seems that Florida law prohibits "prize fights and pugilistic exhibitions" but is amended to permit "boxing exhibitions" under the auspices of the American Legion and certain other organizations.

Variety Show.

Although state commissions rule boxing in most states and their rules are fairly uniform there are some notable exceptions....Ohio, one of the more important boxing states, puts control in the hands of city boxing commissions....Kentucky is one of several states that prohibits prize fighting, "call it what you shall," but has a commission to exercise control over boxing exhibitions.

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Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER
(CP Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 19 — (CP)—Wednesday night's Ice League basketball hockey game at Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens should develop into something out of the ordinary if some of the plans suggested are carried out by Lieut. (Padre) Theological — combinations. To be refereed in part (for the benefit of the Queen City's hockey fans — and the Navy League — is the old Montreal Maroon-Toronto-Maple Leaf rivalry.

Tommy Gorman and Lionel Conacher will be directing the old Red Panthers from the bench, while Happy Day will direct the veteran Leafs. Maroons will boast Mervin (Red) Dutton, Hooley Smith, bespectacled Russ Blinco, Marvig Wentworth and the green line, Gracie, Mackier and Gain. Bas (Montreal Star) O'Meara passes along an inside tip that the Leafs will also try and for their old line-up of Bob Cook, Gaul Voss and Paul Runge.

A couple of New York Rangers are entering the battle of the old-timers in the persons of Bryan Hextall and Frank Boucher. Then line up with their old mate Davie Kerr.

Tooting the whistle will be a pair of former NHL referees—mike Rodden (Winston Whip Standard) Rodden and Bobby (Toronto Evening Telegram) Hewitson. Added attraction: the game will be played under the rare rules without the much-debated benefit of the centre-ice red line.

BIG SEVEN

By The Canadian Press

Boston's Bill Cowley bagged two assists to move into solo possession of third place among the N.H.L. scoring leaders, dropping Toe Blake of Montreal, to fourth.

The Leaders

	G.	A.	Pts
Richard, Canadiens	44	21	65
Lach, Canadiens	30	45	65
Cowley, Boston	23	41	64
Blake, Canadiens	23	31	54
Howe, Detroit	23	31	54
Kennedy, Toronto	23	19	42
Demaros, Rangers	18	24	42

LEADER LEADERS

(By The Canadian Press)

Standing: Montreal, won 32, lost five, tied, four, 68 points.

Points: Maurice Richard and Elmer Lach, Montreal, Richard 44 goals, 21 assists; Lach 30 goals, 45 assists—65 points.

Goals: Richard, 44.

Assists: Lach, 45.

Penalties: Pat Egan, Boston, 82 minutes.

Shutouts: Frank McCool, Toronto 4.

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Shirabatian:

Hilles Pickens, Jr., who among other things is managing editor of Canadian Sport Monthly, recently told George Jacobson, author of the ski Patrol in the Montreal Gazette, that within five years he expects to see a new development in competitive skiing — "ski-plane" racing.

Says Mona: Pathe News, at Montreal will present a series of fancy movements of ants just like the fancy skater draws his figures on ice. Among the repertoire of the fancy skier of the future will probably be ski-waltzing, backward skiing, somersaults and what-have-you.

Odds-and-Ending:

British Columbia lawn bowlers contributed a handsome gift to the Queen's Canadian Fund amounting to $4,815 ... Montreal Gazette's Peg Blue Bomber's coach, is plugging a six-city Western Canada grid league after the war. The cities: Regina, Saskatoon, Calgary, Edmonton and Vancouver ... Jockey Richmen, Montreal basketball, football and sprint star, who is P.T.I. at the Mount Hope, Ont., R.C.A.F. station, coached two cage teams to service championships ... 322 lacrosse sticks were in one shipment from city of England during a plant to Johns Hopkins University recently ... Jim Bardsley, former member of the 1928 Dominion champions, Vancouver Maple Leafs, is playing with the Grosse Williams College in Montreal ...

What's Doing in Sport

By The Canadian Press

On the basis of information he had received from David A. Buckley, a New York breeder and owner, Rep. William R. Barry, member of the U. S. Congress from Queens County, New York, Saturday asked for a review of the ban on horse racing by the Stimson Director James Byrnes, Buckley said more than 5,000 war employees could be secured from turf jobs and expressed concern over the future of breeding in the States, adding that small breeders were the ones to suffer.

Buckley had suggested the operation of one track for New York City, another for Chicago and single tracks in each of various states including Florida and California, but added if all winter racing was abolished it would not be badly missed.

For the second successive time, a winter golf tourney resulted in a deadlock when Byron Nelson of Toledo and Sam Snead of Hot Springs, Va., yesterday wound up with 279's in the Gulfport, Miss., $5,000 Open. The pair will engage in an 18-hole playoff today. One year ago Nelson won a playoff from Harold (Jug) McSpaden after they had tied in the New Orleans Open.

The Eastern United States Hockey League yesterday announced with hockey minus the blue lines in a scheduled game at Madison Square Garden when New York Rovers trounced Philadelphia Falcons 13-4 before a crowd of 11,340 enthused fans.

A former track star of Duke University, Don Kimble of the R.C.A.F. Saturday night was the winner of the 50-yard high hurdles in 7.7 seconds at the annual games of the New York A. C. at Madison Square Garden.

WEEKEND STARS

By The Canadian Press

ELMER LACH, CANADIENS — Scored two goals and assisted on another as the Canucks nosed out Toronto Maple Leafs 4-3 Saturday night.

JOE CARVETH, DETROIT — Got the scored twice as the Red Wings whipped the Leafs 6-1 Sunday night.

TED CRAWFORD, BOSTON — Who scored three goals and helped in another as the Bruins set back New York Rangers 6-1 Saturday night.

BILL DURNAN, CANADIENS AND MIKE KARAKAS, CHICAGO — Who scored shutouts as their teams fought to a scoreless tie Sunday night.

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HAMILTONMAJORS DEFEAT SAINTS BY 4-3 SCORE

Bryan Hextall, Playing for St. Catharines, Unable to Turn Tide

(By The Canadian Press)

Reinforced by Bryan Hextall, former New York Ranger St. Catharines Saints tied to turn Cahadian Soldiers tied to turn home game of the Senior O.H.A. series Saturday night and bowed to the league-leading Hamilton Majors 6-4. The game was tied 1-all early in the third period when the Saints collected on a row by Bellinger and Fritz but the visitors came back quickly with the winning marker on a goal by Robertson. Conick Mason and Shillington scored for Saturday's losers.

The record now shows Hamilton with 34 points on 11 victories and two defeats, one point double the total of the second-place Saints.

In one game of the Junior doubleheader at Toronto Saturday afternoon, Galt Red Wings extinguished Marlboro Aces 6-3. Although the cellar-dwellers gave their opponents an argument, Galt's high scoring once in the first canto. Scoring for Galt were Hall, Pavelich, Mayer, Fogolin and Mosdell, while Aces' Toner got goals were by Cameron and Michaels.

The other half of the twin bill saw Oshawa Generals down a 3-1 defeat to Toronto Young Rangers, the last champions holding a 3-0 lead going into the final session. Syd Smith, Bob Lowe and Metcalf collected counters for Generals while Andy Anderson found the net for Young Rangers.

Corbyville Bows Out of Hockey League Picture

West Huntingdon-Zion Hill "Combines" Win Title In Stirling

Stirling — (Special) — Corbyville bowed out of the Central Hastings Junior hockey league picture Friday night at Stirling when the locals put hard-fought game they dropped a second game of their series with the Zion Hill - West Hunting-don "Combines" by a 4-3 score. The "Combines" are now again declared league champions having won the final series in two straight.

A two-goal advantage gained by Corbyville during the first few minutes of play failed to provide the margin needed for victory and they faded as the game proceeded to fall by the wayside.

Lorne Jarrell counted the first goal of the game on a nice passout from Gray in the Corbyville first lads in the lead and Gray came back with a pass from Thompson to put them two ahead.

The "Combines" fought back hard and before the period had ended Dr. Wright and L. Sills combined to reduce the lead to one. In the second period R. Sills counted for the locals to tie the final contest, R. Sills again bulged the twine in the final stanza that proved to be the final goal of the game and also the winning counter.

Close checking featured the contest and although there were quite few penalties were handed out, Corbyville drew the first in the first period but the "Combines" recovered the odd trip to the cooler in the second, while in the third period L. Sills got his for the winners and Jarrell for Corbyville were benched.

They'll Do It Every Time
By Jimmy Hatlo


CASUAL COMMENT
by K.J.C.

But it Helps!

No, a smile won't fill your stomach, a smile won't keep you warm. A smile won't drive disease away, nor shield you from the storm; a smile won't cure your rheumatic flesh, a smile won't quench your thirst, but a smile will keep rebellion out when things are at their worst.

So, a smile won't win a job for you, a smile won't pay your bills; a smile won't feed your hungry child, a smile won't heal world ills; a smile won't bring the sun or rain, a smile won't start shop wheels — but a smile, when you're down, makes one big change in the way a fellow feels.

Trenton Eliminated.

After losing the first game of their series to Trenton, the Stirling-Marmora "Combines" roared back to win the next two games, and Saturday night forced Stan Jackson's crowd to put their uniforms on in the Hume Arena dressing rooms. The Combines stepped right into Trenton and won 6 to 2 after losing the first game 9 to 1 and taking the second home stand 4 to 4. Now it will be the Combines and the Belleville kids in the "Little Six" finals that open at the Trenton Memorial Tuesday night.

At the beginning of the current hockey season this corner suggested that the junior hockey clubs in Quinte district might be well advised to get off to an early start, but not until Trenton and Stirling were tied and a Saturday date had to be played was the matter attempted. Last Saturday night at Trenton the largest crowd of the season was on hand to see the Stirling-Marmora crew take home. Maybe another season we'll have a crowd like that for junior O.H.A. games in this district.

Parade Belleville.

Reports from the Stirling-Marmora area indicate there'll be a large delegation of Combine supporters at Hume Arena Tuesday night for that important first game of the "Little Six" finals. President Hermiston of the Combines phoned to Walt Gerow today and ordered a complete section of the Belleville Arena to be reserved for the Combine supporters.

Coach Tools Hickey announced today he might use Harry Cook of Albert College, now that Ranee Rush is out for the season following his operation. Boyd has been on the local roster, but was unable to play earlier in the season owing to illness. A former minority star, Boyd has only played two or three games with the Albert College senior Interscholastic squad. Otherwise both teams will be at full strength and with the old-Belleville-Combine rivalry prevalent it looks like a great series of good junior hockey. Bernie Bowen of Trenton and Dutch Cain of Mountain View have been named officials for the first two games.

As for tonight at the Market St. Igloo it will be the Bombers and Fliers in a third meeting which must produce a winner. "There'll be no more tie games. The teams thus be prepared to play through to a decision in all future matches," Fl... Jimmie McCha announced. This series has been productive of some great hockey and contains the largest following of fans in hockey in Belleville since the days of the Petes-Flyers' ice battles of years past.

Salmon Sore?

In his New York Times column recently Arthur Daly had an interesting article. In part it went: "There was one welcome John F. Sullivan detected, it was "Jack," ane anyone who addressed the Boston Strong Boy by that name was as likely to get a punch in the jaw as not. Historian Pat Fletcher tells of the time John L. was in a Western town and was met with Jack McAuliffe, the lightweight champion, and Jack (Nonpareil) Dempsey.

At the bar was a drummer, Jim Morgan, a jovial giant with a reputation as a gun-fighter. He slapped John L. on the back and shouted, "Jack, you sure can lick any hombre on earth."

Sullivan glared and moved toward him. The alert stepped between them and in an undertone said, "Listen, big boy, John. He's a good fellow and doesn't mean any harm."

The Boston Strong Boy pushed the lightweight king aside and spoke to Morgan. "Maybe you don't know my name, sir," he bellowed. "So I'll wise you up. I'd as soon have you swing at my jaw as call me Jack. Now, do it again I'll call you Morgue and change your face to mincemeat."

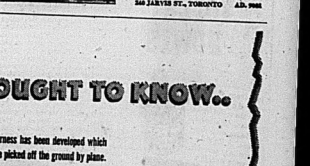
A deathly silence settled over the room and the air was electric with tension. Those were days when men used to shoot for lesser insults than that. But there was something about Sullivan's cold, unswerving eyes that made this gun-fighter hesitate.

Then the silence was broken by John L.'s booming laugh. "Pfil 'em up again," he told the bartender. "Name your poison, gents."

However, it was noted that for the remainder of the evening no one dared address John L. as "Jack."

Remember When.

Toronto's Varsity Grads romped through to the Olympic hockey title at St. Moritz 17 years ago today with a lopsided 16-2 triumph over Switzerland in the final. Hugh J. Plaxton, former member of Parliament and now commanding officer of the Royal Canadian Navy Centre at Kingston, Ont., and Dave Trottier, onetime Montreal Maroons winger, led Canadian mittmen in the tournament.

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By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

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♠K 3
♥8 5 2
♦A Q 8 4 3
♣7 8 4

WEST	EAST
♠A J 10 9 7 6 2	♠ 8 5
♥K 7	♥Q 10 9 8
♦9 7	♦K J 6 5
♣10 5 2	♣9 7 6 3

SOUTH
♠Q 5 4
♥A J 4 3
♦2 10 2
♣A K Q

South was declarer at a three no-trump contract. West started out with an opening lead of the spade nine. East won the second spade put in that suit.

Stopping to count his chances, south was sure of three top clubs and the heart ace. Four more tricks could be taken by the diamond suit after the king was gone. The ninth trick is in spades.

However, before the diamonds are set up, opponents are likely to take enough spades to kill the contract. To frustrate that, some safety measure must be used in the spade suit.

To set up the diamonds, a finesse is necessary. The opponent who may take a trick in that suit is east. So, east must be prevented from leading spades by that time.

Since west started the spades, more than likely west has the most cards in that suit. Could be that east has only two spades. If so, east will be out of spades after two rounds.

Ordinarily, the dummy king of spades should be played to that first trick. If that wins, declarer will try not to let east get in for a spade lead through the south queen.

But the danger is that east will get in when diamonds are led. So, this declarer refused to take the first spade trick, either with dummy king or the south queen. A daring holdup.

Seeing the lone king in dummy by this time, west led the spade ace and picked it up. He then led another spade and forced south to use up the queen. West hoped to get in again with his heart king.

But when the diamond finesse lost to east, no spades were left in that hand. And any other lead from east was pounced on by south, who was then able to run the tricks he needed.

Although this looks like a simple play, it is indeed unusual. At least, it is seldom handled the way it was here. Or is it.



AT THE CAPITOL — Jane Withers and Eric Sinclair in a scene from "Paces in the Fog," timely new dramatic picture dealing with modern youth and delinquent parents, now showing at the Capitol, with a swell comedy "What a Woman," starring Rosalind Russell and Brian Aherne.



AT THE McCARTHY — In a thrilling scene from Columbia's action-packed mystery, "Shadows in the Night," third in the famous "Crime Doctor" series currently playing at the McCarthy, star Warner Baxter explains the clues of the blazing ghost and missing bodies to Drew in "That's My Baby."

Hockey Results

By The Canadian Press

NHL	W	L	T	Pts
Montreal	32	9	4	68
Detroit	26	11	4	56
Toronto	19	18	2	40
Boston	14	24	2	30
New York	9	24	6	24
Chicago	9	26	4	22

Saturday: Montreal 4, Toronto 3; Boston 6, New York 1.

Sunday: Montreal 0, Chicago 0; New York 2, Boston 1; Detroit 6, Toronto 1.

Tonight: no games.

AHL				
Eastern Division				
Buffalo	33	18	8	74
Hershey	19	21	8	46
Providence	18	24	6	42
Western Division				
Cleveland	36	11	10	82
Indianapolis	26	17	11	63
Pittsburgh	22	21	6	50
St. Louis	11	27	7	29

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SATURDAY

Junior O.H.A.

Cahawa Generals 3, Young Rangers 1

Galt Red Wings 8, Toronto Marlboros 2

Senior O.H.A. Intermediate Semi-Final

Canadian Ukrainian Athletic Club 11, St. Boniface 10 (overtime) (C.U.A.C. wins best-of-three series, 2-0)

Senior O. H. A.

Hamilton Majors 4, St. Catharines Saints 3

Northern Saskatchewan Junior Semi-Final

Prince Albert Black Hawks 11, Saskatoon Varsity 0

(Prince Albert wins best-of-three series, 2-0)

Alberta Service Senior

Currie Army 4, R.C.A.F. Muskegs 3

Edmonton Junior Semi-Final

Edmonton Athletic Club 7, Maple Leafs 5

(First of two-game total-goal series)

Northern Saskatchewan Junior Semi-Final

Saskatoon Navy 11, Saskatoon Falcons 0

(Navy wins best-of-three series, 2-0)

SUNDAY

Quebec Senior

Quebec Aces 5, Ottawa Commandos 0

Interprovincial

Valleyfield Braves 18, Cornwall Flyers 8

Shawinigan Falls Cataracts 6; Lachine Rapids 3

N.B.S.H.L.

New York Rovers 13, Philadelphia Falcons 4

Observation Pilot

The Phillies have adopted as a mascot a stray dog that was rescued from a revolving door....Now maybe they can discard that Blue Jay emblem; this new one seems to fit the Phils better.

Petawawa's Camp Entry Wins Trophy

Petawawa, Military Camp, Ont., Feb. 19—(CP)—Sparked by Cadet P. T. Hutchison of Montreal, Petawawa camp's entry in the inter-inter-service winter carnival here rolled up a total of 610 points to win the inter-service challenge trophy.

In second place was the R.C.A.F. unit, 570 points, followed by the Army of Kingston, Ont., with 558 and Royal Canadian Navy of Otawa, with 550.

Trophy and individual prizes were presented to the contestants at a banquet last night with presentations made by Brig. W. C. Thackray, commander of Petawawa camp.

Feature of the weekend of winter sports was the inter-service hockey game played in nearby Pembroke last night in which an R.C.A.F. all-star team from Ottawa defeated Petawawa all-stars 7-6.

Valleyfield Braves Swamp Cornwall

Valleyfield, Que., Feb. 19 — (CP) "The case of the missing gloves almost broke up an Interprovincial League hockey game here yesterday when Valleyfield Braves whipped Cornwall Flyers 18-8.

The gloves were those of Joe Desrochers of Cornwall. When they went to nobody knows, but before they reappeared as mysteriously as they went, the Flyers were ready to call off the fun and $25 had been offered to pay the bans.

It all started mid-way through the third period when Bobby Carcher of Flyers and Roland Boyer of the Braves tangled in a battle which eventually drew them major and misconduct penalties. Desrochers picked up his gloves as the fight started, and when it was over they were no longer on the ice.

The Flyers threatened to walk out if they were not returned. Then Delpha Sarre, Union Canada member of the Quebec Legislature for Beauharnois and Honorary President of the Braves, offered $15 as replacement for the gloves.

Then the gloves came sailing back onto the ice from somewhere in the crowd and Flyers finished out the game.

OLD GUILDHALL DAMAGED

Windsor, England (CP) — Expenditure of $3,000 on the restorations of Windsor's ancient Guildhall since part of the ceiling of the Corn Exchange below fell in 1939 on. The hall was built in 1702 and it is believed heavy traffic passing on the High street outside has shaken its base.

MAKE CLEAN SWEEP

Montreal, Feb. 19 — (CP)—Shawinigan Falls Cataracts made a clean sweep of their Interprovincial Hockey League weekend home-and-home series with Lachine Rapids yesterday when they pinned a 6-3 setback on the Rapids at suburban Lachine.

The last-place Cataracts won 11-6 at home Saturday night, and came up half a dozen points on the two games, as each was a three-point affair.

CAST ASIDE WEDGE CAPS

Ottawa, Feb. 17 (CP)—R.C.A.F. service police are casting aside their wedge caps and, following the style set by the army provost, will now wear the pre-war round flat hats, an air-force release disclosed yesterday.

Wants Congressional Investigation Into Japanese Activities

Washington, Feb. 19 — (AP) — Senator George A. Wilson (Republican) drafted legislation today calling for a Congressional investigation into Japanese atrocities against war prisoners.

The proposal would set up a three-member Senate military sub-committee empowered to hold hearings on the west coast to get first-hand testimony from liberated prisoners.

Senator Wilson told reporters:

"Congress should have a permanent, continuous record of Japanese behavior toward prisoners-of-war and American civilians the Japs have interned.

"Now, while the memory of the atrocities is fresh in the minds of these people, their stories should be recorded so that no opportunity be raised in the future as to what has occurred.

"We hope the war will end soon. When it is over, Congress will want to have such information in its consideration of the kind of treaty it will demand with Japan — what sort of terms we should grant."

He said similar inquiries might be made later into Germany's treatment of prisoners, but that in view of the fact that so many prisoners from the Japanese recently, "it is imperative that their testimony be taken at once."

Leaders Lengthen Margins in A.H.L.

By The Canadian Press

Divisional leaders lengthened their margins atop the eastern and western sections of the American Hockey League in weekend games, while Indianapolis Capitals finally snapped a losing streak that had almost dumped them out of second place in the western division.

The Caps dropped a 4-2 decision to Cleveland Barons Saturday night to leave them only a point ahead of Pittsburgh Hornets after a week-end of the western section. The Hornets played one game during the weekend, but consolidated their hold on first place in the eastern division nevertheless because the second-place Hershey Bears dropped a 3-0 verdict to St. Louis Flyers Saturday.

The Bears complete a 3-2 tie with Providence Reds Sunday, and the draw added to their win over the latter on Saturday to move them within two games of Hershey.

PRISONER IN TOWER

London, Feb. 17 (CP)—A Netherlands officer member of the underground Army in Holland has been a prisoner in the tower of London since shortly after the Battle of Arnhem, it was disclosed last night. He is awaiting trial for treason on charges of betraying allied military secrets to the enemy.

Victory in Sight, War's Last Round Monty Declares

At 21st Army Group Headquarters, Feb. 18 — (CP) — Field Marshal Montgomery on Sunday told his men of the Canadian and British 2nd Armies "we now have come to the last and final round, and we want and will go in for the knockout blow."

Following is the text of his message:

"The operations of the Allies on all fronts have now brought the German war to its final stage. There is no doubt that the end is in sight, but it did not seem possible that we should have to fight a battle of the enemy communique, claimed 10 raiders were shot down, as many as 12 installed damage was slight.

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COW HAS TWINS SIX TIMES

Hensall, Ont., Feb. 17 — (CP) — A Durham cow owned by Orville Cook of Usborne has established a reproductive record which veterinarians here doubt can be equalled. Cook's black calved recently for the sixth time; and for the 4th time in a row. Her progeny also include two single calves. All but one of her 14 calves are living.



AT THE BELLE — M.G.M.'s Romantic adventure story, "Kismet," in Technicolor.

Jap Mainland Again Blasted

Washington, Feb. 19 — (AP) — The Japanese mainland was blasted again today by American land-based fortresses which attacked industrial targets in a daylight raid on the homeland island of Honshu.

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POSED AS BLIND AIRMAN

London, Feb. 17, (Reuters)—Clive Grunspan, 36, described as a distinguished artist whose pictures had been bought by London's famous Tate Gallery, was sentenced yesterday to six months' hard labor for defrauding the fashionable Savoy and Berkeley hotels of more than $440.

Grunspan posed as a blind R.A.F. group captain.

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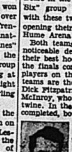
STIRLING BEATS TRENTON 6-2 IN FINAL GAME

Three Goals in Middle Period Without Reply Helped Winners

Roaring back to win two straight, after losing the initial game of their semi-final "Little Six" hockey series, the Stirling "Combines" won the third and deciding game over Trenton by a 6 to 3 score at Trenton Saturday night, thus eliminating Trenton. Now the "Combines" meet the Belleville Juniors in the "Little Six" Junior O.H.A. group finals with the series opening at the Hume Arena Tuesday night, and the second game at Stirling next Friday.

Boasting of two strong lines the Combines rallied to beat Trenton on Saturday night after Barney Lesperance opened the scoring for the homesters in the first minute of play. From then in the Combines carried the brunt of the play although Trenton stood strong to lead 1-0 at the end of the initial frame. The Combines were rewarded early in the middle stanza, when they rammed home three successive goals without retaliation. Following a penalty Trenton scored the second and final goal in the period, as the Combines added three more in the third while Trenton was held scoreless in the last period. Lesperance headed the homesters followed by Scott and Lashore, while for the Combines McInroy was sensational in goal and was given strong protection by Usman and Lavender. On the forward the Cousins-Trumble-Goodchild line proved little scoring threats while the Stirling-Whitehead line of Stapley, Whitehead and Bastedo was also in on several goals.

Already boasting of two wins over Belleville the Combines will meet the local juniors in the first game of the group finals confident they can continue to dominate the latter over Toots Holway's Belleville Juniors. Cals Carr of Moncrain View and Bennie Bowen of Trenton, have been named the officials for the series.



Fitzpatrick

Out in Central Hastings the supporters point to the fact their "Combines" have already beaten Belleville on two occasions and they are confident they can continue to dominate Toots Holway's specials. Goalie Lorne Sand Shipper Holway alleges the Combines were lucky on both occasions. "We have the most improved team in the league," Harrell-Meagher boys' front line is the lightest scoring trio in the group while the Mother-Day - Greatrix line also is playing great hockey, Junior band

"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 80

"It's the easiest job I ever had being Livia's 'Auntie'," she protested. "Oh, and by the way, have you told him about the green car—"

"I haven't shown you the house," Livia interrupted. "We won't be long," said to Mrs. Sayles and she shook her head warningly.

"Yuh," said Bruce, trying an arm around her bedroom, "it's what you want, isn't it?" She nodded.

"Yes. It's what I want. I like comfortable beds and soft sheets." She sat on the yellow coverlet. He sat next to her.

"Or," he said, "Am I spoiling the cover?"

"Sarcasm doesn't suit you," Livia smiled. "I feel so embarrassed about my hair," she said, "Let's go out quickly so I can wear a hat."

"Soon." He kissed her.

"You still love me, don't you?" she said triumphantly. He grinned.

"Come on, let's go before I break down and tell you."

Livia looked up the street just in case the green car was about. But it was not there.

They drove to the drive-in on Sunset Boulevard where Bruce had found the other lovers being separated. Not one of the whitewalls with whom Livia had worked was still there. It was typical of the here-today-gone-tomorrow atmosphere of Hollywood. The manager who had replaced Ted Curtiss was still there. But he did not recognize Livia.

Afterward they went to the movie, and in the dark watching a famous star. It was hard for Livia to realize that soon other men and women would be holding hands in the dark and watching her.

Pordyce returned the next day. He saw Livia's hair and yelled.

"The boss' orders," she told him. Pordyce took her to Dunne's office.

"They've ruined her," he said dramatically. Dunne looked startled. "Her hair was beautiful—"

"Oh, is that all," replied Dunne. "The picture will be postponed until it's back to normal," said Pordyce in a voice dispensing of all arguments.

"But her hair didn't look good with the backgrounds we have," protested Dunne.

"Then change the backgrounds," said Pordyce. "Come on, Livia." He led her to the studio hair stylist.

"Bring it back to normal," he told the man dismally and to Livia, "And stay her until he does."

The hairdresser told her to bend backward into the sink. "The sorrowful color was his favorite hair tint," the orders were orders, and he spent the better part of three hours trying to remove it.

It was better, Livia decided, looking at her hair, than any of the lifesaviness had departed. But it still wasn't the same.

She came back again in the afternoon, and the next day, and the day following, before Pordyce grudgingly agreed that her hair was now golden and not a murky beige.

"Being tough with me, aren't you?" Livia said trying to win him down with a coquettish smile.

"I'll be reviled bluntly, without an answering smile.

She was crossed on every subject under the sun from the Coopers of Iva China to what she thought of Mickey Mouse. Every room of her house was photographed. Every dress that was rich and beautiful and every fur coat owned by the studio appeared on Livia's back, and were returned after the photographs were taken.

She was beginning to feel very important when Pordyce brought a chilly down to earth, At the beginning he had been easy with her. He allowed her to talk to the reporters between "takes," to be most correct her harshly when she spoke the wrong lines, and when at the end of the first day she said she was tired, he merely looked at his watch, exclaimed:

"Seven o'clock already. Let's break."

It was hard work. Every morning the alarm clock screamed at her at 5:30. She downed a cup of coffee and drove her new roadster to the studio, arriving there at 6:15.

There was an hour and a half with the hairdresser. Her skin had to be right and drawn after the session under the lights.

The make-up man was the same Smithy who had made her up for her screen test now nearly two years ago. But how he had changed he was! His job depended on making Livia as nature and art could contrive.

Which lovely high cheek bones," Smithy's assistant was detailed to stand by all day and repowder her nose and re-furbish her lipstick.

There was another girl whose odd job was to follow Livia with a brush and comb and keep every strand of her hair in place. Oh, yes, it was nice to be the star. Still Pordyce let go at the beginning of the second week.

Livia had to be rescued by Bruce from a burning house. This job was too dangerous for the leading lady. Livia's double had to be seen and only the back of the leading man. Bruce doubled for him.

He winked at Livia as he fought through the fire raging behind him, and Livia winked.

"Cut," roared Pordyce. Livia was still smiling at Bruce as Pordyce came up. "Where the hell do you think you are?" he shouted harshly. "Or have you forgotten that we're making a picture?"

"I'm sorry, Mr. Pordyce," she said softly.

"Charles, aren't you taking this too seriously?" Livia said.

"My name is Mr. Pordyce," the director said stonily. Livia's face reddened.

"All right, Mr. Pordyce." She was so angry she could hardly speak.

"Don't give me that tone," said the director. "You may not know it, but I'm taking a hell of a chance on you, and you're not going into this scene with that voice and that look on your face." She bit her lips and flung her head back to hide the tears. "Are you ready?" Pordyce demanded. She nodded. "Then don't look so tragic. You're supposed to be frightened,"

he said in a milder tone. "All right! Camera! Action!"

The bell rang and the firemen started the fire again.

"We'll print that," said Charles Livia tried to say she was sorry, but he brushed her away, turning quickly to avoid the pleading look in her eyes. He had not meant to be harsh. He looked at Bruce and had annoyed him.

Another week passed, and now it was the beginning of the third week in "Honoria Lewis." His harsh direction of Livia was justified in the projection room.

"Wonderful," agreed the top executives of the company as they left after viewing the first of the small private projection rooms at Metro.

"Yeah, but don't tell her," Pordyce commanded them. "I'm having a tough enough time as it is without her getting a swelled head."

Livia wanted to see the "rushes." But Pordyce refused permission.

"Time enough to know how bad are when the picture is released."

"Why are you so mean to me?" Livia asked, tearfully. He grinned, said, "I'm going to get a good performance out of you if you hate me for the rest of your life." She suddenly realized why he was so cruel, and she laughed.

"I'm an awful fool; I thought you didn't like me." Almost she broke down then—but checked the impulse. Friendship and love could wait until the end of the picture—and that would not be for another nine weeks.

Four weeks passed. . . . The picture was going so well that Pordyce felt it safe to soften his tactics. For two days he was the kind gentle person she had known before her accident, and then Livia's work suddenly deteriorated.

"What's the matter?" asked Dunne angrily in the projection room.

"What's the matter?" Pordyce asked Livia the next day. He refused to let his bullying methods be stronger than before. But it made it worse. "What's the matter?" he yelled at her. She struggled for control. But it was no use. The tears of her weeping startled him.

Terry Davidson was in trouble. He owed money to nearly everyone in town. He always had owed money, but in the last few months much until now. His more optimistic friends never very great, was doing one of the unpredictable Hollywood nosedives. Even his optimistic agent had disappeared.

"It may be some time before I can get you a job," said the agent.

Terry's one source of income now was the Livia picture which he sold in his small and his machinations spread over the Angeles like the fine veins on a leaf. Gambling was the staple diet of his financial well-being.

He won—too small or too big for Al Jonas. The circumspect Jonas studios and their bosses did track business with Al. Some of business was honest. But much of it was not.

Terry Davidson had been a client of Al's ever since the Santa Anita track opened on Christmas Day, 1935. He obeyed the command to come to Al's office on the third floor of the building.

Al was a friendly enough. But the small, bulging eyes were like ice.

"You haven't paid us anything for three months. How come?" he asked. Terry shifted uneasily on the carpet.

"Things haven't been so good with me Al lately, you know that," Terry pleaded. Terry's voice a one higher.

"Things is bad for everybody," said Al pleasantly. And then like the firing of a gun, he ordered: "Empty your pockets!"

"What?"

"Is your hearing bad, too?" Terry looked at the door longingly. But he knew there was no escape. He slowly brought out his wallet and surrendered it.

Al emptied the contents on his desk, and separated a dollar and a half from the few papers and private cards. He looked at the wallet and at the signature—

"Livia Clarkson."

"What goes on here?" he asked Terry.

"Oh, I did something for her, and she paid me—"

"What for instance?"

"None of your business," Terry tried to sound injured. "I don't ask questions about your business, so lay off mine, Al laughed.

"She's Earl Dixon's kid, isn't she?" If there was that, they probably knew the rest, Terry thought, but he bluffed a little longer.

"Who's Earl Dixon?" he asked. Al opened a door.

"Hey, Earl!" he shouted. Into the room staggered Livia's father. From the condition of his face and clothes he had neither been to bed nor undressed for quite some time. He peered hazily at Terry.

"D'ye mind if I sit down?" he said elaborately, and without waiting, bent stiffly into a chair. "I'm not wanna drink," he announced.

"Al took a bottle of scotch from a cupboard, poured the Dixon a small glass. Dixon swallowed it and wiped his mouth.

"Ah, s'better. Who's this?" he pointed to Terry.

"D'ye know him?" Al asked Terry.

"Never say him before in my life," he answered truthfully, Al grinned at Terry.

"So you were giving him 50 bucks a week from his loving daughter and for why? Because he was in dutch with me, and his soft-hearted little daughter didn't want me to be nasty to her papa—me that wouldn't hurt a fly—unless it was trying to put something over on me. I'm surprised at you, Terry."

"Now I had a wife and family but no more, no more," said Dixon dramatically. He lurched up. "D'ye know who I am?" he asked Jonas, and without waiting for a reply, "I'm the best known man in the business."

"Sure you are." Al patted his shoulder. Dixon moved away haughtily.

"Keep your hands off me." He sat down again, and his face was full of bitter hopeless. "Two little baby daughters, but no more. Got some more of dat kind, huh?"

"Sure." Al poured him another drink. "How'd you like to see your daughters?"

"Two little baby daughters," said Dixon. He peered craftily at Jonas. "Why?"

Steven walked unsteadily to the desk and poured himself another drink.

"Good stuff, this," he smacked his lips. "My daughter's a movie star," he announced. "I see her picture in the paper."

"Yes, I know," Al said. Was there anything he didn't know, Terry wondered.

"I made the best pictures in Hollywood," said Dixon belligerently. "Who made more pictures than it?" he demanded.

"You had not the way you mean," Al laughed. "Look," he said to Terry, "I'm putting my friend Earl in your charge. See that he's happy."

(To be continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

MONDAY, FEB. 19,

—4.00 p.m.
CBL—Relax and Enjoy Music.
WGR—World News, 6.10 sports.
—4.15 p.m.
CJBC—BBC News.
—4.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wes, McKnight, sports.
—5.15 p.m.
CBL—BBC News and Comment.
—4.30 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7.00 p.m.
CJBC—Horace Heidt.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
—7.15 p.m.
WKBW-CBS—Headlines.
—7.30 p.m.
CKEY—June Ellis.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WKBW-CBS—Speaks to Yanks.
WBEN—International Party.
—7.45 p.m.
CFRB—Bulldog Drummond.
—7.45 p.m.
WBEN—H. V.Kaltenborn.
CBL—The Old News Roundup.
—8.00 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—Vox Pop, interviews.
WBEN-NBC—American Cavalcade.
CJBC—Music Club, Coca Cola.
—8.30 p.m.
CJBC—Blind Date.
CFRB—Spin and Win quiz.
WBEN-WGY—Howard Barlow's Or.
WKBW-CBS—Bandwagon and Allen.
—9.00 p.m.
CFRB, CKOC—Radio Theatre.
WGR-BLUE—Counter-Spy.
WBEN-NBC—Telephone Hour.
—9.30 p.m.
CJBC-NBC—Information Please.
CBL—Georgian Singers.
—10.00 p.m.
CBL—CBC National News.
WGR-BLUE—Guy Lombardo.
CJBC-NBC—Contented Hour.
CFRB-CBS—Screen Guild.
—10.30 p.m.
WKBW-CBS—Johnny Morgan Show
WBEN-NBC—Dr. "I. Q".
—11.00 p.m.
CFRB—News.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
—11.05 p.m.
CKOC—Mickey Lester.
—11.15 p.m.
CJBC—Music for Dancing.
CBL—Current Events.
—11.30 p.m.
CJBC—Anthony Playhouse
CBL—Music till Midnight.
—11.45 p.m.
WGR-BLUE—Glaudos Amigos.

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CKWS — Kingston	960
CBL — Toronto	740
CBM — Toronto	1010
CKCL — Toronto	590
CFRB — Toronto	860
CBO — Ottawa	580
CKOC — Hamilton	1150
CHML — Hamilton	900
CBM — Montreal	940
CFCF — Montreal	600
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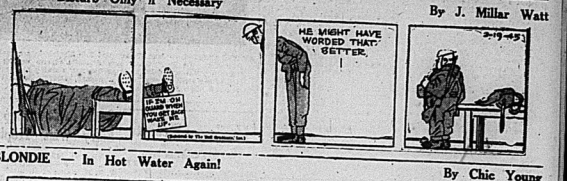
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Moncton, N.B., Feb. 19 —(CP)— A pilot Prince, cousin of King Leopold of Belgium, is in Moncton stationed at the Royal Air Force Wing or No. 1 "R" Depot and today is looking forward to flying a plane against the Nazis in the near future.

Newly-won wings of the air force on his tunic, Prince Albert de Ligne, is one step further on the journey which he hopes in the coming months will take him to his native Brussels, which he last saw in 1940 when the Gestapo was rounding up the prime movers in the Belgian underground movement.

The Prince recently received his wings at the Service Flying Training School, North Battleford, Sask.

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The death on Sunday of the Honorable Mr. Justice Riddell of the Appellate Branch of the Supreme Court of Ontario recalls to mind that Judge Riddell was at one time a law student in Belleville with the late Dougall and Faulkner. The above firm's offices were on the second floor in a section known as Chancery Lane.

Chancery Lane was the section of Campbell Street between Front and Pinnacle Streets and was so-named because of the number of lawyers whose offices were situated therein. Dr. Chas. Wallbridge; Anderson and Bell; Bell and Anderson; Morgan, Bell; Stewart Masson; Henderson and Henderson; Mills and Wright; Samuel Wallbridge; Flint and Sherry and Dougall and Faulkner. The late Judge Riddell received honorary degrees from universities in Canada, United States and England and was an historian of wide knowledge. He penned and made favorable comments on the manuscript of "Belleville History" compiled by W. C. Mikel, B.C.L., K.C.

STORE GAS RATION BOOKS WITH POLICE

With 1945 gasoline ration books now available to the motoring public, the bulk of the books of coupons will be stored at the police station for security reasons, Chief Robert A. Probert announced today.

"Checking-in ration books must be procured at Mr. Vermilyea's store, Front St., and the surplus on hand will be secured at the police station until the safe duty of sale" Chief Probert explained.

During the past two years efforts to break-in the Vermilyea's store, doubtless for the purpose of stealing gasoline ration books, have been investigated during the late hours of the night of gasoline thefts in Belleville. It is to discourage the practices that the surplus gasoline books will be stored at the police station nightly, Chief Probert explained.

FLT.-SGT. A. G. McKAY NATIVE OF SCOTLAND

Flight Sgt. Alexander G. McKay, air gunner with the R.C.A.F., who has been missing on operational flying aerial operations overseas, is not a native of Belleville, as reported in the Ontario Intelligencer, but of Belleville from Monkland, Ont., Sgt. McKay is a native of Scotland having been born there 24 years ago. Mrs. McKay and her two children reside on Charlotte St.

TOTAL OF THREE YEARS FOR THREE THIEVES

Windsor, Feb. 19 —(CP)— Louis Laviolette, 26, of Montreal, whose activities here as a burglar were bared when he was arrested on a street fighting charge, was sentenced to three years in magistrate's court to a total of three years in penitentiary on conviction on 10 charges.

Laviolette's tools were found on Laviolette when he was arrested following a street fighting with Arthur Spitzmeyer, a returned soldier. The latter today was dismissed on a charge of assault occasioning bodily harm.

AUSSIES ENCIRCLE JAPANESE

Melbourne, Feb. 19 (Reuters)— The Australian forces under control of the southwest corner of Bougainville island in the Solomons was considerably developed by encirclement of a Japanese force along the Hupai river track, an army statement reported today.

In north New Guinea, Australian forces were pushing steadily east along Dundi river bank while in New Britain, forward Australian troops had crossed the Navelo river the report added.

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WITH THE TANKS IN ITALY



"Bandy," mascot of a Tank Regiment, Light Aid Detachment, has been with the unit since before Dieppe and wears the 1939-45 Star and the Canada Centenary Volunteer Service Medal with Clasp. He is seen here with Craftsman Stanley Davis of Westmount, P.Q.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo).

Looking Ahead in Ottawa

(By The Ottawa Staff of The Canadian Press)

Ottawa, Feb. 19. (CP)—Any session of the Dominion, called between now and the expiration of Parliament April 9 would be confined entirely to voting supply necessary for the conduct of the war and other government expenditures, M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, said today.

It would be impossible to put through any other legislation because of the lack of time, he added.

There has been speculation that legislation might be introduced to provide for single - transferable votes. It is understood, however, that appeals have been made to the government and Progressive Conservative headquarters that such legislation be passed in time to be effective in the coming general election.

A Progressive Conservative spokesman said no canvass had been made of the members of the official opposition on this matter but he was inclined to think they would be ready to co-operate with the government in such a move.

However, in view of Mr. Coldwell's statement it is not thought any such attempt would be made.

Members of the C.C.F. group stated that while their party was strongly in favor of proportional representation that insured minorities having representation in the Commons it had never supported the transferable vote designed to insure that the member of parliament elected had the support of a majority of the electors in his constituency.

The party would oppose rushing through transferable vote legislation in such a short session. "Transferable vote proponents have no show at all", one member said.

Party meeting: Special interest is manifested in political circles over the third annual meeting of the Progressive Conservative association, the Party's National Organization, which meets here March 2 and 3.

It will likely be the last meeting of the association before a general election and the last opportunity for Hon. Bracken, Manitoba Premier, to get the feeling of the party all across Canada. P. D. MacArthur, Howick, Que., will preside. He was chosen president a year ago.

Plans of the party for the coming election are expected to receive detailed study and take final shape at the meeting which will bring together representatives from all provinces who will report on the state of public opinion and party organizations in their areas.

More intensive efforts will be made by the party to win Canada than in any recent elections. A number of prairie seats where there had been no party organization will now be contested.

It is understood the party's national headquarters is particularly pleased with the calibre of the candidates so far nominated in the west as well as the cast on the scores of youth, war service, reputation in their communities and general ability.

Allied Conference: The Canadian delegation to the United Nations World Security Conference (at San Francisco in April) will be a large one, headed by at least two ministers and probably including Prime Minister Mackenzie King, who is also Secretary of State for External Affairs.

Some private Members of Parliament may also be included as observers on the Canadian delegation of the United Nations monetary conference in Atlantic City, next year.

Whatever the political delegation may be, it is certain to be backed by a strong team of experts from the External Affairs Department, including either Norman Robertson, now Secretary of State, or Hume Wrong, Associated Undersecretary, or both, perhaps some officials drawn from the staffs of the Canadian Legation at Washington and the High Commissioner's office in London.

Dishonored Vets: Dishonorably discharged war veterans, previously barred from registering out bene-



CANADIAN ARTILLERYMEN BLAST HUNS ON WESTERN FRONT

While the Russian armies close in on Berlin from the east, Canadian troops are driving through Holland . . . to the German capital. Canadian artillery fire continues day and night, driving the Huns back. In the apparent peaceful quiet in the top picture, (it could be in training in England or Canada) these Canadian gunners, methodically pad their 25-pounder . . . but a second later, as in the lower picture . . . a death dealing missile goes hurtling toward the German lines and a Canadian gunner gets ready to hand the loader another shell. The men in this gun crew on the Netherland front are, left to right: Sgt. Jack Brown, Coalcook, Que.; Bdr. Joe Wilson, 1159 Dovercourt Road, Toronto; Gnr. Lyle Ludwig, 11 Beresford Avenue, Toronto; Gnr. Bill Bignell, North Battleford, Sask.; Gnr. Geotge Sirocos, Melita, Man., and Gnr. Bill (Scotty) Stewart, Medicine Hat, Alta.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

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TORONTO LIVESTOCK

Toronto, Feb. 16 —(CP)— Cattle trade was active and steady-prices up to mid-season on the livestock exchange today. Hogs were 10 to 20 cents higher. Lambs and veal calves were unchanged. Sheep were steady.

Receipts reported by the Dominion Marketing Service were: Cattle 2,000, calves 300, hogs 700, sheep and lambs 150. Unsold from last week were 100 head of cattle.

Prices in the trade included:

Cattle: Choice steers $11-$12, butcher steers and heifers $8-$11.25, choice cows $7-$9.25, canners and cutters mostly $6.50-$6.50, bulls $7-$9, fed yearlings $11.75-$12.50.

Calves: $15.50-$16.50 with a few at $16.75 for choice with common Lambs: $14-$15 for good ewes and wethers with common downward to $8.

Sheep: Common to medium $5-$6.50.

Hogs: Dressed, Grade A $18, Grade B1 $17.80, sows $14.

LIVESTOCK

Montreal, Feb. 19 (CP) — Hogs were stronger and cattle unchanged steady today on the livestock exchange. Receipts cattle 800; calves 979; hogs 2,500; sheep 1,000.

Sales were fairly active in the better grades of steers, heifers were 10-10.50. Canners and cutters were 6.50-7.50. Good bulls sold up to 9.50.

Veal calves were 11-13. Good veals were mostly 16.

fits, will be able to make application for gratuities to a special review board being set up by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

The Board will hear evidence on the circumstances of the dishonorable discharge and have the power to award pension benefits in cases selected by representatives of the Navy, Army and Air Force will be on the Board.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE

Toronto, Feb. 19 (CP)—Base metals led industrial issues higher this afternoon on Toronto exchange. Lower prices appeared for golds. Trading was fairly active and easier.

Gland, McIntyre, Cochenour Willans, Hasaga, West Malartic and Falconbridge were among gainers against losses for Wright-Hargreaves, Lamaque-Coulsbault, Lourdcourt, Consolidated Smelters, Noranda and others. Trans-Resources weakened 20 cents to 3.30. Homer Yellowknife was listed today and sold at 36 to 38.

Gains were boarded in base metals for Nickel Rod, Falconbridge, Mining Corporation and Lakeshore.

Buster prices appeared in industrials for the senior oils, utilities, breweries and papers. Brown Company Pfd firmed 1 and the common gained 10. The Canadian Breweries issue had gains of 1/4 to 3-4.

WALL ST.

New York, Feb. 19 — (AP)—The stock market resumed its swing to new 5-year average peak today with rails, steels, utilities and selected industrials tacking on gains of better than 1 point.

Again it was a case of idle investment funds seeking employment in securities of companies with good earnings and dividend prospects.

Prominent advancers included U. S. Steel, Chrysler, General Motors, United Air Lines, U.S. Rubber, National Department Stores, Westinghouse, Canadian Kodak, Douglas Aircraft and American Can.

Fire signs were prominent among Canadian stocks. C.P.R. was up 1/8 and Dome Mines, Hiram Walker gained 1/2. Distillers Seagrams 1/4. Bonds improved and grain futures rallied.

HOGS

Toronto, Feb. 19. (CP)—Prices were unchanged at bacon-hog markets reporting early today. Dressed Grade A delivered, Bull and Barrie $17.75; Stratford, to farmers $17.50, to truckers $17.65; Hamilton $17.80; London $17.50.

REMOVED FROM LISTS

Toronto, Feb. 19. (CP) — The Prices Board announced today that canned rhubarb and canned crabapples have been removed from the list of rationed fruits and now may be bought without surrender of preserves ration coupons.

To My Scout and Guide

"I rose upon a picture of a smiling soldier boy
Although I greatly miss him, yet my heart is filled with joy.
To know that he was willing to help his country out,
He said it was his duty, for he is a Boy Scout.

Then I see his sister in uniform so smart,
And in this dreadful conflict, she too will do her part.
Her emblem is the Red Cross, and great is her pride,
She too is doing her duty, for she is a Girl Guide."

Mother.

The above is a sincere tribute to her son and daughter now on active service overseas, from devoted mum of their time and efforts in their earlier lives to the Boy Scout and Girl Guide movements, written by Mrs. Mabel Beasley, 38 Octavia St.

Her son Sergeant Major Frank Beasley, who has been overseas since 1939, carried on his scout activities while in the Mother Country, and was recently promoted over there with a Scout Leader's Warrant.

His sister, Lieut. (Nursing Sister) May Beasley, now on duty in a Canadian convalescent hospital in England, became associated with the Girl Guides at an early age. She belonged to one company for 17 years earning the rank of captain. She relinquished this when temporarily feeling she could do more for the war effort by joining the armed services in a nursing capacity.

Boy Scouts of Canada this week are celebrating Founder's Day throughout the Dominion.

POPE PIUS XII IS FEVERISH WITH INFLUENZA

Vatican City, Feb. 19 —(AP)— Pope Pius XII was confined to bed today with an attack of influenza, but his condition was described as not serious.

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Gardiner Claims Pearkes 'Acting For the Tories'

VANCOUVER, B.C., Feb. 17 (CP) — Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., who resigned as Pacific military district commander Thursday night, termed as "perfectly scandalous" a charge by Agriculture Minister Gardiner at Ottawa that Maj.-Gen. A.G.L. McNaughton had been advised not to volunteer for general service.

Mr. Gardiner said at Ottawa last night that Gen. Pearkes "has been acting for the Tories ever since he came back from overseas" and declared that statements of Gen. Pearkes and some of his officers have done more hurt than anything else I know of to cause the high feeling of discontent in the army."

Gen. Pearkes said that Mr. Gardiner's statement was "perfectly scandalous," adding, "if the men were advised that way I haven't the faintest idea who could have given that advice. It would have been directly opposite to the policy we were following."

Gen. Pearkes said yesterday he had resigned because "under existing conditions I was unable to render a loyal and conscientious service." He stated recommendations made by him to defence headquarters concerned his ideas on the use of draftees and the overseas force to be replied "that would be close to the battle line."

Issued Message.

When his resignation was announced Thursday he issued a message to his officers and men saying he regretted that "circumstances now make it necessary for me to cease to be so intimately associated with the troops . . . but I hope opportunities will arise in which I can still render some service to you and the men who are returning from the overseas areas and to the country as a whole."

This was followed by reports that he would contest the Progressive Conservative candidature in Nanaimo in the next Federal election, opposing the liberal member, J.L. Cliff. A Chamberlain, now overseas, Party officials at Vancouver would not comment.

At Ottawa, Mr. Gardiner said Gen. Pearkes "has been acting for the Tories ever since he came back from overseas. There is no reason why he shouldn't run for them."

Mr. Gardiner said further: "The story has been continuously coming out of British Columbia that the troops in the camps had been advised not to volunteer; that the act of volunteering would only be playing into the hands of the government compel them to go overseas."

Holloway

Holloway Private George Stevens returned to Kingston on Thursday after spending a month's leave with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McMullen.

Mr. Walter Hamilton, Belleville, took dinner on Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Townsend.

The monthly meeting of the Holloway Branch Red Cross was held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Arthur Wilson and Miss Bessie Spencer served a very good attendance. Three quilts were quilted.

Mr. Beverly Foster, Peterborough, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Townsend.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Elliott on Monday included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sexsmith and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott.

Mrs. Herb Townsend called on Mr. and Mrs. Abe Finkle, Belleville, on Tuesday.

Moira

Moira — Mrs. J. F. Henry was hostess on Thursday for the February meeting of the W.A. After dinner the vice-president, Mrs. Angus Mumby, took charge of the meeting which opened with a hymn, prayer by Mr. Stewart, scripture reading by Mrs. Parrott, roll call, "Salvation." Various business matters were then discussed, followed by a hymn. Piano solo by Grace McIlmoyl; reading by Mrs. Nelson Welsh and Mrs. W. Mowbray. Mrs. G. Thompson gave an interesting talk on Mary and Martha, followed by a duet by Mr. Stewart and Grace McIlmoyl. Meeting was closed with prayer.

Mrs. Garrance Bird and daughters, Yvonne and Brenda, who have been with Mrs. Bird's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morland, have gone to Port Arthur to be with Mr. Bird.

Mr. John Holden and Norma were in Toronto last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. Rollins. Norma is remaining for two weeks in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welsh and Mr. and Mrs. Don Holbert were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Farrell on Thursday evening.



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The sailors catching a happy scene during a party given by the crew of H.M.C.S. Chambly, Kilmico, for 120 tiny children of a badly-blitzed working class town. The party was held in the local parish hall and the children were welcomed on and entertained (Photo.)

by burly Canadian sailors. All left the party with sweets donated from the men's parcels from home.

Lieut. J. H. Storey of London, Ontario, is seen serving rolls to some of the guests.—(R.C.N. Photo.)

NEW S.P. INSIGNIA FOR R.C.A.F.



R.C.A.F. Service Police have been issued with new insignia of their trade. The new crossed sword and baton for W.D. S.P.'s on duty and train patrols are shown above. The hat bands are dark blue with albatross and crown. The white gloves are worn only on special occasions. The only new addition for S.P.'s on station will be the arm band.—(R.C.A.F. Photo.)

'Name the Camp' Contest Conducted By Kiwanis Club

Here is a chance for Belleville school child and Collegiate and St. Michael's students to make themselves some Easter money.

The Belleville Kiwanis Club has completed plans for the construction of a summer camp for children at Roblin's Mills, Prince Edward County.

But it appears they cannot decide themselves on a suitable name for the new summer centre and are leaving it to the ingenuity and creative abilities of city school attendants.

Members of Kiwanians' families are not eligible.

The prizes are $15, $10 and $5 respectively for the most original three names submitted. In case of equal merit, duplicate prizes will be awarded.

Major aspects of the camp which can be used in selecting the name are its location, the location of the site and buildings by Kiwanian George Wallbridge, Belleville, and the Kiwanis Club, sponsors, of the project.

Entry blanks may be obtained at any school office and entries will not be accepted after midnight March 31st. No one individual will be allowed more than one entry. Decision of the judges will be final.

Entries, when completed, are to be returned to the school addressed to Mr. T. E. Schwab, 261 Front Street.

The contest has been named "Name the Camp" and will start immediately.

Training Helps In Any Emergency

By D'ARCY O'DONNELL
(CP Staff Writer)

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 — (CP)—Members of Canada's Civil Defence Committee were trained to help civilians in case of enemy attack upon the Dominion but the training they received can be put to good use during any emergency, a director, a committee official said today in an interview.

Some 283,000 Canadians were trained as civil defence workers during the five years of the committee's existence and received much the same training as Britain's Air Raids Precaution Corps.

They were trained as auxiliary firemen, air raid wardens, casualty workers, rescue technicians, clearance crews, public utility repair gangs and demolition squads. More than 30,000 of them were given courses in first aid.

Although never called to duty as a result of enemy action, members of the committee have voluntarily pitched in and helped during fires, train wrecks and other national tragedies.

"We have evidence enough to fill a couple of books to show that our civil defence workers have done some mighty fine work," said the official.

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Netherlands Officer Held on Charge Of Telling Huns of Arnhem Attack

LONDON Feb. 19 (CP)—The Tower of London confines a Netherlands officer accused by the British government, on the basis of carefully gathered evidence, of tipping off the Germans to the Arnhem airborne attack which collapsed after an eight-day battle last September.

He is awaiting trial for treason on charges of betraying Allied military secrets to the enemy.

His arrest was announced on Friday night.

On the officer, whose name was withheld, Britain may seek to place the principal blame for the failure of the gallant assault, made by the British "Red Devil" 1st. Parachute Division at a cost of more than 6,000 of its 8,000 men, to attain its full objective.

From a London informant came this story of how the officer was discovered and captured:

Early in August there reported to Netherlands' intelligence officers a man they knew and trusted on the basis of three years of effective underground work. He offered to bear important verbal assurance representatives within Holland by speaking through German lines. He was known to be an excellent marksman.

To check on his reliability they asked him whether he would be willing to kill several Germans. He readily named several stationed in Holland and promised to get them.

Subsequently Brussels officers checked his list. They found he had killed the Germans he named on Thereafter they saw no reasons to distrust him.

It appears that among the secret messages from London was one advising the Netherlands underground of the pending Arnhem invasion, with the view of mobilizing underground support.

When the parachutist remnants had to fight their way out of the Arnhem salient after a relief column was unable to cross the Neder Rhine nobody suspected this man. He had crossed to Allied lines when underground forces struck in cooperation with the British attack.

He came under scrutiny of intelligence men, however, and soon sufficient evidence piled up to warrant his arrest. But he was such a superior shot it was considered inadvisable to try to disarm him by force.

So a ruse was hit upon. The officer was invited to a cocktail party. He thoroughly enjoyed the party. But when he tried to depart he was arrested.

The informant said he believed the Germans shot by the officer as proof of his loyalty to the resistance movement probably were from a list furnished by the Germans in Holland and would have been killed by the Gestapo anyway.

COMMISSIONER LYNCHED

PARIS, Feb. 17 (AP)—Jacques Mirsac, former commissioner of police at Dijon, was lynched by a mob in that city, Agence Francaise De Presse reported yesterday. The mob acted, the agency said, after a court had postponed his trial for collaborationist charges until end of hostilities.

Army Casualties Eager To Return to Jobs, Homes

By ENID NEMY
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Pringle La Prairie, Man., Feb. 19 (CP)—There's a story behind almost every man at No. 3 Combined Services Unit here. Many of them have been through the thrills and horror of Dieppe, Italy and Normandy. Others have lived through adventures here in Canada. But perhaps the most colorful personalities are the chaplain, a sergeant-major and a German refugee.

Capt. D. E. Flint of Montreal is a newcomer to the centre but he has earned himself a reputation for finding wherever things happen. As a chaplain he covers more territory in a day than some of his fellow officers do in a week and knows hundreds of the boys by their first names.

Returning from Italy several months ago on compassionate grounds, Capt. Flint immediately delved into the personal and domestic problems of the casualties here. He visits the sick to do "whatever I can," and as the only chaplain in the camp looks after men of all religious denominations. If anyone ask a man his religion: "If his profession fortifies his faith, I send for a senior chaplain."

"We've got a good bunch of boys here," he says. "They aren't bitter about their wounds or what happened to them. They just want a chance for a job, home and security—they want to be ordinary Joes again."

Courageous Non-Com.

Sgt.-Maj. Preston Cheetham of Neepawa, Man., isn't one of those tough sergeants you read about. He is pleasant and calm and has more courage than an army. Wounded at Dieppe with the Canadians he returned to hospital in England and later joined his unit.

He was one of the select group of men chosen to join the North Lancashire Regiment in Africa for battle experience. Then came D-Day. He was wounded on the first day—by Orne on July 22nd, 1944, and returned to Canada in October. Books could be written about his experiences but to Cheetham they are just "things that happened."

A twisted ligament suffered on an assault course brought Alfred Stenger to Pringle. A graduate of the University of Berlin and an expert in political science he was sentenced for high treason in Germany by the first party.

Pte. Stenger came to Canada in 1938 with a group of English refugees. After unsuccessful attempts to join the Canadian army, he was finally given permission by the former minister of national defence, J. L. Ralston. Now between treatments he lectures to his fellow casualties on Canada and other political subjects. He has designs of the greater part of his life to just one thing—Canada.



Mr. M. D. Warner, president of The Borden Company Limited, announces the appointment of J. W. Lawrence as director of advertising and sales co-ordination. Mr. Lawrence is a member of the board of directors of The Borden Company Limited.

300,000 PRISONERS

London, Feb. 17 (CP)—A total of 300,000 French women are among prisoners of war and deportees in Germany, the Paris radio estimated today in announcing that a special reception camp had been set up to receive women repatriated after Germany's defeat.

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Cash Prizes Offered To School Children Selling Most Stamps

School children in the four local public schools in St. Michael's Separate School and at Belleville Collegiate are doing a fine job selling war saving stamps in connection with the current campaign being sponsored by the local post office authorities. To date pupils and students have sold 6,960 stamps, it was announced by Mr. Everett Liddle, chairman of the local campaign.

Aslt a great many of the stores have also been doing a fine job in interesting customers in the purchase of war saving stamps, while others were indicated to be remiss in their weight in the drive. National objective in the campaign is the sale of 12,000,000 stamps.

Although school pupils have already done a swell job in selling stamps that has been noted, it was decided to increase prizes at the schools to encourage children to even greater efforts. Right prizes in all will be offered in each of the six schools, the first boy or girl selling pupil to receive a cash award of $15, the second prize will be $10, while there will be six prizes of $2 each.

Again the local committee wish to point out that "Friday is Stamp Day" at all local stores, and that local allied industries, and they urge customers to buy at least one extra quarter or so with which to purchase stamps.

GOING INTO POLITICS

London, Feb. 16.— (Reuters) — Group-Capt. Max Aitken, elder son of Lord Beaverbrook, who has won both the D.S.O. and the D.F.C. with the R.A.F. in this war, has launched on a political career yesterday. The Conservative Association of the London Borough of Holborn chose him as the party's candidate there in the next general election. His Canadian-born father was Conservative member for Ashton-Under-Lyne from 1910 to 1916.

Soldier is Held For Jewel Robbery

Napanee, Feb. 19 — (CP)—P.E.D. May, 23, of the Royal Canadian Engineers maintenance group at Camp Borden, Ont., was held here today in connection with robbery from a Napanee jewelry store four months ago.

Arrested here last Friday night while attempting to board an eastbound bus, May will appear in Magistrate's Court Feb. 22, His home is at nearby Roblin.

COURT SAYS MOTHER WOULD KNOW

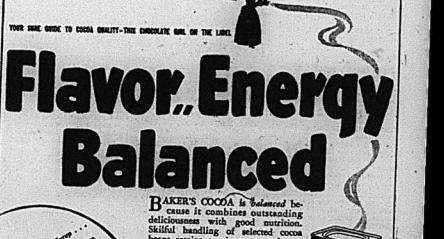
Timmins, Feb. 17 — (CP)—Ruling that his mother would be in a position to know his correct age, Magistrate Atkinson fined 18-year-old Wilfred Carriere $25 and costs on a charge of illegal possession of a liquor permit. Following his mother's testimony that he was under 21 years of age, Carriere said "She can't prove it. She hasn't my certificate of baptism."



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Holes on 65-Mile Front Within 50 to 60 Miles of Berlin

Indicates Konev Resumes Push Toward Dresden, Berlin

By RICHARD KASISCHKE
(AP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 20 —(AP)— Russian troops have punched several deep breaches in German lines on a 65-mile front stretching within 50 to 60 miles of Berlin and Dresden, the German high command declared today.

It indicated Marshal Ivan Konev had resumed his push toward those two cities after withstanding German counter-attacks which for only last night said had swept back into four towns.

The German communique declared Konev breached German lines in the area of Guben, 81 miles southeast of Berlin, at Sorau, 38 miles farther southeast, and at Lauban, 61 miles east of Dresden.

A brief broadcast said Konev was attacking Lauban and thrusting for Goerlitz 15 miles beyond on the Neisse river 40 miles from Dresden. This said Konev had cut the Sorau-Goerlitz railway for a 25-kilometer stretch at an undisclosed point, and had "temporarily" captured Rothwasser, 10 miles northeast of Goerlitz. Rothwasser is 5 miles from the Saxon border, was later retaken by the Germans, Transocean added.

Fighting of "the bitterest type" is raging in the sector between the Bober and Neisse rivers, a Transocean broadcast said.

Transocean made no mention of German counter-attacks, which the Germans last night said had hit from Guben and Somerfield, Sorau, and Sarau, on a 26-mile line to the southeast of Guben. Moscow never has claimed Sarau or Guben, but announced capture of the other three last week.

Sagan Again Lost.

An earlier Transocean broadcast indicated Sagan had again been lost by defining a battleline placed "west of the Bober River."

Moscow dispatches said the Red Army destroyed enemy counter-attacks was clinging to its positions in front of the Oder-Spree line southeast of Berlin, "while preparing out what may be some of the most important demolitions in this phase of the war."

Field dispatches to Moscow said Marshals Kopev and Gregory Zhukov were breaking German blows "in strategic moves which promise shortly to pay dividends when the drive to the capital is resumed."

A Russian push farther north had carried within 67 miles of Danzig, capturing the Polish corridor town of Nowe (Neuenburg).

The German command said the Russian offensive had opened north of Rastenburg on the upper Oder 85 miles southeast of Stettin, and that German defensive successes of the past two days.

As for Breslau, Transocean said all Soviet forces in its encircling attempt to take the Silesian capital had been beaten off.

Battle Pictured.

Battles are fluctuating in the Pyrtiz area 25 miles northeast of Stettin where Marshal Zhukov is fighting toward the Baltic, the German communique said, while in East Prussia Gen. Ivan Chernyakhovsky is attacking violently on the Samland Peninsula west of Koenigsberg despite a bombardment by the German Baltic fleet.

The Berlin radio said the German situation was critical in the Schneidemuehl area of the Polish corridor and west of the Vistula where the Soviets are pointed toward Danzig.

The Moscow communique declared 1,500 German were slain when they tried to break out of encirclement during 10 miles south of Nowe.

Marshals Konev and Zhukov were attempting to weld their tanks spearheads in area of Cross, 16 miles northeast of Guben, in readiness for an offensive upon Berlin. Cross lies south of the Oder.

EMERGENCY SHELTER REGULATIONS.

Toronto, Feb. 20 (CP) — Emergency shelter regulations going into effect in Great Toronto Thursday provide stiff penalties for infractions. All newcomers to the area are required to obtain authorization before renting or occupying family quarters.

William Schmidt Loses Appeal

Ottawa, Feb. 20 —(CP)— The Supreme Court of Canada today dismissed the appeal of William Schmidt of Port Frances, Ont., from a conviction of capital murder.

Schmidt, two other men, George and Anthony Skrypnyk, Schmidt is under sentence of death for the "hot stove" killing of Mrs. Viola Jamieson of Flanders, Ont., on June 10, 1944. A fourth man, Peter Chilkun, was convicted of murder but his sentence was later cut to life imprisonment.

In dismissing the appeal the Supreme Court upheld a decision of the Court of Appeal in Ontario which also dismissed the appeal based on the ground that the trial judge did not instruct the jury that a confession by one of the accused could not be considered evidence against the others.

2 Canuck Prisoners Among Liberated

Ottawa, Feb. 20 (CP) — Two Canadian army prisoner-of-war, freed by advancing Allied forces, have made their way to Moscow, a Canadian army spokesman said today. He said the names would be released as soon as confirmations had been received from next-of-kin, now being notified.

"So few with the Canadians have been reported, but it is possible that more will show up," he added.

He explained that the reasons for the precaution was that taken over communications busy from the next-of-kin before the names were made public, was that this method of ensured against any possibility of false good news reaching the wrong family.

Segregate Ardent Nasis From Other Germans In War Prisoner Camp

London, Feb 20 (Reuters)—War Minister Sir James Grigg told the House of Commons today that there had been segregation of the Nazis and other Germans in a British London prisoner of war camp. He said "much progress was made in the hospital and freeing the ardent Nasis from the rest."

He was replying to allegations that there had been "concentration camps and secret hangings of non-Nazis in Britain." Grigg declared he had said all such cases were dealt with under strict supervision. At some of other camp there had been violence, and one prisoner was killed and at four other camps there had been isolated instances of violence against non-Nazis.

MORRISON'S PREDICTION

Toronto, Feb. 20 —(CP)—William Morrison, chairman of the Ontario Workmen's Compensation Board, in an address to the Board of Trade Club last night predicted health insurance would eventually be administered by his board and foresaw extension of the compensation Act to cover every employee in the province.

Pincers Threat to Mandalay Develops From British Crossings of Irrawaddy

Kandy, Ceylon, Feb. 20 — (CP) — British 14th Army troops have expanded their bridgeheads across the Irrawaddy River 35 miles below Mandalay in Burma despite Japanese counter-attacks and artillery fire, Allied headquarters announced today.

Other units of this army made progress in the Singu bridgehead 40 miles north of Mandalay. These two British crossings to the left bank of the Irrawaddy rapidly were developing into a pincers threat to Mandalay.

Another 1st Army troops in northern Burma were approaching Henzi, on the old Burma road 25 miles from the rail terminal at Lashio, the war bulletin said.

In western Burma British and Indian troops have linked up with West African units which moved down the Kaladan Valley, Japanese troops have been cleared from the Kangaw area east of Akyab, the communique said.

HEAVY HOWITZERS TEAR HUGE HOLES IN WALLED CITY

MacArthur Reports Japs Being Mopped Up on Bataan And Corregidor

Manila, Feb. 20 — (AP) — American heavy howitzers tore holes in the thick outer walls of Manila's fortresses (walled city) today to clear the way for tanks and infantrymen determined to wipe out the last nest for Japanese strongpoint in the capital and free 7,000 civilian hostages.

It was possible some of the civilians already had reached freedom by risking enemy fire to slip into the waterfront area and escape in small boats.

Under semblance of death for the "hot stove" killing of Mrs. Viola Jamieson of Flanders, Ont., on June 10, 1944. A fourth man, Peter Chilkun, was convicted of murder but his sentence was later cut to life imprisonment.

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British tanks of Field Marshal Sir Bernard Montgomery's offensive forces are seen as they combatted nature's obstacle, mud, on the roads at Nijmegen, Holland.

BRITISH TANKS ROLL ON THROUGH HOLLAND MUD

Canadians Repel Five Counter-Attacks On Outskirts of Calcar

Paris, Feb. 20 (AP) — The 1st Canadian Army virtually cleared the ruins of Goch, fortified Siegfried line road centre today and repelled at least five vicious counter-attacks within checked gains on the northern wing of the western front.

Canadian and British troops had reached the outskirts of Calcar but ran into savage opposition from the German entrenched in the thick woods southeast of Kleve.

However, an all-night fighting the Canadians threw back repeated counter attacks and cut across the Goch-Calcar road about two miles west of Calcar. Some troops were within a mile of Calcar (population 2,053) and wading in icy cold waters of the Rhine which had spread two miles over flatlands to the very edge of the town. Firmly Astride Road

Supported by tanks, German infantry charged again and again but when dawn broke, the Canadians were firmly astride the road.

Enemy counter attacks also boiled out of the woods 1,000 yards south of Moyland but failed to shake the Canadians who were throwing an arc around the town.

Doon Campbell, Reuters war correspondent at Field Marshal Montgomery's headquarters reported German tanks penetrated the Canadian forward lines at one point, but were unable to maintain their position.

The Germans were using a sunken road from Moyland into the woods for reinforcements.

Tanks Take Five Towns.

At the opposite end of the U.S. 7th Army widened its resurgent front inside the Industrial Saarland and captured five towns in a move to within 31 miles and sight of the blackened steel city of Saarbrucken.

The 7th Army, at least 11 divisions and 150,000 men strong, was applying increasing pressure in its limited offensive at the fringe of the arsenal region.

In between, the U.S. 3rd Army pressed into Germany at a new point, capturing Winchertingen, a mile across the border east of Lutzelbourg and five miles from the fortified road hub of Saarburg. The 94th Division seized four towns along a four-mile front between Saarbrucken and Trier, Germany's oldest city and birthplace of Karl Marx.

The Kyll River, like the Rhine and the Meuse, is flooding. When its flood waters return to banks in the 26 miles from the Canadian gates to Roermond, the American 1st and 9th Armies and the British 2nd, will be able to launch their drive to the Rhine-land and the Ruhr. Indeed the Germans said the 9th had assembled a crossing at Linnich, where the Roer still was wide and deep.

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RAILROAD YARDS, REPAIR SHOP AT NUERNBERG HIT

900 U. S. Heavy Bombers Escorted by 700 Fighters in Relays

London, Feb. 20 (CP)—The vast railroad yards and locomotive repair shops at Nuermberg 90 miles south of Munich, were blasted by 900 United States heavy bombers today in the eighth straight day of tactical offensive against Germany.

The bombers were escorted on the long haul across the dangerous enemy fighter belt by about 700 fighters which flew in relays from British and French bases.

It was the 8th air force's fourth successive strike at vital railroads in an effort to snarl German transportation facilities for the final lines.

Other bombers from Italy and were reported attacking from the south.

Counting today's operations, the Allies have hit Germany with more than 1,200 heavy bombers every 24 hours since last Tuesday.

Five Bombers Missing.

During the night, British heavy

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AFFAIRS ABROAD RATHER SMOOTHER SAYS CHURCHILL

Prime Minister Will Deliver Report on Conference Later in Week

By ALEX H. SINGLETON
(AP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 20 — (AP) — Prime Minister Churchill informed the House of Commons today that affairs abroad are rather smoother" in his first public reference to the Big Three meeting at Yalta.

The Labor leader however that it must wait until next week for a full report on the Crimea Conference, and meanwhile he would say British and Dominion delegations had "a most satisfactory" discussion.

In order, those subjects were placed before the Prime Minister in a matching of wits and quips:

1. The goal. Would he tell the House "in view of the shortage of milk . . . whether part of German reparation in kind will include 100,000 milch goats for Scotland and 1,000,000 for England, North Ireland and Wales?" The Prime Minister passed that one until tomorrow.

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Churchill, F.D.R. Held Conference At Alexandria

Washington, Feb. 20 (AP) — President Roosevelt conferred with Prime Minister Churchill at Alexandria, Egypt, after the Big Three meeting and received another pledge of full support in the war against Japan after Germany's defeat.

In a formal statement on the president's activities since he left the White House on the 42nd of Jan. Sunday, February 11. White House said Mr. Roosevelt invited Gen. De Gaulle, president of the Provisional French government, to meet him in Algiers, French Morocco.

Gen. De Gaulle, the statement said, replied that official business prevented him from going to Algiers.

"Questions of mutual interest and importance to France and the United States are pending," the president said.

Ambassador-Egyptian relations were discussed.

Haile Selassie I, Emperor of Ethiopia, and King Ibn Saud of Saudi Arabia also were received.

Algiers was the President's last stopping place abroad before leaving for Washington.

The White House announcement said Secretary of State Stettinius, en route from Moscow to make official calls in Liberia, Southwest Africa, Brazil and Natal, to the inter-American conference in Mexico City, was waiting to see the President in Alexandria. He also reported on meetings with Foreign Minister Eden in London.

The conferences were described as "altogether satisfactory."

English Parents Hardly Recognize Their Children Arriving From Canada

By FRED BACKHOUSE

London, Feb. 20 — (CP) — In a grimy, war-scarred London railway station today came a group of young men and women, almost unrecognizable Canadian clothes who stared wonderingly at the observed look of newly-arrived tourists.

A party of middle-aged people gathered at the barrier, started too and hesitated a moment, then there was a wild rush of greeting as parents and children embraced and kissed in one of the war's most touching scenes.

For all the appraising looks were exchanged, Canadians and Britons were one. Evacuated to Canada during the Battle of Britain five years ago as small children they returned healthy, confident citizens with well-developed ideas on most things. The parents were astonished.

Thirty of them, the sons and daughters of (Ford) factory workers had received the hospitality of homes with workers for the Ford branch of the same company in Windsor, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones, of Hornchurch, Essex, hardly recognized their children. Graham, 12, when they left was a six-footer, 17 year-old. He wore a "porkpie hat with a wide brim, cowboy-fashion, and one British newspaperman said: "The other children were Colin, 16, Patricia, 12, and Audrey, 10. Elaine went away a 10-year-old in an English school uniform and sailor hat. She came back wearing smart tailored slacks, shoes on her lips and powder on her nose.

"Dear me, dear baby," said Mrs. Jones admiringly.

Bill Graham and Colin brought back ideas of their own on modern British industry after the war. Patricia and Elaine, a determined team of close co-operation between the workers and the administrative side for British factories.

Elaine came out flatly for the Canadian education system. "All our schools should be like the ones in Canada," she said. "Boys and girls go to the same school and do not wear uniforms. We are encouraged to make up your mind early on a future career. I want to be an airliner hostess."

Mow Path Clear Across the Island 2½ Miles Long

Suribachi, Jap Volcano Fortress, Bitterly Defended

Guam, Feb. 20 — (AP) — United States Marines seized the southern airfield on southern Iwo Jima today after smashing through Japanese defenses so fanatically defended as any in the Pacific." Admiral Chester W. Nimitz announced.

The Marines mowed a path clear across the island extending in an irregular wedge shape from 2 1/2 miles long on the east coast to 1,000 yards on the west.

Newly-captured territory reaches from the north slopes of Suribachi, Japanese volcano fortress on the southern tip of the island now cut off from enemy defenders, to the northern edge of pitted Motoyama airfield No. 2.

Last night a battalion of Japanese attacked in full strength down the runway in the northern section of the air strip, but the 27th Marine Regiment beat it back.

Sporadic artillery and mortar fire fell on American positions on both sides of the island throughout the night but United States forces continued to unload more supplies, reinforcements and artillery.

American night fighters broke up several Japanese air attempts to counter-attack, while Pacific fleet units maintained a continuous bombardment of the highly prized airdrome island. 700 miles south of Tokyo.

Territory captured by the veteran 5th Marine Corps in two days of fighting represents about one quarter of the entire island, Nimitz said.

Communique Somber-Toned

The communique was the second somber-toned release issued by admiral Pacific fleet headquarters tonight on the toughest battle in the Marines' history.

In his first report today Admiral Nimitz said American losses in smashing across the southern end of the island were relatively light but that the Japs on the northern flank of the Regimental battalion of the Americans battered up Japanese counter-attacks with airdrome.

"The fight is the toughest we've run across in 168 years," Lt.-Gen. Holland M. Smith, commander of Marine Corps forces in the area, told an Associated Press correspondent, Gene Lansberg, aboard one forces standing off the island.

Landberg reported thousands more Marines were pouring ashore to smash down the Japanese entrenched in the network of caves on the rugged, volcanic island from which they could be shelled by the light bombers and fighter planes.

Motoyama airfield No. 2 lies just north of the American line of advance today, won in the fiercest fighting of all on the island.

Fiercest fighting was near the northern end of the airstrip where Japanese were firing down from the mountains and Marines crawling up the exposed slopes of the airfield, which is within fighter range of Tokyo.



Two Jima, little volcanic island, 676 miles south of Japan which has been invaded by American Marines.

Tokyo, Thousands of Marine reinforcements and strong artillery support American soldiers from the great fleet of American ships still circling Iwo and laying down a continuous bombardment on the enemy-held northern end.

Tank Battle Reported

Headquarters made no mention of tanks which eye-witnesses said had been thrown into the battle. Tokyo radio reported a tank battle under way on the plateau in the center of the island occupied by the prized airdrome.

Advance elements of the Marines expanded their hold on the airfield, headquarters said, against fierce and increasing opposition.

Heavy fighting was underway on the northern end of the field.

Earlier communique said unequivocally that the Japs were "attacking Iwo Island," 750 miles south of Tokyo.

The Tokyo radio, reporting from a bomb-fired city where American raiding planes have knocked out 738 enemy aircraft since Friday, conceded that Japanese and American aircraft had been landed "by this morning."

From the 600 ships committed to the operation, the invaders are "bringing up reinforcement and landing them," Tokyo acknowledged, and reported 50 American tanks "in one sector."

Japanese Warning

Japanese imperial headquarters said "fierce battles are now going on."

Earlier domestic broadcasts over Tokyo radio said the battle continued and warned "with the landing on Iwo Jima, the homeland has become a battleground."

The influential newspaper Mainichi was more cautious in an editorial: "We must now realize that it is not impossible for the enemy to attempt a landing on the homeland. The enemy attack has gradually narrowed down from the gigantic and elastic defence structure that was won at the outset of the war until now the homeland has indeed become a fighting front."

Iwo Well Defended

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Coming Events

KINSMEN POLLIES AT COLLEGIATE ARMOURY, Wednesday, 8 p.m., featuring Barbara Dimmick and her troupe with Bill Ravin. Admission 40c. Proceeds for crippled Students 35c. F17,20,22,24

BINGO TONIGHT, 8.30 — SACO Hall, Sidney Street. Auspices Women of the Moose. 15

ECHO — Three door prizes and specialties. F20

THE QUINTE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sandercock, "Hastings County Home," Friday evening, February 23rd. Ladies bring refreshments. F20

ATTENTION REBEKAHS! REbekah banquet for President's night, will be held at 6.30, Thursday, February 22nd. I.O.O.F. Hall. All Rebekahs invited. F20

City and District News

ANN STREET HOME DAMAGED BY FIRE

Fire of an undetermined origin caused small damage, Friday night to the basement of the home of Mr. Gordon Miller, 306 Ann Street, with the local fire department being called to extinguish the blaze. The fire started under the basement stairway and resulted in damage to the wooden structure before being brought under control by firemen. Estimate of damage was not made by firemen or by the insurance adjuster.

GERMAN AUTOMATIC GUN ON VIEW HERE

Residents of the city can get a first hand view of the famous German Schmeisser automatic gun used effectively against the Allies by looking in the Victoria Avenue window of Buckley's Food Store. This deadly weapon, claimed to be one of the most effective of its kind carries 32 nine-millimetre shells in its magazine.

It was brought back to Canada by H. M. Warty of the Merchant Marine. With the Schmeisser is a heavy British machine gun used successfully at the Rock of Gibraltar, the harbor at famed Casablanca, and a whaling station in Labrador.

Quinte Skating Club Expresses Appreciation

Despite last-minute disappointments that added to the worries of members and officials, the Winter Show of the Quinte Skating Club held at the Hume Arena last Friday was an unqualified success, President Doug Deviel said today.

He expressed the sincere appreciation of himself and his executive to the efforts of committee chairman, the other members who took part, Arena officials and the general public for its generous support. age of the show. He paid a special tribute to parents of the younger members of the club for their efforts in assisting the youthful skaters to make the show the success it was.

He also thanked advertisers who supported the show program and the Red Triangle Club here for their last minute effort in coming to the rescue with its public address system.

Local 'Y' Has Share In World Service Work

Toronto, Feb. 20 — Canada's contribution to the World Service work of the world Y.M.C.A. last year totalled $1,466,000, an increase of $7,466 over the previous year, Hargrave Jennings, world service secretary of the Canadian association announced here today. Over 40,000 of this amount was subscribed by members and friends of the Y.M.C.A. in Belleville, it is learned by the "Y" dummey Camp or canvass by Gur committee selling Christmas cards, a portion of the profit, of which was devoted to work with needy boy, in war-torn countries of the world.

Every Y.M.C.A. in Canada had a part in raising this amount Mr. Jennings said. The funds will be administered, he explained, by the International Committee of the World "Y," whose budget last year was increased by $96,000, largely to provide for war emergency work in the Far East.

Vital Statistics For January

A total of 79 births, 44 male and 35 female, were recorded in the city during the month of January according to records kept at the city hall, it was announced today. Also during the month there were 16 deaths, six male and ten female, while 11 marriages were solemnized.

The record of 79 births does not represent a true picture of city vital statistics according to officials in the city hall, as the above figure number includes all births which took place in the city but does not mean the new arrivals were born

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Barton A. Reddick Dies at His Home On Trent Road

Barton Allan Reddick died at his home on the Trent Road, Sidney Township, early this morning after an illness of several weeks duration.

The late Mr. Reddick was widely known in this district and in other parts of Ontario and Canada, the announcement of his death will bring sincere feelings of regret to many friends by whom he was held in high esteem for the fine traits of character which he possessed. In religion he was a member of Bridge Street United Church.

Born at Wallbridge in Sidney Township, the late Barton Allan Reddick was in his 62nd. year and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Benaford Reddick. For many years he was engaged as a watchmaker and made cheese at Wooler for the past years and later was in charge of the Dominion Dairy School at Finch, Ontario. Eventually he entered the service of the Raynor Construction Company, Toronto, and for seven years was in charge as superintendent with this company. During the past ten years he was in the employ of the McFarland Construction Company of Picton.

Surviving him are his wife the former Minnie Way; one daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Bird, at home; two sisters, Mrs. Gertie Cornell, Belleville, and Mrs. Fanny Morey, Detroit, Mich.; two brothers, Benaford C. S. Reddick, Toronto; and Mr. Lorne Reddick of Kemptville, Ontario.

Resting at the Bridge Street Church, until this evening then at his home, Trent Road; the funeral announcement is made in this

Holloway Farmer Found Injured On Floor of Barn

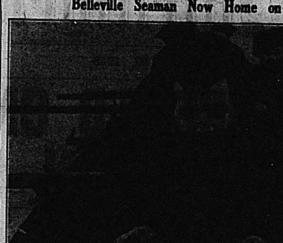
Found lying on the floor of his barn near Holloway, Floyd Sheffield, forty-five-year-old farmer was rushed to Belleville General Hospital yesterday suffering with a severely fractured skull. His condition today was reported as being critical.

It is believed that Mr. Sheffield fell from a ladder to a hay mow when he is thought to have crashing to the floor below. He was found later in an unconscious state.

Dr. J. S. Demorest, Foxboro was called and after examination ordered the injured man to the hospital. Dr. G. S. Cronk is in attendance here

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Belleville Seaman Now Home on Furlough



One of the toughest jobs that a seaman must do is that of boat-pulling in a seaboat or whaler and this fact is verified by Able Seaman Wilfred Fitzgibbon of this city, crew member of the Canadian corvette H.M.C.S. "Long Branch," who has been home on leave for the past few days.

The Belleville boy resting on his oars in his ship's whaler. He is the son of Mrs. Annie Fitzgibbon, 53 North Front Street.

Member of the R.C.N.V.R. for the past two and one half years, AB. Fitzgibbon is one of four brothers in the service. He is an "Old" original crew member of the "Long Branch." He was commissioned at her when she was commissioned at Glasgow in February, 1944. The "Long Branch" is the Wanderer boy's first ship.

He is now on a well-deserved furlough AB. Fitzgibbon in typical fashion maintains the high standard of tight-lipped secrecy of action seen. He admits having a few exciting months of convoy duty on the North Atlantic but like it go at that.

Brothers in the services are Pte. "Charlie" Fitzgibbon, wounded in the action following D-Day and now returned to Canada awaiting discharge from the army; AB. Jack Fitzgibbon, crew member of the "Cape Breton" and Pte. Bill Fitzgibbon with an anti-tank corps in Holland.

Smaller Business Employees Urged To Attend Clinic

Sequel to the recent completion of the examinations of employees of all Belleville industries, the Ontario Department of Health, under the direction of Dr. H. E. Cronk, city medical health officer, has urged owners of small business houses, stores and hotels to avail themselves of the opportunity of this service.

The examinations form part of the department's program for the control of tuberculosis among industrial and city workers in the province.

This information was imparted to the Rotary club here on Monday by Provincial C. Pilkinton who read communications from Dr. Cronk and the Department of Health in connection to the matter.

The purpose of the survey, it was declared, is primarily to discover unknown cases of tuberculosis, but in addition, other conditions such as tuberculosis conditions may be brought to light, namely abnormal heart conditions.

"Over 300,000 persons in Ontario suffering from the disease through this service, and as medical officer of health, I strongly advise you and your staff to take advantage of this opportunity. The policy of the department is to make as little as make a charge to the employer of 30 cents per examination," Dr. Cronk stated in his letter.

The survey will be in operation in the Standard Bank Building, February 22 and 23.

A Department of Health communication from the Division of T. B. Prevention points out that out of every 1,000 persons X-rayed in 1944, ten showed active cases of pulmonary tuberculosis, and an additional 21 showed non-tuberculous abnormalities namely enlargement of the heart.

CANADIANS REPEL

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Will Squeeze Enemy in Vise

When the massed might of the Prime Allied armies on the Roer is applied, the Germans before Cologne, Duesseldorf and Duisburg will be squeezed in a vise west of the Rhine, with the 1st Canadian Army on the northern jaw.

Scottish troops of the 1st Canadian Army went with bayonets after the last Germans resisting in Goch.

A thousand Germans surrendered yesterday, boosting the total for the northern campaign above 9,000. British forces which drove into Goch from opposite directions joined in the heart of the city.

On the western flank of the Canadian front German batteries laid down a terrific barrage against a Scottish troops south of Afferden on the road to Venlo, 18 miles away. Infantry did not follow the enemy shells, however, and the situation there was unchanged. Between Afferden and Goch, Gen. Crerar's troops edged forward slowly south of Hassum. The road between the towns was cut.

Front dispatches said the apparent reason for the resolute German stand before Calcar was to keep the 1st Canadian Army the use of the railroad running south of Deven.

9,000 Prisoners So Far

Since the start of their offensive 18 days ago Gen. Crerar's troops have pushed 17 miles beyond their starting line and have taken more than 9,000 prisoners.

Once Goch is cleared up, a small

Obituary

LATE MRS. ANNIE BOWLER

The funeral of Mrs. Annie (Sisalip) Bowler, widow of David Bowler, and late residence, 53 Geddes Street, took place Monday afternoon from the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, where a service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. Wilfrid Lewis of the Tabernacle United Church.

Interment took place at Belleville Cemetery. The bearers were the following nephews: Messrs. Arthur Johns, William Johns, Percy Bowler, Lewis Kilne, Charles Parm and Joseph Litte.

LATE WAYNE DOUGLAS RIDLEY

On Monday afternoon the funeral of Wayne Douglas Ridley, the fourmonths-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clare A. Ridley, 43 West Bridge Street, took place from the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, the service in the chapel and at Belleville Cemetery was conducted by the Rev. E. Farnsworth.

CHARLES AUSTIN KINDRED

After a lingering illness many years' duration Charles Austin Kindred, 97 Hillcrest Avenue, died in the Belleville General Hospital late on Monday, Feb. 19th.

The late Mr. Kindred was born seventy-seven years ago in Peterborough, but came to this city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kindred. For forty-three years he was a resident of this city and for forty years he was foreman carpenter at the plant of the Belleville-Sargent Company Limited Street. Owing to ill health he retired three years ago. Old friend, will regret to learn of his death. He was a member of the Tabernacle United Church.

Surviving him are one son, Mr. Clayton Kindred, Toronto; one daughter, Miss Vira Kindred, at home; one sister, Mrs. Frederick Brackenridge, Little Britain, Ontario; two brothers, Mr. Conner Kindred Van Norman died some years ago.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street; the funeral announcement is made in this issue.

LATE MRS. ANNE TIGHE (Feist Anne)

The funeral of Mrs. Anne (Summers) Tighe, wife of Mr. John Tighe, took place from her late residence at Point Anne this morning to St. Michael's Church, Belleville, where Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father A. I. Mahoney who also said the committal prayers at St. James' Cemetery.

The bearers were Messrs. Francis Kelly, James Garbutt, Geddes Bradshaw, John Bennett, Peter Hart and Joseph Hack.

MOW PATH CLEAR

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All front line reports today agreed with Prime Minister Churchill's of the Pacific War is in progress.

Prime Minister Richmond Kelly Turner, commanding the amphibious operation, said of two:

"It is a well a defended fixed position as exists in the world today. It is usual but hard fighting against a fixed operation for defence than any island with which I am acquainted."

Vice Admiral Turner commanded the Fifth Amphibious Force.

Chinese fighting

The fighting was not without its losses to the attacking force, Tokyo radio made the completely unconfirmed claim that 1,500 American Marines have been "wiped out" and 2,000 injured.

The Japanese, as usual, are resorting to extensive use of mortars. Many land mines were encountered.

The Japanese defenders of Iwo's chief defence is their scores of camouflaged pillboxes, which the Marines were landing on. Two, tobacco and great fires in the wharf and oil storage area of the island are rising or damaging 68 enemy planes.

Tokyo radio claimed the Japanese to have been destroyed or damaged by Friday and Saturday by carrier planes.

Today a message of praise to that task force for having "dealt the enemy a crushing blow" that Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Pacific Fleet commander, said today the same courage, skill and teamwork were being displayed "by forces which are taking Iwo Island."

He said the combination "will bring success when our troops land in Japan itself."

AFFAIRS ABROAD

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2. The shatzk. What is Britain doing about following up the American development of a "shark chasing" device for protection of seamen? Answer: "We're watching it," replied Mr. Churchill, adding: "You may rest assured the British experiments are entirely opposed to sharks."

3. The British double summertime. Would he assure the House it would not be imposed? "I certainly would not," the Prime Minister. Asked if he were aware that double summer time limited food production, Mr. Churchill sidestepped: "—We have had this question and I remember 40 years ago being sidetracked with that argument," he said.

4. Civil defence. What is London yesterday after stoppers at Athens and Cairo and immediately conferred with the war cabinet. He was greeted with a rousing cheer when he walked into the House of Commons.

Mr. and Foreign Secretary Bidault little time in stepping into parliamentary debate. Mr. Eden announced that Tuesday and Wednesday of next week would be allocated to debate on the Crimea conference.

The Prime Minister's brief remark on conditions abroad came in a response to a request that time be allotted for consideration of social and economic policy.

Mr. Churchill said he could hold out no hope of special time being found "in the present state of public business."

STIRLING

Day of Prayer Observed By Stirling Churches

Stirling, Feb. 20—The World's Day of Prayer was observed at St. John's Anglican Church on Friday, Feb. 16th with a good attendance of ladies gathering at the home of St. Paul's United Church and St. Andrew's Presbyterian also taking part in the program.

The pamphlet prepared by the ladies' committee of the Women's Missionary Societies of Canada was followed throughout. Mrs. H. Rodgers, President of St. John's W.A. opened the meeting with the Call to Prayer responsively and hymns "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven" and "The Church's One Foundation" and Scripture lesson, Phil. 1, 3-6.

Mrs. W. Anderson, president of the W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church led in the responsive readings "Confession."

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The closing part of the meeting was conducted by Mrs. H. Anderson when all joined in singing "The Day Thou Gavest, Lord, Is Ended."

High School and Home.

The annual high school formal dance held on Friday, Feb. 16th was a most delightful crowd. The gaiety of nautum presented a very attractive picture with the Valentine decorations. Many of the girls looked lovely gowns. The receiving line included the principal, Mr. and Mrs. Bateman, Mrs. J. L. Good, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Ketchell, Mr. and Mrs. Board and Miss Doris Pollock and Earl Haslett of the student body. Music for the evening was provided by Aces orchestra of Belleville.

Noticed several guests from out of town. Among these were boarding and graduates of Stirling high school. Mike Catharine Wright of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, Lorna Hamilton and Robert Sparks now in the University of Toronto. Mrs. Harold Wright and daughter Mrs. Jack Fulton and Miss Margaret Bateman and others of Belleville.

Three on Leave.

Mrs. Harry Brooks of the R.C.N. arrived home on Feb. 16th to spend leave with his wife and daughter at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Brooks of Carmel. Harry has been on active service overseas five years having seen service in the Mediterranean and Atlantic.

Gunner Bill Long of the R.C.A. returned from active service overseas on Friday to spend a month's well-earned leave with his mother, Mrs. R. C. Long at Stirling.

Sgt. John Loshaw of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment overseas on active service in Italy about three years, three times wounded and has many medals decorations, is home on leave with his father, Mr. and Mrs. Loshaw of Glen Rost.

Celebrates 93rd Birthday.

Miss Sarah Knox, life-long resident of Stirling celebrated her 93rd birthday, quietly at the Green Gables Rest Home, Wednesday, Feb. 18th. During the afternoon Rev. W. H. Gray of St. Paul's United Church and Mrs. Gray, the Golden Belt Circle, W.M.S. of St. Paul's United Church called to wish her birthday greetings to Miss Knox. A birthday cake was cut and tea served to the guests. Miss Knox received a number of many cards and messages from friends and relatives far and near.

Personals.

Mr. A. A. Carleton and Grace spent a few days in Toronto and attended the Maple Leaf and Montreal Canadiens hockey game at the Maple Leaf Gardens on Saturday.

Mrs. Vera Wescott, Mrs. Mina Morton and Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Ingalsbe of Belleville were guests of Mrs. Catharine Reynolds on the occasion of her 89th birthday. Birthday celebrated at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. R. Wells, Mar. 16th. Other guests present for the occasion were her granddaughters Mrs. A. Stoneburgh and Mrs. S. McQuigge of Belleville and Mrs. Arthur Hamblin of Peterborough.

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Nursing Sister Receives Thanks For Parcels Sent

Lieut. Dorothy Osborne, nursing sister with the Canadian army overseas, has written Belleville Red Cross Society expressing appreciation for her interest in the school movement, despite the fact she is only a short distance from the life lines on the Western Front. In a letter to Mrs. Twila Langman of Belleville she relates how gratefully as intermediary in the presentation of parcels of candy and gum from the Wolf Cub and Cubs Pack and Cub Pack to groups of the Wolf Cubs and Cubs Company. I cannot express in mere words the pleasure it gave me to look at these dear little faces when I gave each Cub his parcel from the Cubs so far away. I felt a selfish delight accepting their thanks and cheers, and the wish that you could have shared the fun and feeling of leam with me. I appreciated. I kept thinking of the third Scout law and felt its reality true, 'A Scout is a friend to all and a brother to every other Scout.'

"As I looked at all the little Cubs as they formed a circle and gave

City Salvage Collection Wednesday, February 21st

SALVAGE will be collected from the ENTIRE EAST SIDE OF THE CITY, including Front Street, all streets east of A River, north to the City Limits and south to the Bay of Quinte.

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the Wolf Cub yell I thought of you and felt far away with all the Cubs there giving the very same yell and I knew that I really wasn't so far from home after all.

"As yet the Scout troops and Guide companies here are small as all organizations were not allowed during the days of occupation. The Guides sang me a song in Flemish only the Guide leaders speak English and they are learning English in the schools again now since the liberation.

"When I visited the Scout troop they asked me to sing something, for a concert they are having soon. I requested them to sing me a song in English and they sang 'Loch Lomond.' It was very nice. I joined and sang with them and found for a little while that I wasn't back there with the Scouts myself. It is nice to hear them sing in my language.

"Well Twila and Cubs cheerio for now and here's a great bit thank you from the boys over here

"Dorothy."

DEATHS

REDDICK — On Trent Road, Sidney Township, on Tuesday, February 20th, Barton Allan Reddick, in his 62nd. year.

Resting at the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street, until this evening, and then at his home, Trent Road, from whence the funeral will be held on Thursday, February 22nd. Service in the home at 2.00 p.m. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

CHANGE IN TIME OF FUNERAL

McCUTCHEON — In the Belleville General Hospital on Monday morning, February 19th, Thos. Dunbar McCutcheon, formerly of 14 Isabel Street and brother of Mrs. John Canning, Belleville, in his 79th. year.

Resting at Thomas C. Thompson Funeral Home, 39 Everett Street, from whence the funeral will take place with Wednesday afternoon, February 21st. Service in the chapel at two o'clock. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

COLLINS — In Sydney, Nova Scotia, on Thursday, February 15, as result of an explosion and fire in R.C.A.F. storage building, LAC. Herbert William Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Collins, 209 Dundas St. East, age 23 years.

Resting at the Grant Funeral Home, North Front Street, from whence the funeral will take place on Wednesday, February 21st. Service in the chapel at 2.30 p.m. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

KINDRED — In the Belleville General Hospital late on Monday, February 19th, Charles Austin Kindred, 97 Hillcrest Avenue, aged 97 years.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, from whence the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon, February 22nd. Service in the chapel at 2.30 o'clock. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

POLICE COURT

Soldier Convicted On Morals Charge

Two soldiers of the Canadian Army were convicted of clothing articles from parked automobiles by the downtown area of Belleville when they appeared before Magistrate C. L. Lloyd here today. They are Cpl. Ray Shaw and Pte. Orval Spencer.

On charges of stealing flash lights, a camera, women's hose, and other articles from parked cars Shaw was given a year suspended sentence and ordered returned to his military unit at Kingston.

However, Spencer was given one year indefinite in the Ontario Reformatory after pleading guilty to an additional charge of carnal knowledge of a girl not his wife. On the theft charges Spencer was given an additional six months indeterminate sentence.

"Who's going to look after my wife?" asked Spencer.

"You should have thought of that before you got involved in this trouble, especially the more serious part," replied Crown Attorney B. C. Donnan.

"Apparently you did not learn from past experience that crime doesn't pay," stated Magistrate Lloyd in handing down the record read by Inspector Hayes, who prepared the case.

Insanoral Cases Heard.

Mrs. Mary Hodge and Mrs. Mildred Wood, both residing at 91 South Front Street, were convicted of abnormality and sentenced to not more than two years in the Mercer Reformatory, Thomas Dorable, also of Belleville, and a convicted wrongdoer in the matter, was sentenced to three months Belleville said a further indeterminate term of six months after being convicted on a similar charge.

Inspector Hayes informed the court Mrs. Hodge was not living nor dependent upon her husband. Children's Aid Society officials also informed the court Mrs. Wood's children were at present under the care of the society.

18 L.C.A. Charges.

Joseph Rushnell, Trenton, paid a fine of $100 and costs after convicted of being found in possession of liquor not obtained on his individual permit. Eleven other minor L.C.A. charges were disposed of from a docket of 18 cases initiated by Deputy Chief Arthur Harman, clerk of the court.

MALTA'S FORTITUDE

Toronto, Feb. 20 — (CP) — Gen. Sir William Dobbie, former Governor of Malta, told an audience at Convocation Hall last night that "the war would not be in its present state had Malta fallen."

Education Needed To Reduce Incidence Of V.D. in Community Rotarians Told

Treatment of people suffering with venereal disease sent to the Belleville General Hospital in 1944 cost the taxpayers of this city $1,000. This amount is added to the indigent patients only and does not include those who paid for treatment out of their own pockets.

The above statement was made by Dr. Jack Marshall, chairman of the city Board of Health, when introducing Dr. S. B. McKay, Belleville General Hospital pathologist, guest speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon on Monday.

Dr. McKay, with the aid of a highly informative motion picture illustrated the dangers, the increasing inroads and the methods for prevention and cure of gonorrhea and syphilis, the most prevalent diseases in the nation today.

Despite the unpleasant fact that V. D. is on the increase today, it can be controlled and reduced to a minimum in all communities, "Control", Dr. McKay said, "is a problem not only for groups but for each individual as well."

Must Know Problem.

Rotarians, as business men, he pointed out, were in a position to work worthwhile reforms on small or er groups of people as well as industrial groups. "The problem must be known, if solution is to be made.

Microscopic groups of germs shown on the film pointed out the danger done to the human body. It had been found suffering crippling, blindness, and childless couples. Gonorrhea causes the elder afflictin of man and was earlier confused with syphilis. In 1870 the gonococcus germ was discovered, and since that time science and research have made remarkable steps.

Treatment of gonorrhea was formerly expensive and lengthy but the newest weapon is a group of chemicals called sulfa drugs, and a modern treatment has cured eight out of each 10 cases.

Medical and scientific research has gone wonders, the film explained, but warned that the new drugs were not "miracle" cures. Mixed and sometimes death can be caused when they are used without the advice of a physician. It further warned against quacks, and fortune-tellers and self-treatment. When people learn to consider gonorrhea as dangerous as any other infection, then will science be effective against this serious ailment.

How Contracted

Resuming his talk at this point, Dr. McKay placed strong emphasis on the fact that gonorrhea is contracted by sexual intimate contact only, despite some weird explanations as to how innocent victims acquired it. Syphilis, on the other hand can be contracted through the kiss of an infected person, but this is very rare.

"It is the duty of every patient to reveal the identity of his or her consort so that they may be brought in for treatment. It is his or her duty to themselves, their families and to the community at large," the speaker declared.

"The most tragic manifestation of syphilis," he said, "was its effect on children. If a prospective mother has the disease, it can be controlled during pregnancy and not transferred to the child. In cases where children are born with the disease, some can be successfully treated, but more die at birth and others later.

Then there are the cases where the disease is not apparent until five or six years after birth. This often results in blindness.

Pre-Marital Testing Advised

Dr. McKay stressed the need of the country to wake up to the desirability of pre-marital studies. It would be a great preventative of of later tragedy, result in a better nation, and be a great saving economically.

"These diseases are curable," he said, "but there is a great need for absolute co-operation on the part of the patient with his or her physician. Religious observance of treatment is an important factor."

With the advent of sulfa and penicillin drugs, time-consuming treatment has been done away with, insofar as gonorrhea is concerned, Drugs are rapidly replacing the revolutionized treatments of the diseases, but of late there has been a group that has resisted the efforts of the drugs.

Attending Main Pastor.

Raising the question of control, Dr. McKay told the chairman that education is one of the main factors. Parents must learn to impart the facts of life to children as they really are instead of allowing them to pick them up outside. "Make them realize that the disease is not leprosy and can be cured. Try to adopt a sympathetic attitude toward victims and not point the finger of scorn at them."

The clergy, the press, and the theatre can do fine work in educational efforts along these lines.

"Suppression of professional prostitution was another step toward control," he said, "but in no way had been made, but the question had arisen, what is to be done with the girls?" He urged segregation and the useful occupation of those styled it a "more humane way than that adopted in some institutions at present."

Most Genired Alcohol.

Control of alcohol in mixed parties especially those which young people attend, was another important control factor. This has been a contributing item to the spread of the disease, he charged, and "something should be done about it." Promiscuity, resulting from lowering of moral standards and loosening of home influence, was also to be reckoned with.

In closing, Dr. McKay urged all to give this problem their serious consideration. Everyone must be instrumental in assisting to cut down the inroads of V.D. in the community.

He was introduced by Dr. Marshall, while club appreciation was expressed by Rotarian Meade Robertson, President "Pink" Pirie was in the chair with Howard Clarke collecting the fines. The next picture projector was available through the courtesy of Rotarian Stan Hagerman.

Tree-Girdling 'Jacks' Cause Much Damage

Long-eared, grey-furred invaders, little Gargantuas of the rabbit clan, weighing up to one ten pounds, are causing no little concern to farmers along the Bay shore road in Prince Edward County.

The hare-weight jacks, driven by hunger caused by deep snow are raiding orchards and destroying young trees by the simple process of "girdling" the trunks with sharp gnawing teeth.

Several farmers have suffered orchard losses, while the young trees on the farm of Stanley Hagerman have been more or less a concentration point for the log-eared marauders.

Several have been shot in the vicinity and have tipped the scales between 11 and 16 pounds.

The situation is becoming serious and farmers in that neighborhood are seriously considering organizing hunting parties in an attempt to thin the ranks of the rabbits.

Other parts of the county have been invaded by the tree-hungry jacks, eleven of which were shot within an hour near Wellington.

Jack Rabbits of this size have been a more or less rarity in these parts. It was learned, and no immediate reason for their numbers can be discovered. It is believed that the heavy fall of snow this winter has driven them to orchards where the satisfaction of their appetites is resulting in serious losses to the farmers.

Capt. Max Porritt Prisoner of War

Captain Max Porritt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Porritt, of Lingham Street, has now been officially reported a prisoner of war. A National Defence cablegram has informed his parents. He was reported missing in June last year.

A former officer of the Argyll Light Infantry here, Captain Porritt enlisted with the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment at the beginning of the war, going overseas with that unit in December 1939 with the rank of lieutenant.

He was returned to Canada for special training with the Brockville Rifles. Returning to England he went to the Italian front where he saw considerable service with the Hasty Pees prior to his being taken prisoner.

Battlefield drama was enacted when Captain Porritt was taken prisoner. A victim of the Nazi thoroughness he disregard of International law, the Canadian officer was shot down, unarmed, carrying with a Nazi officer following a sharp battle on the Italian front.

Porritt's company had withdrawn from an untenable position. Noticing a man in difficulty, he was seriously wounded, he told him "I will come back for you."

Reaching his company lines, he discarded his weapons, and accompanied by a stretcher bearer party returned to where the wounded man lay. A German officer came from a ditch and beckoned to him. Mistaking the gesture, Porritt was unmolested. Apparently Captain Porritt started to claim his rights under international law as an unarmed officer in charge of stretcher bearers.

The bearers returned with the wounded man, and saw their captain in discussion with the German. The German, it is now known, won the argument, probably backed up by threats of and an armed guard for Captain Porritt was not seen again.

Women's Institutes Founded 48 Years Ago

By ERIC SANDERSON
(CP Staff Writer)

Vision of a Hamilton, Ont., woman — Mrs. Adelaide Hoodless — were recalled this week on the 48th anniversary of the founding of Women's Institutes in Canada.

Mrs. Hoodless, wife of the chairman of the Hamilton School Board, conceived the idea that if rural women were to find an improved living and social conditions they must unite. Her plans were put into force by the untimely death of her infant son, who died as a result of impurities in unsterilized milk.

Determined that other Canadian babies should not experience a similar fate, she started a crusade in 1897 which has spread all over the world. In Canada alone, more than 70,000 rural women belong to the 3,000-odd Women's Institutes operating from coast to coast.

When the First Great War broke out, Mrs. Alfred Watt, president of the Associated Country Women of the World, now visiting in Victoria, introduced the idea in Great Britain.

Queen Mary was attracted by the new organization and she invited Mrs. Watt to explain the idea. The Queen approved of the plan and Sandringham Institute was organized. To the present, the Queen Mother has retained her interest in Sandringham Institute.

NO NEGOTIATIONS SAYS FRENCHMAN

Paris, Feb. 20 — (AP)—A French Foreign Office spokesman said yesterday that France has entered into no negotiations for taking over the Skoda munitions works in Czechoslovakia. He was replying to London reports that such negotiations had reached an advanced stage.

Pair Sentenced For Robbery With Violence

Garth Sharpe, Belleville, was sentenced to serve two years in the Portsmouth Penitentiary, while his companion in a robbery case, Gilbert Loveless, also of Belleville, was sentenced to one year definite and a further indeterminate term of three months in the Ontario Reformatory.

Sharpe and Loveless appeared before Magistrate J. L. Lloyd in city police court here today and pleaded guilty to charges of unlawfully by violence robbing Ivan Scott of $51. The pair elected summary trial and pleaded guilty.

Mr. Ivan Scott, Belleville, identified them as the two men he had met in a downtown restaurant last Friday night. The witness then stated the next thing he recalled was being struck from behind in a small room, Dr. O. S. Cronk told the court in examining Mr. Scott at the Belleville General Hospital early Saturday and fouhd him to be suffering from a swelling on the forehead, bump on the back of the head and a slight concussion. "How could he have received such injuries?" asked Crown Attorney B. C. Donnan.

"They could have come from a blunt instrument," replied the doctor.

Inspector J. C. Hayes, who investigated the attack on Scott, introduced statements taken from the accused men. In the written statements Sharpe admitted hitting Mr. Scott, while Loveless took the money. Loveless admitted giving Sharpe $25 of the $51 stolen. Both men said they were drunk at the time.

Mr. Donnan pointed out to the court that Loveless is a returned soldier.

CHARGED BEFORE COURT MARTIAL

Rome, Feb. 20 —(CP)— Pte. Harold Joseph Pringle of Clinton, Ont., member of an Ontario infantry battalion, yesterday was charged before a Canadian army court martial with the murder of Pte. Lucky McGillivray, another Canadian, after a brawl in a Rome house.

Parents Await Return of Sailor Sons on Leave

Parents of two Belleville sailors aboard the Canadian "fleet" class destroyer Algonquin are awaiting anxiously the home coming of their sea faring sons, who have been more than their share of action on the northern Atlantic convoy routes and during D-Day operations.

As crew member of the Algonquin the local boys, Jack Hickey and W. McKay Elliott are expected home shortly on 28 days' furlough following the recent docking of their ship in Halifax. Parents of the two Belleville sailors, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hickey, George Street, and Mrs. Maude Elliott, Pren Street, have received no definite word of their sons' home coming but they are expected any day.

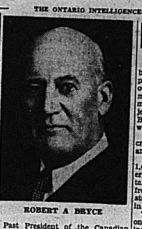
A member of the Algonquin's crew since her commissioning with the R.C.N. last summer, McKay Elliott has been in the navy four years and was home last two years ago. Jack Hickey has also been with the destroyer since she was commissioned.

On Constant Duty.

Indicative of the constant duty with the Algonquin has performed in the past year is the fact that during that time she has plowed through the sea lanes for a total of 94,000 miles and was tied up to a jetty only 15 days of the year.

The Algonquin was with the British home fleet in the spearhead of the attack during D-Day operations and aided in blazing open a path for the third Canadian division in the area around St. Aubin. She was with another flotilla which attacked and damaged the Tirpitz. Nursing a navy that was of a force of four destroyers and two cruisers which wiped out an 11-ship German convoy endeavoring to sneak past the entrance to the Skagerrak on its way home to Germany.

In the surprise attack on the convoy off the Skagerrak, three minesweepers escorting the Nazi merchantmen fought as long as their guns remained above the water although they were ablaze from bow to stern. Ten of the 11 ships were sunk and the other driven ashore.



ROBERT A BRYCE

Past President of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, has been elected as a Director of Gypsum, Lime and Alabastine, Canada, Limited, in addition to many other business interests. Mr. Bryce is President of Mascaya Mines Limited, a Director of National Trust Company Limited and a Governor of the University of Toronto.

PATRONS FLEE FIRE

St. Thomas, Feb. 20—(CP)—Fifty patrons fled to the street and unestimated damage was caused when fire late last night destroyed the Plaza Grill on Talbot Street. An unidentified airman was credited with averting panic.

URGES INVESTIGATION

Washington, Feb. 20 —(AP)— A "national scandal" has developed, Representative H. P. Harless (Dem.-Ariz.) said yesterday, "in improper handling of war prisoners in our country." He proposed creation of a congressional committee to investigate the situation.

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritic or neuritic pain, try this simple, inexpensive home recipe. Thousands say one dose relieves pain so they can sleep and get up rested. Mix it with a quart of water and the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy and pleasant.

You need only 2 tablespoonsful two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains are not quickly relieved and if you do not feel better, your prescription will cost you nothing to try. Your money refunded if it does not help you entirely. Prescription is for sale and recommended by Doyle's Drug Store and other leading druggists.

RAILROAD YARDS.

(Continued From Page One)

bombers attacked a synthetic oil plant at Bohlen, near Leipzig, while other formations hit the chemical manufacturing town of Bturt, 63 miles southwest of Leipzig and objectives in Hannover, Bremen and Brunswick. Two heavy bombers were missing.

R.A.F. fighters and intruder aircraft supported the night operations and attacked German airfields.

During the day yesterday nearly 1,400 U.S. and R.A.F. heavy bombers, 1,132 rail and industrial targets in western Germany. Others from the U.S. air force in Italy struck at enemy communications in Austria.

The U.S. 8th air force announced one bomber and seven of 500 escorting fighters were missing.

Two R.A.F. planes failed to return and the U.S. 15th air force lost 12 heavy bombers. While most of the Italy-based bombers hit targets in the Vienna area, some attacked harbor installations at Pola and Fiume, in Italy. Only a few enemy fighters were encountered in Austria.

Over the western front yesterday German fighters appeared in some strength. In one engagement near Limberg where the eGrmans outnumbered an American group 21 to 16, six of the enemy planes, shot from the sky without a single American loss.

Have You Been in at Noon for One of Our Delicious

HOT LUNCHEONS?

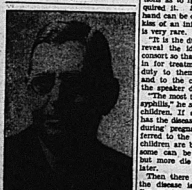
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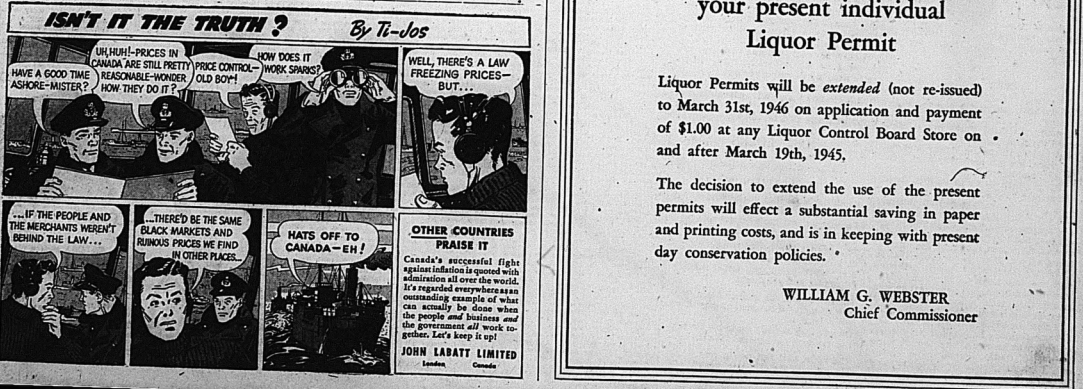


Mr. D. A. Whitaker, President and General Manager of The Sherwin-Williams Company of Canada, Limited, announces the appointment of Mr. Arthur H. Carter as Manager of Insecticide Sales in the Sherwin-Williams organization.

Mr. Carter's appointment presages important developments by the Sherwin-Williams organization in the Insecticide field.

ISN'T IT THE TRUTH ?

By Ti-Jos



OTHER COUNTRIES PRAISE IT

Canada's successful fight against inflation is quoted with admiration all over the world. It's regarded everywhere as an outstanding example of what can actually be done when the people *and* business *and* the government *all* work together. Let's keep it up!

JOHN LABATT LIMITED
London Canada

Liquor Control Board of Ontario

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to Individual Liquor Permit Holders

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Liquor Permits will be *extended* (not re-issued) to March 31st, 1946 on application and payment of $1.00 at any Liquor Control Board Store on and after March 19th, 1945.

The decision to extend the use of the present permits will effect a substantial saving in paper and printing costs, and is in keeping with present day conservation policies.

WILLIAM G. WEBSTER
Chief Commissioner

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Boy Scout—Girl Guide Week

Boy Scout—Girl Guide Week is now attracting the attention particularly of boys and girls of Canada of whom no fewer than 180,000 members of the two organizations are taking part. Within the seven days the two great movements will attempt to bring before the Canadian public the activities of the societies so that everyone may know something of the work which activate the boys and girls who are so organized. Their parents and friends will learn therefore how these organizations are making a definite contribution to the wellbeing and the building-up of the youth of this land. Canadian boys and girls have the noblest heritage any young generation could possess and therefore will be able to make more and more definite contributions to the young life of Canada.

Scouting has been instrumental in Canada in assisting in the preparation for life of as many as three quarters of a million boys and more than 120,000 former Boy Scouts have enlisted in the Canadian armed forces during the present conflict.

During the special week observance there will be marked the anniversary of the birth of Lord Baden-Powell, founder of the Boy Scouts, by a re-affirmation of the Scout and Guide promises.

Another object of the week devoted to Scout and Guide is the extension of the benefits of Scouting and Guiding to a far greater number of the young boys and girls. The Scout and the Guide also desire the active cooperation of the public in the movements and to impress upon their memberships the great importance of the work which they have adopted and to bring to Scout and Guide the "pride of belonging" among Scouts, Cubs, Guides and Brownies.

The democratic world is proud of Scouting and Guiding which are in direct contrast to the pernicious Nazi Youth Movement of Germany. The Scout, Guide aim to foster respect for and fellowship with, all creeds, colors and peoples, it is the essence of goodwill and advocates spirit of benefits. But the Nazi Youth Movement of Germany had a different philosophy, that of hate and enmity and the teachings of Hitlerism have borne the evil fruit that is now part of the German people, leading led to destruction by the evil objects which it set before young and old of the German state.

The Scout and Girl Guide, led by high ideals, have been able to make a magnificent appeal to humanity as the friend of others. They believe in human brotherhood that will in time they hope cover the earth.

Among the youngest of world organizations, Scouting and Guiding are listed with the greatest, for they have set their goals as nothing lower than the best for humanity.

Those who are providing leadership to these organizations are conferring a lasting benefit upon the world which all the mad teachings of Hitler youth cannot efface or offset. Nazi Youth Movement will die of the terrible disease of selfishness and callousness from which it spread and is suffering, but Scouting and Guiding are tuned to the highest things and will endure.

After Yalta

Three men of destiny are taking up their national tasks, which are also the United Nations' tasks and the world's, after attending the great conference at Yalta where the final touches were given to the great picture of coming victory and lasting peace that has grown now most before the eyes and minds of men.

This present century in its fifth decade was favored in that upon the scene were the great men ready to defend humanity with everything that love of freedom could give against barbarism. Churchill, Roosevelt and Stalin, proven in their national spheres, have been proven in the international sphere. "There is no doubt that in all history there never was a gathering that meant so much for the future of the whole world. These men were great enough to bear this task which devolved upon them in the stress and turmoil of the times caused by the evil of Hitlerism.

Their decisions have found harmonious reception at home and in the wide world outside, of course, Germany, the crumbling Nazi state, built on aggression, and Japan.

On these Allied leaders and others, their staffs and on the military leaders and armed forces of the nations the world of free and freed men and the world of those who will be freed will owe a debt that can never be repaid. But to Mr. Stalin, Mr. Churchill and Mr. Roosevelt they will accord reward if the world they represented makes the most of what all the great Allied leaders have been doing for the sake of humanity against a revival of barbarism.

Hauling Out the Wood

(New York Times)

When winter has turned the corner into February and, piles of gray birch, maples and oak are dotted around the woodlot comes the time to haul out the wood. During the gray days of December and January a farmer likes to get the chopping done. After the midwinter thaw and before the big crew of ground-hog time there is usually a period of good sledding.

Many a farm lad who sees little glamor in splitting wood and less in stacking it by the woodshed enjoys a Saturday's work hauling it from the woodlot. A one-horse bob with its four-tall, sturdy oak stakes is a good vehicle to handle. The Morgan mare settles down to trotting across the rolling field up the grade of the side-hill pasture and along the road that winds through the maple-sugar grove and into the woodlot.

Loading the wood onto the sled is satisfying work. There's no particular sense of urgency, as in haying or in digging potatoes. If a chap wants to follow a rabbit's track a spell, that is part of the day's routine. Partridges are likely lurking in the thickets. Tracks show where a red fox trotted slowly by early in the morning. The blue jays flash among the trees shouting disapproval as the sun is climbing higher and spring's around the corner. The bobsled, piled high, slides smoothly down the slope. On a snappy, still day the steel runners squeak on the snow, and the bark of Master and Mr. J. V. Doyle as the iron bites into the packed-down sled tracks. Hauling out the wood for the next season's supply is good work.

The Dog Is a Good Citizen

(Victoria Colonist)

Day by day, the dog probably radiates more active good fellowship toward the human family than it is always given credit for. A dog likes company. It loves to be talked to, just for the sake of hearing a familiar voice. It takes some pride in sharing the day with its master, be it a gray day or a fine one. The dog knows absences and feels them keenly. It welcomes the returning wayfarer with an excess of zeal that speaks more eloquently than any words that could be found. The dog is a good citizen for never does it run riot; to little, perhaps, on the extrovert side with its heart boldly displayed in public.

Pipe Shortage

(Dr. Alfred Cox in London Times)

It is time something was done to remedy the injustice inflicted on the addicted on the pipe smoker. It is almost impossible to buy a pipe, except occasionally at a fantastic price. Meanwhile the cigarette smoker is ostentatiously well supplied. In my search for a pipe I have been told over and over again at tobacconists that they continually have urgent requests for pipes from men at the front, or their friends here, which they are quite unable to supply.

Training the Navy

(London Daily Mail)

Every man and woman in the British Navy whatever their rank and wherever they may be serving—officers, ratings, Wrens—is to be given an opportunity to prepare for the return to "Civvystreet."

Under a new training scheme announced by the Admiralty, they will receive teaching in current affairs.

In addition, they will be given vocational training and general education at "schools" and centres in ships, shore establishments, and fleet bases.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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SEED CATALOGUE

Of all the books that mortal reads
I choose the catalogue of seeds
Because against war's fearful tide
It proves man has a gentler side.

Not all that humans do is bad
Or books of seeds we'd never had,
And there'd be no stch varied stocks
Of zinnias and hollyhocks.

The cynics and the scoffers scorn
The thought that man for good was born.

On war they see him waste his powers,
But overlook his love for flowers.

Still rages war! But not in vain.
There comes the catalogue again
Of lovely things and flower and fruit
To prove man is not wholly brute!

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Why did you have to drag me here just when I was getting used to my woolen underwear?"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

February 20th, 1925.

Mr. Arthur McGie has been awarded the contract by the city council to make the suits required by the members of the Belleville Fire Department.

The Shell Company of Canada has erected three gasoline tanks on G.N.R. property at the foot of George and John streets. Work on the erection of an office building is now commenced at once.

Hotel Quinte will be opened on the 26th inst.

Major D. T. McManus was elected president of the "Class" Social and Athletic Club yesterday; Mr. P. Chesher was elected Vice president and Mr. J. V. Doyle was elected secretary.

Mr. A. Kincaid of Madoc was in town today.

Dr. F. W. Hill has returned home from Chicago, Ill.

30 YEARS AGO

February 20th, 1915.

Mr. W. H. Hubbell of Marmora Village, Ex-Warden of the County, was a visitor in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Latta of Sidney Township, are the guests of Mrs. Thomas Hoskin, Dundas Street.

Mr. P. J. M. Anderson, County Crown Attorney, went to Toronto today.

Mr. J. W. Johnson, M.P.P., was home from Toronto to spend the weekend.

Mrs. George Hubbs of Picton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hubbs in this city.

Mr. R. Greatrix, a resident of this city for many years, is today celebrating the eightieth anniversary of his birth. We extend congratulations.

Mr. Robert Cook, M.P.P. for North Hastings, was in town today.

Pyle Had Little Chance To Get Caught Up on Reading He Wanted

By ERNIE PYLE

San Francisco — Instead of reading 50 books while I was home, and getting caught up on those lost years of literature, I've actually read only five books in these past four months.

They were — (1) "A Walk in the Sun," a wonderful little story about the emotions of a man in half a day's fighting in Italy; (2) "Lost Island," James Norman Hall's story of what war will mean in future years to them can do to the people of a little island in the Pacific; (3) "Can Do," the story of the Seabees, about whom I wrote a lot, and a lot before this trip is over; (4) "Cannery Row" and (5) "Dubious Sneak for Our Carrier." I thought all of them were excellent.

I tried to reread "All Quiet on the Western Front" when I first came home, because I've always considered it one of the greatest books ever written. But after having been in war, it was too real, too poignant. It depressed me so terribly I had to lay it aside. But it's still a great book.

"Cannery Row" is John Steinbeck's new book. It has nothing whatever to do with war, and for that reason was a wonderful relief to read. John says he wrote it "just because I'd wanted to for a long time."

In San Francisco I ran onto John and Gwyn Steinbeck, up from Monterey for a few days' visit. John told about an amusing experience.

When they bought a house in Monterey recently, they decided to rent an office downtown to write in, so he wouldn't be bothered at home. The office-building manager showed him a suitable office, and then asked John if he had a business license.

John said no, they didn't have business licenses in his business. The manager looked him over, weighed the idea pro and con, and then made up his mind.

"No," he said, "we don't want people like you. Writers don't make enough to pay their bills." And he wouldn't let John Steinbeck rent the office.

John thinks it's wonderful. That's the reason I love Monterey," he says.

"Daybreak for Our Carrier" is the story of a book about life aboard an aircraft carrier in the Pacific. It is beautifully written, and I hope that when my time comes to describe the life aboard a carrier, I shall do as well as Fielding.

Max Miller is a gentle writer and a gentle person. He has written 17 books in the last 13 years, and it hurts him a little that nobody ever mentions any of them but his one-or-"I Cover the Waterfront."

Max is a Navy Lieutenant Commander in the Navy, and he and I are going to make the trip across the Pacific together. You couldn't find a better traveling companion than Max. Once on the other side we will go our separate ways. All the writing I might do now is for the Navy. Doubtless another book will come out of this present trip.

Out in California we've teamed along with my boss and best friend from Washington, Lee Miller, of the Scripps-Howard newspapers.

All these years that I've been away I've been hearing about Washington and translated my places as they left. I've written hundreds of stories about what a great man I am, handled all my personal business through them, been a slave, and kept my own spirits up by sending me bundles cables of appreciation and good cheer.

Now they're taking a respite and going to the wars himself for a little while. He left for the Pacific to cover the whole vast chunk of our army supply services.

I'm glad he's going, but I'm lying awake nights worrying what I'm going to do without him back at home base to cheer and bebp me along the thousands of miles away from.

Lee and I are both decked out in brand new uniforms, furnished us by the Quartermaster Corps in Washington. I am so handsome in my khaki bush-jacket I think I should just stay in America and show it off. And Lee looks so impeccably military that when he goes around army bases, officers introduce him conclentiously as "Colonel Miller."

Speaking of uniforms, I've got one odd piece of equipment. There is a man in America named Capt. Fred Gallagher, from Tucson, Ariz. He was captured by the Japs in the Philippines about 2½ years after Pearl Harbor, and spent two and a half years in Japanese prison camps.

He was on that prison ship that we torpedoed off the Philippines last fall, and one of the 83 survivors. Finally picked up by a guerrilla unit in the Philippines by submarine, was hospitalized and transported to Australia and arrived back home in America a few weeks ago.

Well, he stopped off to see me in Albuquerque between planes the other day. He turned out to be a swell guy, and we didn't talk much about his Jap experiences, but just went around visiting people and having a wonderful time.

We had such a good time that when plane time arrived that night, we couldn't find his cap. So he flew off to the east coast bareheaded. He had brought the cap in Sydney, Australia. Later I found it in my hotel room in Albuquerque. I'll send it to him.

So I just decided to keep it and wear it myself. Now it's going back to its own side of the world on a different plane. The original sweatband cap is gone but I had an extra helmet liner in Captain Gallagher will be, if he happens to read this.

Every once in a while you see or read or feel something that you go head over heels for, and then you quit talking about.

That has happened to me recently about two things. One is a movie, the other is a book. The movie was called "Fighting Lady," and was produced by the Navy. The show is a musical comedy, without the skates, called "Skating Vanities."

Belleville Matters from Buster

35 cents per pound; eggs 36 cents to 37 cents per dozen; chickens 25 cents; to 27 per pair; ducks 21 to 31.50 per pair; turkeys 15 cents to 16 cents per pound; geese 21 to $1.25 each; potatoes 65 cents to 70 cents per bag.

50 YEARS AGO

February 20th, 1895.

Mr. W. S. Morden, barrister, went to Toronto today.

Mr. Charles Steward, warehouseman for J. W. Warrington, cheese exporter, went to Montreal today.

Mr. F. W. Bull has returned home from California where he has several months visit.

Mr. Gilbert Foster and wife of Moira, who have been visiting friends in Deseronto, were in town today on their way home.

Mr. George Johnston will be in charge of the billiard room at Hotel Quinte.

The following Belleville curlers went to Peterborough today to play for rinks in the match: Messrs. Brown, Harry Smart, T. W. R. Wills, Dr. Hart, LaMoy, Dr. Wright, Frank Lewis, J. A. McFee and W. P. Wood.

Ald. J. F. Wills is spending a few days in Orangeville.

Mr. C. E. Lyon went to Toronto today.

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

IODINE IN FOOD

Ideally one should get the necessary amount of iodine from a good drinking water. Perhaps some people do. But iodine as it occurs in nature (iodides or compounds of iodine) is so very soluble that it is constantly dissolved out of the soil and carried from elevated regions to the streams and rivers to the sea. Sea water and all fish and shell-fish from the sea are rich in iodine, whether consumed raw cooked, canned, dried, smoked or salted. Dried kelp and Irish moss (otherwise known as chondrus and carragaen) contain some iodine.

In the Great Lakes basin (in Canada and in the United States) the soil is poor in iodine, likewise the drinking water and the food (vegetables, cereals, fruits, milk, eggs, meat) grown on the soil. Hence endemic goitre prevails in that region of the country and people living there, as well as livestock, require some regular iodine supply to supplement the natural iodine in food and water.

Since the use of iodised salt instead of ordinary salt has become popular in the entire Great Lakes region, the prevalence of endemic goitre among school children and others has shown a striking decrease. Moreover, the number of operations for all forms of goitre in the large hospitals has correspondingly decreased. Iodised salt looks, tastes and in every way is like ordinary household salt, and it costs the same. It contains 1 part in 5,000 more iodine than one gets in, say, canned salmon—probably a pound of canned salmon contains as much iodine as a pound of iodised salt. So it is absurd to imagine any one can get enough iodine salt by its taste or that any one can possibly get too much iodine from iodised salt or that any one can get enough from iodised salt that ordinary salt would not also. Wherever you live it is advisable to buy iodised salt in preference to ordinary salt for all domestic purposes. I think this is advisable whether one takes an iodin tablet or not.

I am an obstinate cuss when it comes to taking medicine—I'll take anything a doctor orders me to take so long as I am under the doctor's care, but don't bring me it you don't mind, I'll worry along without it—except in the regular ration of vitamins, somersaults, belly breathing and iodine.

The many correspondents tell me how much iodine they take and ask me to approve of it. I cannot approve of the practice of taking any more iodine or iodine compound than the amount mentioned in the Instruction for Taking' as Directed. In fact I advise you not to take iodine or any compound of it in medicine form except upon your physician's direction. The amount of iodine in foods, as I said, I recommended for practically everybody is not medicinal, but only the nutritive quantity required for maintaining good metabolism and good health.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Young Folk and Old Folk

Regarding the calcium, vitamine and so forth, you recommended for "old timers," would they be of any benefit for a woman now ninety years of age?

(Mrs. H. M. S.)

Answer — What's thirty years more or less between friends. Of course, I would say that old, old—though friends made all sorts of very nice congratulations about a woman of my age having her first baby thanks to that wonderful booklet, "Prenatal Care," which I treated through the whole thing with no other sense than I've love and cuddle him now and then, though I suppose we shouldn't.

(Mrs. R. C.)

Answer — No objection to cuddling the baby occasionally, provided he is not paid for and provided you spelled it correctly. Cuddle is correct, I think.

Don't Take Life Seriously

I will be forty next month, but I drag around feeling like sixty or eighty. Bless you for the chuckles you so often serve us. I want to know more about the "Seven Veils" or whatever it is that you referred readers who are feeling a bit ancient.

(Mrs. F. S. P.)

Answer — Send twenty-five cents and stamped envelope bearing your address to "Seven Veils" Keys to Vile."

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

INFORMATION ROUNDUP

Under date of September 20, 1912, William Byrd of Westover, Virginia, wrote in his famous secret diary: "There was a ball on the Indian boundary line, which I attended, noted for her benevolence to the poor."

Farquhar, one of the best playwrights of his generation, started out to be a actor on the Dublin stage. He quit the stage because, this it would run, "I should become an Emperor," he failed to exchange his name for a soft egg almost killed a fellow actor.

Of the 37 plays generally attributed to William Shakespeare, "Love's Labor's Lost" is the only one for best of the plays of which the author is known. Many authorities ascribe "Titus Andronicus" to the imagination of Shakespeare, unaided by the work of others.

Wit, as a derived indirectly from French "spirlet," to speak. Originally it was the name for a reception room in a monastery where the monks were permitted to see and converse with their friends.

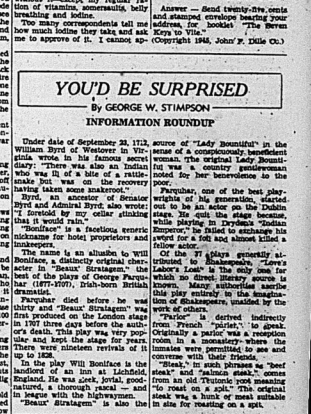
"Steak," to such phrases as "beef steak" and "salmon steak," comes from an old Teutonic root meaning "to roast on a spit." The original steak was a hunk of meat suitable an ins for roasting on a spit.

GERMAN CLAIM

London, Feb. 19 (—(CP)— The German radio said today a midget submarine had sunk a 2,500-ton freighter in the Thames Estuary. A broadcast asserted the Allies had never seen any of the midgets.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. C. Kenneth Mathews, Portsmouth Road is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital.

Mr. Frank Emery, Oshawa, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Len Baird, 247 Bridge St.

Mrs. Eric Taylor, her two children and her mother-in-law, who resided in Belleville for the past four and one half years, and Lt. Taylor, who made periodical visits to Canada and the United States during that period, have arrived safely in England, the word of their arrival was cabled to Mr. and Mrs. C. Dent Benson here on Saturday.

Pte. Marie Desharnry of the C.W.A.C. Ottawa, is spending part of her furlough in New York city, the Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Boyle, 212 Coleman Street, have received a letter from their daughter Mrs. C. N. Lake (nee Phyllis Boyle) of her safe arrival in England.

William Rodbourne visited with his mother in the city over the weekend.

In Saturday night's issue of the Toronto Daily Star there appeared the following: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Armstrong announce the marriage of their daughter, Evelyn Mary, to Mr. Ernest Armstrong, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Drummond-Fife at the organ. The bride's reception was held at the Isle Royale Hotel, Sydney.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Vaughan or this city were visitors over the week-end of the Misses Sarah and Dorothy Taylor, who made periodical visits to Canada and the United States during that period, have arrived safely in England, the word of their arrival was cabled to Mr. and Mrs. C. Dent Benson here on Saturday.

Pte. Dan Pratt of the army Trade School in Hamilton is in the Military Hospital suffering from the 'flu.

Miss Norma Maker of Toronto spent the weekend with relatives at 287 Albert St., Belleville.

Mrs. J. S. Pratt has just received a box from her son Pte. Pratt who is somewhere in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wannamaker, 31 Benjamin St., have received word that their second son, Private Carl Wannamaker has arrived overseas.

Mrs. A. Halsey and Mrs. O. L. Olmsten entertained their families and friends with a delightful Valentine party held at Mrs. A. Halsey's home on Wed. evening.

The rooms were decorated with red and white tapers and Valentine hearts. Bingo was played for which prizes were given and later all sat down to delicious refreshments. Dancing was enjoyed until early hours of the morning and all left for their homes after a well spent evening.

WEDDINGS

SMITH-LLOYD

St. Andrews United Church Sydney, N.S. was the scene of a wedding of interest on Jan. 27th at 8 P.M. when Pte. Lt. D. C. Haviland united in marriage Cpl. Goldie Lloila, R.C.A.F., (W.D.) youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam H. Lloyd to Pilot Officer Brian Byrne Smith Parry Sound, Ont.

The bride given in marriage by Mrs. L. A. Burton wore her uniform with corsage of white carnations and heather.

Attending the bride was Frances Armstrong R.C.A.F. (W.D.) also in uniform with corsage of pink and white carnations. The best man was P.O. George Adams R.C.A.F.

Ushers were Sergeant Pilot Sargent, (pilot) Lodar R.C.A.F. (W.D.) and Pilot Officer Wm. Professor Mrs. Drummond-Fife at the organ.

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PLAINFIELD W. I.

The Feb. meeting of the Plainfield W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Sherman Parks and Mrs. Wm. Parks. The meeting opened with Ode followed by prayer by the president, Mrs. Clarence Hall. followed by community singing led by Mrs. Norman Hall Sr. Minutes were read and adopted. Treas. gave her report.

Mrs. Hazzard and Mrs C. Hall read letters of thanks from the following boys who had received their Christmas parcels. Frank Maskell, Clayton Mills, Oscar Moore, Bill Doran, Weldon Prindle and Gerald Prindle, Everett Dempsey, Mac Bradden, Carl Platt, Arthur Hall, Lloyd Easterbrook and Harold Carleton.

Mrs. Wm. Parks was read from Mrs. J. W. Hamilton for sympathy card sent to her.

War work report for Jan. and Feb. amount to $34.65.

A quilt was given to Mrs. Elliott to be taken to Salesbin Army.

Mrs. Hazzard and Mrs. Hall to take a quilt top and quilt it.

A community supper is to be held on Feb. 22nd in L.O.L. hall with silver collection, proceeds for Red Cross. Program committee for supper—Mrs. R. Wilder Mrs. A. F. Hall, Mrs. C. Beatty, Mrs. Harry Mrs. Bernice Moore of Belleville, sang accompanied with a solo and told of a letter written in Dutch from a family where her son Oscar is billeted in Holland. She had it translated at the High School and read the letter at the meeting.

Mrs. Denyes prepared a paper on 'Cancer,' and Mrs. Beatty read it as Mrs. Denyes was unable to attend.

Mrs. A. F. Hall favored with a solo.

Mrs. Clarence Hall read a few thoughts on publicity and a poem 'My New Year's Garden'.

Current events were given by Miss Annie Hamilton.

BEAUTY By HELEN JAMESON

OIL MANICURE FOR BRITTLE FINGERNAILS

Time is a war scarcity. You have to do this, you hustle to do that. You chase around from one attending to one errand or another. Your nails suffer. Here's what to do at the beauty shop, when you pillage there for a bottle of polish. Ask for sweet memories. Now you can do it yourself, too, to do it up on metal curlers, dreamy-eyed, in front of your door—whom you don't like—is hardly important at this stage. As for your fingernails, let me draw a bit sharply for you.

But you must take care of them. Neglected, they are a pitiful sight; they will never look like some. Exactly the same, when the dishes are washed, the kids are in bed and the old man is listening to a rasping program that you consider did not suit for down at the sides or you'll your nails on old mandolins. This treatment will keep them from breaking; it will serve as an insurance against hangnails.

Before washing your hands, remove all the polish from the nails. Use a long, fine-grain emery file, covering the entire side to centre, then nipping off point so you form a V. Next, you must cut far down at the sides or you'll snarl

WINNER OF ROYAL YORK LAST YEAR SCORES TWO WINS

A. J. Simah of Barrie Defeats Weil at Toronto Bonspiel

Toronto, Feb. 20 (CP) — Skipping draws of the 1945 annual Ontario Bonspiel, pitched up two rounds of the Royal York trophy and left only four rinks in the running for the first round of the deferred finals, they today. Weil, last year's champion, was defeated by A. J. Simah of Barrie in the Brass-Rite-Byrle trophy, second-highest event on the Royal York curling agenda.

Other victories were chalked up by Alex Walker of Toronto, runner-up last year, winner of the Royal York Jubilee trophy, and Ed Ryckman of Toronto, 1944 Victoria Cup skip. George Lake of Richmond Hill, and R. Reynolds of Hamilton, Victoria.

The Royal York trophy winners will not go in the first round of the event. Their all-game back to late afternoon games in the deferred event. Percy Sketch, who won both the Sebering and North American Life trophies in 1944 and is playing Royal York again, Dr. C. James of Midland, the Ontario Curling Association's president-elect, Joseph Cannon of Midland in the first round of the Sebering. W. A. Walker of Sarnia, 1944 consolation trophy winner, was won his Sebering trophy game after losing out in the Royal York. Fred Hood, 1944 Sebering champion, did W. J. Drysdale of Kingston, 1943 holder of the 1944 Waterloo trophy.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

New York: Willie Pep, 126 3-4, Hartford, outpointed Phil Terranova, 126, New York, 15 (title). Chuck Hunter, 147, Cleveland, knocked out Jackie Larrimore, 141, Miami Beach, 3.

Washington: Colin Chaney, 186, Indianapolis, T.K.O.d. Jackie Sheridan, 188, Philadelphia, 2; Nick Mamakos, 186, Baltimore, outpointed Leroy Fleming, 176, Washington, 8.

Newark: Bert Lowman, 205, 3-4, Detroit, outpointed Billy Grant, 194, Newark, 10. Bruce Woodcock, 196, Bayonne, N.J., T.K.O.d Benny Foster, 198, Newark, 2. Tami Mauriello, 198, New York, 1.

Boston: Coley Welch, 161, Portland, Me., outpointed Vic Dellicurti, 159-1-2, New York, 10. Steve Chuvalo, 196, Toronto, outpointed Steve Belloise, 192, Lowell, Mass., 8.

Toronto: Pat Johnny Flores, 161, Philadelphia, knocked out Joe Reeves, 167, Puerto Rico, 9; Mickey Graham, 164, Hazleton, knocked out Marty Barber, 190, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., 3.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KENNEY

(Toronto Globe and Mail Sports Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 20 — (CP) — Hockey stood out the news in the sports world this week, when the top-spot editorial in the Toronto Globe and Mail sports section read that Chic's hockey hockey's path with the Nugget's edi-tor's name heading the list. Sport-ing and hockey followers will be pleased to hear of Chic's hockey future and wish him success in his new undertaking and support the Nugget's editorial.

Currently enjoying one of the most successful seasons in the 126 North-ern Ontario city has ever had, the last 15 years in respect to hockey has been a successful one, especially in the senior, junior and promoted whole-heartedly by the Nugget's editor-in-chief, Norman Smith, who has given his wholehearted support to the sport in North Bay, all in all a fine story.

In his column "Short Stuff," Britt Brown suggests that in future the North Bay and District Hockey Association appoint some coach to last goal judge. It seems that in a game played at nearby Powassin last week, a 16-year-old goal judge proved to be a "homer," and jammed with the time clock. When it was discovered the 16-year-old was replaced, with a 14-year-old.

The game is between Parma Hawks and Scotland Hall of North Bay ended in a tie, but the Associ-ation refused to allow the game to stand the final standing. the game will be replayed — in North Bay.

Twenty Trades

Bill (Legs) Fraser, lanky goalie group of a couple of years ago, has been traded by the Montreal Maroons to the former Maritimer has seen service with the Montreal Royals for the season in Bobby Shore of R. T. Buffalo, and Ken Vancouver Canucks. Manchester Shore of Edmonton Junior Canadians are now awaiting for the Memorial Cup. The genuine Canadians won a two-game, total-point series in Vancouver. — Norma Baird, former Calgary high school athlete, now a student of war in Germany recently carried off the honors in a track and field meet at the prison camp Ron. won all the spring and field events. — Bob (Calgary Herald) Mamini supplied the Red Cross Army team could shade any N.H.L. team but Canadiens and Red Wings.

The ancient game of curling is proving Canada's fastest growing sport. New records for attendance established in nearly all Canadian hospitals this year.

Juniors Ready To Meet Stirling In the Playoffs

Although the Stirling-Marmora "Combines" eked out wins over the Belleville Juniors in the regular Junior O.H.A. schedule, Coach "Toots" Holway's locals have varsity opinion that they can defeat the "Combines." As a matter of fact it is rumored that the Belleville "Combines" beat Belleville at the Memorial Arena. Since that date the Belleville Juniors have not lost a single game in the "little rink."

Belleville Memorial Arena is the scene of the Belleville Juniors open the district O.H.A. finals versus the "Combines" with the second game slated for Stirling on Friday. In the group, but this year Belleville hopes to advance far into the provincial playdowns. The winner meets Kingston Victoria in the first round of Junior O.H.A. playdowns. A large gallery of Belleville fans will be at the Hume Arena tonight, so follow the crowds to the local igloo where hockey reigns supreme this week.

PLAYOFFS START IN ONE MONTH

(By The Canadian Press)

A month, from today and the Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, will turn to the business of the Stanley Cup play-offs and if we can believe the experts, Toronto Maple Leafs will start one series against Canadiens of Montreal, while Detroit Red Wings will face off against Red Wings at Detroit.

These predictions are based on the supposition that Montreal, pro-tell, Toronto and Boston will finish in that order.

The Leafs club whose position seems at all shaky is the fourth-place Boston Bruins who have a four-point lead over the New York Rangers.

The Chicago Black Hawks also hand a chance of squeezing into the play-offs, being only three points behind Rangers. How-ever, with 10 games on hand, and the fine showing Sunday night when they held the pace-setting Canadiens to a scoreless draw, the Hawks' prospects are not too dim.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

O.H.A. Junior "A"

Galt 8, Kitchener 4.

Toronto Young Rangers 4, St. Catharines 3.

Semi-Pro Exhibition

Winnipeg Army 7, Port Arthur Shipbuilders 7 (tie).

O.H.A. Junior "B"

Glenora 5, Welford 2

O.H.A.

Clinton 6, Exeter 4.

O.H.A. Juvenile

Simcoe 6, Delhi 5.

Lucknow 11, Hanover 7.

ACCEPTED FOR SERVICE

Houston, Tex., Feb. 20 — (AP) — Harry Gumbert, 31, veteran National League righthander, has been accepted for service in the Army and is awaiting call. Last year he hurler for St. Louis and Cincinnati of the National League and had a good season, winning 15 games for the light-hitting Reds.

PHIL TERRANOVA DEFEATS PEP

New York, Feb. 20 — (AP) — Willie Pep had too much pep for Phil Terranova at Madison Square Garden last night. At the end of 15 rounds Pep had retained his featherweight title by decisively outpointing the New York challenger over the 15-round route.

In hanging up his 86th triumph in 97 fights and his 34th in a row since losing to Chalky Wright in 1940 ago, Pep demonstrated to the crowd of 18,000 fans that he is still the boy he was too good for the game but not quite ready to quit.

A 1 to 6 favorite, Pep jabbed away almost at will, cutting Terranova's features to ribbons and piling up a lead on all cards.

Pep weighed 134 3/4 pounds, Terranova, 126.

Son of Riverman To Duplicate Feat

Niagara Falls, Ont., Feb. 20 — (CP) — William (Red) Hill, Jr., 21-year-old son of the famous river man who shot the Niagara River in a barrel 14 years ago, said today he plans to duplicate his father's feat next May 14, third anniversary of his death.

"I'm not doing this for myself," he said, explaining he hopes to erect a monument to his father with proceeds from his proposed feat.

He said he would make his trip in a steel barrel which was designed by his father.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

Sam Snead of Hot Springs, Va., finally won the Gulfport, Miss., $5,000 Open Golf Tourney yester-day from Byron Nelson of Toledo, O., with whom he had been tied at the end of regulation play Sunday after a 4-game playoff when they were deadlocked 71-71 after playing the 18th hole. Snead took the extra hole by one stroke.

Paul Courteau of Providence Reds retained the scoring lead of the American Hockey League by only one point in the statistics issued last night by President Maurice Podoloff at New Haven, Courteau has 52 points against 51 by Bob Crackle, with Bob Nelson of the Pirates in third place with 70 points.

The Schenectady, N.Y., Old Time Baseball Players Association last night launched a movement, by means of a petition, to get Babe Ruth back into the sport "either as a manager or a general manager of a Major League Club. The petition would be presented to the next baseball commissioner.

Danny Webb, Montreal feather-weight, continued his successful ring campaign in England last night by knocking out Bert Jackson of Fleetwood, holder of the North England title, in the fourth round of a scheduled eight-rounder at Royal Albert Hall, London.

After a lapse since 1941, the Lake Yacht Racing Association will re-sume competition on Lake Ontario this summer, it was announced last night. Richard C. Nicholson, jr., the new president, William P. Barrow of the Rochester Yacht Club who succeeds Robert Barr of Toronto, a regatta, to be held Aug. 1-3 at Burlington Bay, Hamilton, while a 100-mile cup race is also scheduled.

After Jack Robichon, Stratford defenseman, had been found to be over-age, Vics President Tiny Mc-Fadyen of Galt last night ordered a sudden death game at Galt to-morrow night between Kitchener and Stratford to decide the group junior semi-finals. The first Galt at the Classic City was award-ed to Kitchener, thus tieing up the round. The winner will meet Brantford Lions.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



CASUAL COMMENT

by K.J.C.

Definitions

Highbrow: A person educated beyond his intelligence.

Ignoramus: Anyone who believes his town is the centre of civilization.

Ignorance: Something you get while you are searching for something.

Hash: Any kind of food mixture that would have made a delicious salad if it had not been cooked.

Jamie Statistics,

When the Stirling-Marmora "Combines" take to the ice in the little rink" O.H.A. finals versus the Belleville Juniors to-night, Coach "Toots" Holway's locals enjoy a much better season's scoring average than the Combines de-spite the fact the locals haven't beaten the Combines in two starts. In 13 junior O.H.A. games this season the Combines have scored 70 goals as their opponents have whipped 8 behind McIvor. On the other hand Belleville has played only 12 games during which the locals have scored a total of 81 goals while the local light has flashed only 31 times behind the locals' nine. This figure stamps Dick Fitzpatrick as the best goalie in the loop, having a little more than two and one-half goals average per game. On top of this Dick register-ed three shut outs and three other games when the opposition scored but one goal.

However, all of the credit can't be given to Fitzpatrick, as in front of him Billie Holway and Doug Green have proven themselves strong defensively and to them must go a goodly amount of the glory, along with Ranse Bush, who is at present in hospital. Against the Combines however, Green and Holway will have to bear the brunt of part of the Belleville defensive work. On the other hand the Combines boast of a strong pair of rear-guardsmen in Lavender and Uzman and it goes without saying district puck fans will see the fastest and greatest series between these two good junior clubs. Belle-ville sport fans should be equally as proud of the locals as the pat-rons in the Central Hastings area are of their favored Combines. However, on this score the Junior O.H.A. will be decided when these two teams pay off the group finals at the Hume Arena tonight. Already Stirling-Marmora fans have bought up a complete block of seats and will be down en mass to cheer their idols on. (Belleville fans please note.)

Flyers Draw Bleed.

After three ties in the R.C.A.F. finals the Trenton "Flyers" finally did pay-off, defeating Little Sheehers 7-4 to give the latter a three-goal margin to take into their fourth and final meeting Wednesday night. No matter what happens tomorrow night there must be a winner de-clared in order to be prepared for the No. 1 Training Command R.C.A.F. playdowns here Friday night versus the Camp Borden "Flyers."

As for the Bomber-Flyer series these two fast-skating sextettes have played exactly 300 minutes of hock-ey versus each other this season. Up until last night Trenton Bombers led in the scoring column by one goal, now after 300 minutes of com-petition the Flyers can claim a two goal margin, which proves how evenly matched these teams are. However, after last night's game the Trenton team do enjoy a three-goal margin to take into the next tussle.

Last night Trenton checked back stronger and were clearing much better around their net and de-served to win on the night's play. The Bombers kept Paul Raymond down to one goal and an assist, but forged such players as Frigon, Dutchak, Rambusky and Reinhardt along the way. However, there has been a marked absence of body-checking all through the series, and that goes for both teams.

Ed's Gift Tongue.

That Ed "Strangler" Lewis, wrest-ler and promoter, still owns a glib tongue was proven last night when the old champion was on a USO-O.A.C. wisecracker in the audience kept ribbing him. The Strangler let him rip for a few minutes, then announced he wanted to tell a story.

"I can't help but think of my dad tonight," he said. "One time we had a pet Jackass, and it was my job to feed him, bed him down and see that he didn't get out of the corral at night. But one night he did wander off and was killed by a freight train. My dad was very angry over my carelessness.

"Son," said my dad, 'that jackass will haunt you all your life.'

"And by Christopher, there he is right up there," shouted Lewis, pointing at the wisecracker.

Remember When,

Jamie J. (Gentleman Jim) Cor-bett was buried at New York 12 years ago today before an assem-blage of stage and ring celebrities gathered to pay final tribute to the former heavyweight boxing champ-ion of the world. The great San Francisco "gentleman" of the ring from John L. Sullivan by a knock-out in 1892 and lost it five years later to Bob Fitzsimmons. Fitzsim-mons fight still contend Fitzsimmons was the greatest boxer ever. Fron-ent-day fans differ somewhat, some selecting Dempsey and others the present titleholder—Joe Louis.

FRANK E. LENNARD RE-ELECTED PRES.

Toronto, Feb. 20 — (CP) — Frank E. Lennard of Dundas, Ont., was re-elected president of the Ontario Rugby Football Union at its annual meeting following Harold Bailey of Toronto was re-elected secretary.

Other officers are: 1st vice-presi-dent, J. E. McLean, Hamilton; 2nd vice president, Dr. Alex Hammond, Kitchener; 3rd vice president, Ab Pye, Toronto. W. A. Pye and Percy Robinson of Toronto were named to the executive. Each club affiliat-ing with the union also will name a member to the executive.

The Union decided to recommend to the Canadian Rugby Union, which holds its annual meeting Saturday, that the single point for a kick to the deadline be abolished. However, the single point for a rouge would be retained. A similar recommendation is being made by the Quebec Rugby Football Union. However, the Ontario Union is sug-gesting that the ball be brought out to the 40-yard-line after a kick to the deadline, while the Quebec union proposed it be brought out to the 35-yard line.

First Belleville Wolf Cubs Win

The 1st Belleville Wolf Cubs bowled for revenge after their two successive defeats by the 4th Belle-ville and revenge they got with a final score of 2-4. Bruce Eryine in goal (with, a bit of help from de-fenceman Bernard Harvey) kept the score down with true skill. Skimming past him Don Barclay came in for three scores and John Thompson provided another.

The goals scored by the 1st Belle-ville Cubs were: Bill Spencer 2, Ron-ald Eaton 3, Gerald Starling 2, Bernard Harvey 1, bringing their total to nine.

With the 4th Belleville still one up in's best-out-of-seven series, the competition is becoming faster and more interesting. "Akela" Goodier refereed.

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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 611
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

Golly, Wally, Here we are at a fork in the road of bridge. Shall we go straight ahead to the next subject? Or first review some of the things we have passed? Which would you prefer?

So far in this series, we have come through all the opening bids and their responses. The next subjects are defensive bids, leads and discards, plays, and so on. Which would you like to start?

My mail tells me I have acquired a new reader or two. Also a couple of early skeptics seem to have taken a new lease on their bridge life. They need some help in certain subjects.

So while waiting for you to help me decide which new subject to start next, I'll get in a few more licks about past items. They may help you, too. And it could go on for months.

In these reviews, if I happen to rehash a subject you already know, don't be impatient. Congratulate yourself on how easily you learned it. Consider Poor Prune Palooka who may not have.

The thing to do about bridge is to first know what you are trying to do. What is it? You are trying to win the most number of points that you and your partner possibly can.

To do that, you and partner must reach the best contract for your combined hands. That calls for telling the truth to each other.

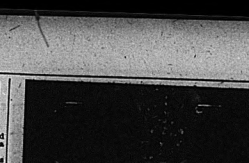
But no matter how good your intentions, you are unable to tell the truth unless you know what is the truth. Take a hand like this:

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♦A Q 4
♣A J 3

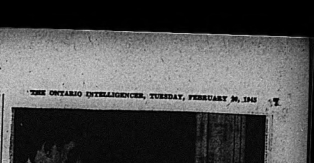
There are players who would bid hearts, with a hand like that. Their intention would be to tell partner they have a biddable heart suit. But they believe they are honest about it.

A suit is biddable only if it has better than average in number of cards and in number of faces. This hearts suit is shy in both.

See what I mean?



AT THE BELLE — James Craig and lovely Joy Ann Page are the young lovers in "Kismet," M.G.M.'s biggest show on the screen, starring Ronald Colman, with Marlene Dietrich, Queen of the Dancing Girls, now at the Belle Theatre.



AT THE McCARTHY — Andy Devine and Leon Errol pull some fast and funny ones in Universal's gay musical, "Babes on Swing Street," opening here at the McCarthy Theatre. Second feature is "They Live In Fear," with Otto Kruger.



AT THE CAPITOL — Jane Withers and Bob Stebbins in a scene from Republic's dramatic and timely screenplay "Faces in the Fog" now at the Capitol. On the same program a grand comedy "What a Woman," starring Rosalind Russell and Brian Aherne.

Physical Fitness Branch To Serve as Link Between Sports Organizations, Govt.

Maj. Ian Eisenhardt Believes Department Has Specific Duty to Perform

By DARCY O'DONNELL
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 20 — (CP) — The National Physical Fitness Branch of the Federal Health Department will in future serve as a link between Canadian sports organizations and the government, Maj. Ian Eisenhardt, director of Physical Fitness said today in an interview.

We will serve as the mouthpiece of sports to the government," said Maj. Eisenhardt. "We are asking sports organizations to outline how they can help our physical fitness program and how we can help them extend their organizations."

Previously, sports organizations had no direct link with the government, but with competitive games forming an integral part of the physical fitness program it was felt that such a link should be established.

Maj. Eisenhardt said he wished to thank all Canadian sports organizations to whom him within the next few weeks and suggest how the government could further their respective sports and get more people interested in them.

He asked that the letters be addressed to:

Maj. Ian Eisenhardt,
National Director of Physical Fitness,
Room 421,
Daily Building,
Ottawa.

He said he planned to take the letters with him to a meeting of the National Physical Fitness Council at Victoria, April 5 to 8, where they would be placed before the representatives from the nine provinces.

The council undoubtedly would draw up legislation based on the suggestions in the letters and would then present the proposed act at least on some of the proposals.

Maj. Eisenhardt said some sports organizations had already written him and most of them felt that Canada's sports pictures in the newspapers would stimulate interest. Few asked for financial assistance.

He hoped to see the day when all sports in Canada would be well organized as hockey. The Canadian Amateur Hockey Association had done splendid work in organizing hockey across Canada. There were thousands of hockey players in the Dominion and the words "hockey" and "Canada" were synonymous in the outside world.

One aim would be to get more people interested in lacrosse, soccer, football, sailing, skating, snowshoeing, figure skating, tennis, baseball and other competitive games.

The department planned to draw up record books on all Canadian sporting events. The books would contain Dominion, provincial, college and high school records and would give Canadian sports organizations something to shoot at when holding meets.

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O.H.A. Committee Suspends Player, Orders New Series

Toronto, Feb. 20 —(CP)— Automatic suspension of player Kenneth M. Robitchin of the Stratford Jr. Junior "B" club for playing on an O.H.A. Intermediate "B" team here today by the Ontario Hockey Association committee, after a meeting here during the weekend.

All games in which Robitchin took part for the Stratford club were chalked off the records and a new play-off series between Stratford and Kitchener Junior B clubs been ordered, the sub-committee gave the Kitchener club the choice of playing a sudden-death game in Kitchener to forfeit their current series, having awarded the first play-off game, Stratford won 4 to 1, as Kitchener's game due to the fact that Robitchin had played. The player didn't play in Saturday night's game which was won by Stratford, 3 to 2. Kitchener elects to play a new series, they will have the choice of first and third game, if needed.

The case of goalie Bruce Philby, formerly of the Galt Juniors was reviewed and his indefinite suspension sustained.

Ontario Hockey Association declines to ask for the reinstatement of Hockey Association for a transfer for player Gordon Howe on behalf of the Galt Juniors. Howe, a juvenile, has been given release by the Saskatchewan branch.

Players in the senior series will be arranged in groups of six among Toronto Staffords are playing in Hamilton this evening and St. Catharines Saints have another scheduled game with the Hamilton club in Hamilton.

Captain James Sutherland of Kingston, past president of O.H.A. life member, reported that W. R. McKenzie of Toronto won the O.H.A. scholarship at Queen's University.

CHARGED WITH MURDER

Toronto, Feb. 20 — (CP) — Antonio Urban, 45, was charged with murder last night in connection with the death of John Yagodich, 50, stabbed in the heart with a knife. Police said Urban told them that "I'm the man who killed him" after he found Yagodich in his house.


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Trenton 'Flyers' Gain Three-Goal Lead in First Game Of Playoffs With 'Bombers'

Rap Home 5 Goals Without Reply After Losers Had Scored Two Goals

Showing a distinct edge going both ways the Trenton "Flyers" gained a three-goal lead to take into the final game of the Quinte R.C.A.F. service league playdowns on Wednesday night by downing the Mountain View "Bombers" 7 to 4 before over 2,400 hockey fans at the Hume arena Monday night. The two previously in this final series the teams had battled to a 3-3 draw, but last night was Trenton's night practically all the way.

Given after the Bombers had gained a two-goal margin by scoring twice in the first nine minutes of play, the Flyers drove back strong to gain the home five successive goals and lead 5-2 at the end of the initial frame. At the end of the middle session it was 5-3 as the Bombers scored the only goal of a hectic, fast-skating period, but the ultimate winners whipped home two early in the final period to clinch the piece and count in 7-4 winners. The final game of the series will be played tonight, eight at the Hume Arena with the Flyers enjoying a three-goal margin, a figure which hasn't proven a great obstacle in previous games. The ultimate winner of this series, which will be concluded tomorrow night, will meet the Camp Borden RCAF champions in a No. 1 Training Command district play-off here on Friday night.

Switched Lineups

Coach F/L Jimmie McCaa of the Bombers, made a switch in his starting front line combination between Dan Cowley and "Mac" MacMillan, which got results although the change would prove most disastrous in the end. The opening goal on a corner pass-out from Bob Chisholm, Back came the Bombers with another quick counter, when Frank Aube made sure of Duquette's pass to put the Bombers two up in less than four minutes of initial play. However, suddenly the Flyers began to roll with their pay-maker, Paul Raymond leading the way. Raymond set up a smart play for Frijon and the latter made no mistake as the Flyers got on the rapid succession the Trenton squad rapped home four more without retaliation as Williams, in the Bombers' net was given little protection. Perhaps the fact that all but the Bombers' defence aside and set up a perfect target for Danny Dutchek, who made the going ring.

Picked up Loose Puck

Sammy Rasminsky picked up a loose puck after Raymond had been stopped and Sammy flashed the red light. In vain the Bombers tried to score, but Rodger was easily as big as the Trenton nets and besides his teammates were doing splendid work. In a Trenton ganging attack, Frijon skated nonchalantly around the Bombers' defence and finding no teammate to pass to rifled the puck home quite as easily as he had brought it out of a corner.

In the second session Don Willson scored the only goal of the period on a pass from MacMullen as the Bombers picked up the only counter registered. However, the period was the property of Jack Pockey with play ranging toe-to-length as little scoring was seen back of the respective blue lines with the forwards taking over to give both goalies a busy session. Early in the end of this period Dutchek's been a penalty meted out, but due to the absence of any degree of body-checking by Jimmie Dinnie of the Bombers being the penalty ignored.

Goal Clinches Matters

To open the final session Trenton moved again to the offensive and were carrying the play, when Raymond was rewarded when he picked up Rasminsky's pass inside the Bombers' defence. Rasminsky's second goal clinched matters for the Flyers by passing home Reinhardt's pass, as the latter carried into position. Dan Cowley scored his second goal for the Bombers, taking MacMillen's mid-ertz pass and going around right defence to give the losers their fourth goal.

The Trenton team cleared well around their own net and cleared much more effectively than did the losing Bombers. Cowley with two, Aube and Wilbur Moore (ex Bombers' marksmen as MacMullen picked up two well-earned assists, Frijon and Dutchek each scored a brace for the Trenton Flyers, with Maclean, Raymond and Rasminsky getting one each, the latter also adding an assist, as did Sammy Rasminsky. The Bombers tried in vain to halt the Flyers' chief play-maker, Paul Raymond, and succeeded only partly to a minor degree, forgot there were other Trenton players like Dutchek, Rasminsky, Peck and principally Frijon on the loose.

Three goals means little between three two speedy clubs, which means all-out hockey in their next and final meeting Wednesday night.

The line-ups: Mountain View "Bombers" — Goal, Williams; defence, Dinnie and Brock; centre, Willson; wings, Cowley and MacMullen; subs, Duquette, Aube, Bourdeau, Beresford, Young, Chisholm and Cameron. Trenton "Flyers" — goal, Richardson; defence, Currie and Reinhardt; centre, Raymond; wings, Frijon and Rasminsky; subs, Hargrea, Peck, Thompson, Perras, Ray, Marshall, Merpaw and Dutchek.

Referees: St. Louis and Holway.

SUMMARY

1st Period—
1. Bombers—
Cowley (MacMullen) 2.11
2. Bombers—
Aube (Duquette) 2.40
3. Flyers—
Frijon (Raymond) 5.56
4. Flyers—
Dutchek (Perras) 8.14
5. Flyers—Rasminsky 12.15
6. Flyers—Peck (Ray) 13.58
7. Flyers—Frijon 18.27
Penalties: none.
2nd Period—
8. Bombers—
Willson (MacMullen) 4.45
Penalties: none.
3rd Period—
9. Flyers—
Raymond (Rasminsky) .. 1.56
10. Flyers—
Dutchek (Reinhardt) 2.44
11. Bombers—
Cowley (MacMullen) 8.00
Penalties: Peck and Currie.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 20 (AP)—At least two college basketball teams that played in the Boston Garden this winter hinted that they'd like to return for a March tournament, but no dates were available. . . . Even with two schoolboy tourneys coming up . . . Chances are they'll be starting one in another year or so —and maybe it's just as well that no plans were made for it now, as there seems to be a shortage of tournament-qualified teams . . . Utah, N.C.A.A. winner last spring, has the real pounds in the cage tourney setup . . . The Utes expect to qualify for the national playoffs again and feel they owe something to the N.C.A.A. for picking them as pitchhitters last year. But they feel they also may get a bid to the New York invitation event, which is more lucrative.

Today's Guest Star:

Eddie Brietz, New York World-Telegram sheet-rack fans hope baseball will delay drafting O-man Mower for car until he can find what has happened to Gunder Haegg."

Quote, unquote:

Lieut. Frank Leahy: "It's a strain in the service, but nothing to compare with the constant fall tension of coaching Notre Dame."

OSHAWA GENS. LOSE TO GALT, FALCONS BEATEN

Results of Games Leave St. Catharines and Galt Tied for Second

By the Canadian Press

For the second time this season the O.H.A. Junior "A" series, Toronto Young Rangers took a fall out of St. Catharines Falcons of Toronto ice last night when Eli Wilson's youthful band administered a 4-2 defeat to the Garden City outfit at Oshawa, the Jim Wires from Galt managed to stave off a double reverse late in the third period when they scored the only deadlock with less than two minutes to go after the Gemmils had been swarming all over the Galt net, his surprise counter enabling the visitors to carry off a 4-3 win.

The net result of the two decisions is that St. Catharines and Galt are tied for second place in the league standing with 32 points 14 points below the leading St. Michaels. Oshawa Generals are alone in fourth spot followed by Toronto King Rangers and Marlboros.

Dawson collected a brace for Young Rangers against Falcons, the other two going to Anderson and Pidlerny, while Seymour and Delmonte were the Falcon snipers.

At Oshawa, Curtis flashed two for a row to put Red Wings in front 2-0 in the first chukker and Kazarian made it 3-0 early in the second span. Shewchuck broke the ice for Oshawa at 11.10 in the second stanza and Taggart tied it up in the third with two in succession. Then, in the closing stages, Mousseau came through with the one that really counted.

RICHARD, LACH IN TIE FOR LEAD

Montreal, Feb. 20 (CP)—Maurice Richard and Elmer Lach of Canadiens are locked for leadership of the National Hockey League point race in official weekly figures released today. Canadiens are sure they will remain just about that way until the end of the year.

The pair are nine points up on line-mate Toe Blake, 11 up on their brother Hec Richard and 16 points ahead of fifth-place Syd Howe of Detroit.

Richard has 65 points on 44 goals and 21 assists, while Lach has a total from 20 goals and 45 assists so it seems likely also that Richard will be the first man in N.H.L. history to get 45 goals before Lach can reach the 20 mark he needs to set an assist record.

Cowley slipped into third place in the race during the week when he passed Blake. They held fifth spot comfortably, adding another point in his drive to hit the 50-mark for the season and thus Bill Nels Stewart's mark of 514 points in 15 N.H.L. seasons. Howe is four points off the mark.

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Inter-Provincial Loop May Give Q.H.L. Trouble

Montreal, Feb. 20 (CP) — The Quebec senior hockey league, long dominators of the provincial senior picture, may run into some tough opposition when they tackle the young Inter-Provincial League in Quebec finals this spring. At least they'll be up against high-scoring aggregations.

The inter-prov circuit which started out on a player and a one-month schedule last fall, has been playing stronger right along until its supporters are ready now to predict that its representatives will give the Quebec league teams a tough time in the finals.

Fort Pitch, president of the National League, now in Washington, until last summer was "about" long enough men to play baseball and not to study," a highly authoritative baseball source said in New York.

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Harridge travelled here today. Frick arrived last night.

PTE. JERRY SHEARS GAINS DECISION OVER H. MATHE

Joey Ferrier Scores Technical K.O. Over Charlie Basile of Buffalo

Toronto, Feb. 20 — (CP) — Pte. Jerry Shears of Toronto gained a decision over Harvey Mathe of Sudbury, Ont., in the five-round main bout of last night's boxing card at Massey Hall here. The hard-rock miner from Northern Ontario fought capably in the first and third rounds but was knocked down for the count of eight in the fourth by a jooping overarm right.

One of Canada's best amateur lightweights, Joey Ferrier of Turonto, a technical knockout over Charley Basile, of Buffalo, in the fourth round.

Ferrier had Basile down for an eight count in the second and then started him in the fourth in pursuit for the knockout blows. Referee Jackie Silvers stopped the fight

Big Leaues Are Seeking Showdown With War Mobilizer

Washington, Feb. 20 — (AP) — The big leagues are seeking a showdown with War Mobilizer James Byrnes on baseball's status.

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halfway through the next round.

Results included:

158 pounds — Al Rolston, Toronto, knocked out Russell Hemchampo, Port Colborne, Ont., in second round.

113 pounds — Bill Davidge, Port Colborne, declared Holly Angelant, Sudbury, three rounds.

126 pounds — Joe McFee, Oshawa, Ont., declaioned George Larocque, Belleville, Ont., three rounds.

135 pounds — Larry Johnson, Port Colborne, scored technical knockout over Gerry Perusale, Buffalo, in 2nd round.

139 pounds — Joey Ferrier, Toronto, scored technical K.O. over Charley Basile, Buffalo, fourth round.

126 pounds — Jerry Shears, Montreal, declioned Harvey Mathe, Sudbury, five rounds.

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"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 21

"Where shall I put him?" Terry shrank from Dixon.

"Here," said Al, giving Terry back the $60 check. He added fifty ten dollar bills. "Take him to your apartment and keep him well supplied," he touched the bottle of Scotch.

"How about Livia Clarkson?" Terry asked at the door.

"Leave me thinking to me," Al replied gently.

That evening Livia was having her dinner in bed as usual.

"Who was that?" she asked Mrs. Sayles. She had heard the doorbell ring. Livia pushed the tray aside and went to the window.

"The spe man!" she exclaimed. "He asked to see you, I said you had gone to bed, and he said to wake you up. I slammed the door shut in his face."

"Quiet, get him and tell him to wait in the living-room."

Livia put on slacks and a sweater, and entered the living-room. Jonas was picking his front teeth with his thumbnail and scrutinizing a photograph of her mother.

"Handsome woman," he said as Livia advanced and held out her hand. "I'll introduce myself. I'm Al Jonas."

"I'm," she said briefly, "the bookmaker's?"

"I didn't know I was so famous," he grinned and sprawled on the sofa.

"My hairdresser loses $10 a week to you regularly," Livia said crisply.

He spread his hands. "But think of the fun she has. Nothing like a good race for excitement."

"How much money does Dixon Dillon owe you?" Livia said sharply.

"This place you have down here —and in a good— neighborhood."

"I've told you about Dixon Dillon," Livia continued. "Terry Davidson said he owed you $3,000 or so—"

"Terry's hard for figures is bad. Your dad owes me $10,000, and $50-a-week payments is taking too long."

"But I can't afford any more," Livia said helplessly.

"That's no way for the daughter of a fine upstanding man to talk," said Al reproachfully. He brought out a check and paper from his pockets. "Let's see." He wrote some figures. "Say, pet you get me, and it will be all cleared up in three months."

"You think I'm as crazy as my father?"

"Oh, no. That's why I'll expect your check for $200 next Thursday. You get paid Wednesday, don't you? And," he added at the door, "Make it payable to me. We don't need Mr. Davidson now."

"I didn't get a cent."

He came back into the room.

"And," Livia continued angrily, "if you bother me again, I'll turn the whole thing over to the police."

"I have a friend on a downtown paper," Al grinned. "It would make a good story. Woman in Livia, the daughter of Earl Dixon, famous bookie, ex-jail bird—"

"But this is blackmail!"

"We don't say that word, lady." His grey eyes looked conspiratorially beyond her, "I'll expect the check on Thursday?"

"Wait a minute," Livia begged. Her thoughts whirled helplessly. She wondered how to think. "I'd like to see my father."

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It was all right with Al. She could see him in his office any time she liked.

"Tomorrow evening?" she said. That was okay, too.

Somehow the day passed, and in the absorption of her role Livia tried to forget the coming ordeal. But it was hard to keep her mind on the pictures.

When she left the studio, she drove to Jonas' office. A few men were sitting at the bar of the club and they looked at her curiously.

"Where is Mr. Jonas?" she asked the barkeeper.

"Who wants him?" he asked. She hesitated.

"That's all right," said the voice of Jonas suddenly. He was framed in the doorway to the left of the bar. She had not heard the door open, and the fear made her startled.

"Come right in," he invited, and Livia had the feeling that if she once went into the room she would never come out again.

The room was sprawled on a worn, brown leather couch. She thought he was asleep, but his eyes suddenly opened with difficulty and compassed her form. He smiled and struggled to his feet.

"Livia! My daughter," he said to Jonas. "I'm afraid," he continued as Livia stared without speaking. "I'm afraid she does not approve of my habits and right." She gave a noble gesture, "I'll never touch the stuff again."

He staggered to the table, took a long swallow from the bottle, slipped against the table and banged his head. Jonas caught him as he slid to the floor. One of the men at the bar came in.

"Get some of the boys and take him home," Jonas commanded.

"All right, I'll pay," Livia told Jonas.

"Sign here." He gave her a pen. She glanced over the typewritten document.

"How will I know you won't want more money?" she asked him.

"I give you my word."

"As a gentleman?" she asked sarcastically.

"No," he said and grinned. "As a business man. I don't want to worry you—too much. You've got to make good in this contract—and that I have a $10,000 stake in your success."

Two days later Fordyce bawled her out before everyone on the set. "You'll never be an actress," he shouted. "Dye want me to get Alice Delaware for the part? He immediately regretted saying it. But Livia was enough to try the patience of a saint. Perhaps Bruce knew what was the matter.

"I guess it's a case of nerves," Bruce said, and then suggested, "But don't be of my business, of course but why don't you go a bit easier with her? I think she's just scared of the part."

"All right," Fordyce agreed.

But it made no difference whether he was harsh or kind. The spark that Livia had shown in the first weeks of production was gone. And the front office demanded that Livia be removed from the picture.

"But Charlie," Ronald Dunne protested, waving his long cigarette holder, "That's a two million-dollar production. The girl is no good. What are you trying to do— ruin the whole company?"

They were in the production room to see the "rushes" of the day. Livia's performance was terrible. Even Fordyce had to admit that now. But she had been doing fine until a few days ago. What was the matter with her?

"I guess she couldn't take it—it was too much," Fordyce thought.

"If we get rid of her now," Dunne said, "I'll bet right, we lose a hundred thousand dollars, but that's better than losing two million."

"Give me another week with her alone," Fordyce said. "If I don't snap out of it then, we'll get another actress."

"Another week—that means more good money after bad. All right, I'll give you a week, but get me Alice Delaware," said Dunne grimly.

"OKAY, you can get Alice Delaware," Fordyce thought.

He was kinder to Livia the next day. There were just a few close-ups before lunch. He came into her dressing-room.

"I wish you'd tell me what's the matter," he said gently.

"Nothing's the matter," she said and burst into tears. He waited in silence. "I guess I'm overtired," she said finally.

"Would you like to go home?"

"But the picture—"

"This isn't doing the picture much good, Livia. If you're overtired, this afternoon first, I can shoot around you today and tomorrow. Go home now and don't think of the picture at all. Then we'll start again all fresh, hey?"

She smiled gratefully through her tears.

But instead of going home Livia drove to Al Jonas' office. She had a plan for her father. Someone on the set had mentioned a sanitarium in Santa Barbara with a reputation for curing the worst drunkards.

Jonas grinned while she expounded her plan.

"It's for him to decide," he said. "All right. Where is he? I'd like to put in a word to him," Livia said.

"He's pretty drunk now," Jonas warned her. "But if you really want to see him, Livia, I'll take you to him myself."

They drove to Terry's apartment. There were two other men with them. They were silent until Livia put her hand on the leather flap at the back of the driver's seat.

"Sir," said the man next to her sharply. Jonas grinned and pulled up the flap revealing a small arsenal of guns. Livia shrank back with a cry.

"Nothing to get nervous about," Jonas assured her. "You're safe— you're in my play ball."

Livia decided to tell Bruce the whole story. She was frightened. These men were killers as well as gamblers. Perhaps Bruce could help her. She hesitated to see him again, but the exhilaration of confession already lifted some of the fear in her heart.

Terry opened the door.

"I'm having trouble with him," he said to Jonas. Then he saw Livia. He drew back into the shadows of the apartment. Jonas beckoned Livia to follow.

Her father was sitting in an armchair, holding his head between his hands. She thought he was drunk but the eyes were clear he turned to her was almost sober.

"What are you doing here?" he said and came toward her. She stepped back a little. If Dixon saw the aversion on her face, he ignored it.

"What d'ye mean by bringing her here?" he demanded angrily.

"I wanted to come," Livia interposed.

"Yeah," said Jonas. "She has a scheme to cure you, Dixon. Listen it might do you good."

"Is there anything left in that bottle?" Dixon asked Terry.

"Plenty, sir," Livia supplicated, "hear what I have to say first—please." He looked away and muttered something, and Livia did not ask for the drink again.

"Let's all sit down and be cosy," Al boomed.

Dixon went to the window and tapped nervously on the blind. He turned when Livia would go. He was sure there was something left in the bottle. Forgetfulness—that's all he wanted. He'd do anything that wanted of him—except killing of himself. Suicide was the only way to get rid Scotch. What had Livia been talking about just before Livia came in? He could not remember. He confused these days.

"I wouldn't like to be a director again, making good pictures?" Livia's father was saying.

"Sure. Who wouldn't?" he replied. "Have a job for me?"

"No, but if you got him conditions," Dixon laughed.

"I'm afraid it would take too long, my dear."

"I know a place in Santa Barbara," Livia began eagerly. Dixon frowned savagely.

"Leave me alone, d'ye hear?" Then his shoulders slumped. "It's no use, Livia. I've tried all that. It's no use and I wouldn't do it even if I could."

"Sure you will," said Jonas. He looked significantly at Terry, who stared back, then nodded his head in understanding.

"Sure will he said and whispered something into Dixon's ear.

"I'll try the sanitarium," he said. He looked at him with suspicion and disbelief. "Really I will." How's the picture coming?" Dixon asked with an obviously painful attempt to change the conversation.

"Fine," said Jonas. Livia said slowly, "Why do you live here with Terry?" she asked Dixon. One of the men with Jonas made a move toward Livia, but Jonas shook his head.

"For Pete's sake, give me a drink someone," Dixon's voice trembled. Terry looked at Jonas.

"Sure give him a drink — it's okay," he said to Livia. "You have to wean Dixon gently—and the sanitarium is the best of every thing." Dixon felt better after allowing the Scotch.

"I'll start the cure on Monday," he promised grimly. It was now Thursday. And with this Livia had to be content.

She felt better and slept well for the first time in a week. Before going to sleep she called Bruce.

"Charles told me you're not feeling well" he said.

"What are you doing for lunch tomorrow?" she asked. "I was overdoing it—I'll be all right soon."

"I'll see you certainly sound more cheerful—"

"I am. Let's lunch here."

"Swell."

"I'm in a sort of jam—I want to tell you about it."

"That's what Charles thought. His said you were in some jam, and I said, 'Oh, no, if she were she'd tell me about it.'"

"You were both right. One o'clock tomorrow?"

"Okay."

The Filipino butler brought her breakfast on a silver tray. Livia read the papers, laughed at an erroneous item in a movie column that she was a distant relative of the author of "Honoria Lewis". "Which" said the columnist, "is one of those coincidences in which Hollywood abounds."

"I'll certainly does," said Livia.

She lay in the tub a long while, thinking of her father and the sanitarium. If he were cured, he might become a father she could be proud of instead of being so horribly ashamed.

"I'm a snob," she told herself. But Jonas was right. Her relationship with the drunken derelict if publicized would destroy the hope of her blossoming career beyond redemption. Bruce would advise her He arrived at 1:45 and they went into the dining-room.

"Now, what is it?" Bruce said.

"We'll eat first. I don't want to spoil your digestion," Livia smiled at him. She wore a green silk house-coat emphasizing the soft contours of her figure.

"What are you trying to do— break me down?" Bruce asked. "How am I going to rescue a damsel in distress—that's you—or rather, your double—from the sinking ship this afternoon with you looking like Cleopatra?" and he chanted softly, "Other women clov the appetites they feed, but she makes hungry where most she satisfies."

"If you're talking about food— you'd better shut up," Livia warned.

On their way from the hall to the living-room Livia idly picked up the early afternoon paper. Bruce had brought with him. A headline in black letters arrested her—Earl Dixon, Famous Film Director, Charged With Murder—the words roared-Jo Livia's ears.

"What's the matter?" Bruce caught her as she swayed. He half-saw Livia's face, stricken and staring blankly at the headline, and he took the newspaper from her, gently escorting her to a chair.

It was very quiet in the room, and Livia closed her eyes. This was the end, of course. Everything would come out. Her father a murderer? It was hard to connect that weak, sodden face with anything as vicious and brutal as murder.

Bruce looked at the picture of Dixon on the front page. It showed him at the height of his career as a director. He wore a riding outfit and carried a megaphone in his hand. The face was handsome, young and alert. The expression in the eyes reminded Bruce of someone—Livia! Was Livia related to the director? She had told him her father was dead. He looked from the photograph to Livia again. He knew that she was in challenging look, the same eagerness.

(To be continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

TUESDAY, FEB. 20

—4.30 p.m.
WGR—WEN—News, Sports.
CFRB—Sport Moments.
—4.15 p.m.
CBL—News, Farm Market.
—4.30 p.m.
WBEN—News Quiz.
—4.45 p.m.
CJBC—Rusty Bettell.
WBEN, WHAM-B—Lowell Thomas.
—5.00 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That? Quiz.
—5.00 p.m.
WBEN-CBL-NBC—Supper Club.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
—5.15 p.m.
CJBC—Blackstone.
—5.30 p.m.
CJBC—Lum 'n' Abner.
CJBC-NBC—Haymes-Forrest Show.
—5.45 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Ginny Simms.
CFRB—Big Sister.
CJBC—Guy Lombardo.
CKOC, CBC—Big Town Drama.
—6.30 p.m.
CJBC-Blue—Dan Young Show.
CFRB—Fun Parade.
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CBL—Of Thee I Sing.
—6.55 p.m.
WGR-CBS—Inner Sanctum.
CJBC—Toronto Symphony.
WBEN-NBC—Mystery Theatre.
WGR-B—Gracie Fields Show.
—7.15 p.m.
CKEY—N.H.L. Hockey
—8.30 p.m.
WGR-B—Get Yourself Go.
CBL—Make Way For Tomorrow.
CJBC—Bert Niosi Orch.
WBEN-NBC—Hildegrade.
—9.00 p.m.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
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CKEY—News, Mickey Lester.
—11.15 p.m.
CBL—Of the Record.
—11.30 p.m.
WGR-B—"Jet", Opera, U.S.A.
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—12.15 a.m.
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—12.30 a.m.
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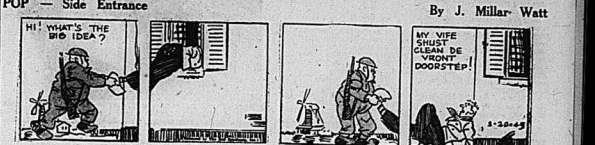
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VISIT CANADIAN ARMY

With 1st Canadian Army in Holland, Feb. 20 — (CP) — Four Canadian delegates to the recent Trade Union Conference in London are paying a three-day visit to Canadian Army establishments. They are J. A. Sullivan of Ottawa, C. S. Jackson of Toronto, J. A. Whitebone of Saint John and Nigel Morgan of Vancouver.

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CANUCKS, YANKS FREED BY REDS, REACH MOSCOW

Number Unknown but Most Freed in Evacuation at Szubin

By DANIEL DE LUCE
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Moscow, Feb. 20 (AP) — The rapid advance of Russian armies has caused the liberation of many United States officers and men from German prison camps despite enemy attempts to move the allie prisoners from threatened areas.

(A number of Canadian army men have also reached Moscow along with American and British prisoners formerly held by the Germans, but full details of the movement are not yet available.)

Freeing of the Americans was disclosed by Maj.-Gen. J. Russell Deane, chief of U.S. military mission in Moscow. He also said he had ordered every detachment to proceed to Lublin, where some of the liberated prisoners have assembled, to "conserve its treasure" their repatriation. Other groups of prisoners are known to be scattered in Prags and farther west.

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Precisely how Americans was not estimated, but officers alone among the Americans now in the care of Poles and the Russians. Most of the officers left their liberation in the confusion of the German evacuation of the prison camp at Szubin, near Bydgoszcz. Canadians held in that area are believed to have been herded principally at Stalag 8B, 23 and 344.

Medical Treatment by Poles and Russians.

Statements of our liberated soldiers and airmen all attest to fine treatment by the Poles and Russians whether military or civilian," Gen. Deane said. "Within their means our Allies have given everything they could to be kind, merciful and friendly."

Liberated prisoners reaching Poles and Germans had provided only a starvation diet for liberated officers and men alike. They asserted a situation antagonistic to mass murder would have resulted if the Germans had not also implemented the diet.

Deane estimated the daily ration in the German camps contained 1,000 calories, 1,300 calories, although 1,800 calories is the recognized minimum, even for bedridden persons.

Two-thirds of a pound of bread and a few potatoes formed food staple. Meat theoretically amounted to one-fifth pound but actually the ration barely flavored soup for the meal. Breakfast was a cup of hot water. Then a few additional potatoes and a dab of margarine formed the daily ration.

Some Fighting Alongside Russians

Moscow, Feb. 20 (CP) — Some American soldiers who escaped from German prison camps during the advance of the Red Army through Poland now are fighting alongside Russian troops inside Germany, using borrowed Russian weapons and Russian front point system" of sign language that they have learned, Capt. Ernest Gruenberg of New York said today.

"I know of one personally and they're still with us," said Gruenberg, an American who got into Germany when his German guards fled. "His name is Captain Dinkleberg. He got into Germany with the Russians.

(The German radio recently said that an American airman had been captured in the Oder River bridgehead east of Berlin.)

Hearing the story, Maj.-Gen. J. Russell Deane, chief of the United

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TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, Feb. 20 (CP)—Index gains were posted by the industrials and golds at today's session. Volume was sizable at 718,000 shares for the first three hours.

Gains were posted in the gold group by McIntyre, Giant Yellowknife, Chesterville, Malartic Gold Fields, Macassa and Lake Shore. Cockshutt and moderate weakness was shown by Wright-Hargreaves, Cochenour Willans, Bear, Stratton and Preston.

Mining Corporation advanced 13 cents in the list.

The paper, steel and utility groups were stronger. C.P.R. changed hands in volume with the price firm at 15.

MONTREAL LIVESTOCK

Montreal, Feb. 20 — (CP)—Prices on all classes were steady to firm today on the livestock markets. Receipts: cattle 1,000; lambs 10; hogs 374; calves 167.

Receipts of cattle were made up of cows and bulls. Butcher cows ranged from 6.25 to a top of 9.50. Veal calves sold at 13.00. Good veals were mostly 16. Lambs offered were mostly good and bright 11-11.50. Sheep were 3-8.50.

The bulk of the hogs was sold at 18.25-18.35 with an odd sale at 18.50 for grade A. Sows brought 15-15.50.

HOGS

Toronto, Feb. 20 (CP)—Dressed weight were up 10 cents at Hamilton and prices were steady at other bacon-hog markets reports Canada Packers Limited. Sales were delivered, Hamilton $17.90; Barrie and Hull $17.75; Stratford, Brantford, Kitchener and Woodstock, farmers $17.50, to truckers $17.65.

Dairy Production For January

The production of creamery butter in Ontario during January amounted to 2,400,000 pounds, representing an increase of 15.5% over January 1944, when the output amounted to 2,067,000 pounds. This output was up in all sections of Ontario, states the monthly report of the Ontario Department of Agriculture.

Cheddar cheese production shows a decrease from the level of a year ago. The January output is reported at 1,440,000 pounds as against 1,530,000 pounds in 1944, a decrease of 4.7%.

The quantity manufactured by districts increased in Western Ontario from 293,000 pounds to 297,000; declined in Southern Ontario from 886,000 to 804,000 pounds, in Central Ontario from 1,000,000 to 1,000,000 pounds, and in Eastern Ontario from 220,000 to 240,000 pounds; and in Northern Ontario from 19,000 to 20,000 pounds.

The amount of milk used in the manufacture of creamery butter and Cheddar cheese during January this year was 110,178,000 pounds or 5.4% more than in January 1944, when 96,980,000 pounds were required.

Creamery butter stocks in warehouses in the City of Toronto on February 1st, amounted to 2,000,000 pounds. This was considerably lower than a month earlier when stocks totalled 3,352,000 pounds, and somewhat more than a year ago when the figure was 1,531,000 pounds. Dairy factories throughout the province had 3,947,000 pounds of creamery butter on hand at February 1st, as against 3,903,000 pounds at January 1st, 1945, and 2,693,000 pounds at February 1st, 1944.

States military mission in Moscow smiled.

"You know how it is, General," grinned Gruenberg. "When you finally get away from a prison camp and a friendly fellow like Deane offers you a ride in a tank and an opportunity to fight the Germans you just do it."

STOCK MARKET

New York, Feb. 20 (AP) — The forward swing to new high ground ended today's stock market although many leaders made more or less restrained by profit taking at the day's highest. While a smattering of issues was in evidence during the closing hour, fractional advances predominated.

Up to the closing Canadian stocks were Hiram Walker 1½ and Distillers Seagrams, each up 1-8, and Dome Mines, up 1-4. Off 1-8 were Canada Malartic and Noranda.

Trading most of the time included N. Y. Central, Great Northern, Southern Pac., Int. Harvester, Du. Pont, American Telephone, Canadian Pacific, Union Carbide and Johns-Manville. Bonds were irregular.

Commodities turned a shade irregular.

TORONTO LIVESTOCK

Toronto, Feb. 20 — (CP) — Cattle trade was slow at steady prices up to mid-afternoon on livestock market here today. Hogs were steady, no medium lambs were ready. No sheep were offered.

Receipts reported by the Dominion Stockyards service were: Cattle 600, calves 150, hogs 600, lambs 50, sheep 50. Yesterday were 1,100 head of cattle.

Weights given were: Choice steers, butcher steers, 950-1,200 lbs., $14.25, good, butcher cows $7-.00, canners and cutters $5.50-6.75, bulls $7-.00, fed yearlings $11.50-$12.50, good $10.50-$11.50, choice $13.50 for choice with common downward to $10.

Lambs were $6-$16.50.

Calves were: dressed, Grade A $18, Grade 3c $17.50, sows $14.

TINY IWO JIMA ABLAZE FROM ONE END TO ANOTHER

Graphic Picture of Fighting Is Seen from Bomber Over Island

By WILLIAM F. TYREE

Aboard a Navy Bomber Over Iwo Jima, Feb. 20 (AP) — Tiny Iwo Jima was ablaze from end to end today as the Japs poured down into its battle smoke to watch what was left of Marines plow ashore from an armada of warships ready for a showdown fight in the enemy's own backyard.

From 1,000 feet over the beachhead I saw the first wave of the Marines had a terrific battle on their hands.

As the battleships, cruisers and destroyers circled endlessly, sending shells screaming into the volcanic slopes of the island, I could see Marine landing craft over on the rocky southeastern beach. Some were headed toward the airstrip.

Japanese were fighting back from their underground defenses. Below us was a group of Mount Suribachi's crater at the south end of the island and around the northern wooded section, Japanese were under bursts of anti-aircraft fire.

Over the center of the island, hundreds of small craft moved toward the beaches, unloading a fierce barrage of thousands of rockets.

Scores of Marines followed within 40 minutes.

Two Looks Like Landing Park Chez

Two Navy fighter planes covered this entire island. Two Navy bombers like the one I was in flew over and over. Above us were Mustang fighters, and jet-like planes swept in under us, strafing and bombing every installation they could find.

One fighter crashed in flames just inland from where the Marines struggled to consolidate their beachhead. In the calm waters off the island, hundreds of ships maneuvered endlessly while old pre-war battleships—the New York, Nevada, Arkansas, Idaho and Tennessee—steamed in to support their squat gun platforms.

M. F. HEPBURN CHALLENGES DREW ON ANSWER GIVEN

Not "Proper Answer" Says Liberal Leader to Question on Family Allowance Bill

Toronto, Feb. 20 — (CP)—Mitchell F. Hepburn, onetime Ontario Premier who rejoined the Liberal party last fall, today said the answer to the question "reactionary" Progressive Conservative party leader yesterday carried his campaign to the floor of the Legislature.

The first House conflict between the Liberal House Leader and Premier Drew since the formation of the latter's Progressive Conservative government, turned on the controversial Federal Family Allowance Act.

A. A. MacLeod (Leb-Prog — Toronto Bellwoods) recalled a reference of Mr. Drew's of the measure as "iniquitous legislation," asked if that's were still the Ontario Government's attitude and if the statement proposed to block enforcement of the Act.

When the Premier replied that the question was answered with "at the proper time," Mr. Hepburn interjected that Mr. Drew after the Labor-Progressive Convention a "proper" answer.

Times Has Come

"We are sick and tired of the Premier's dilatory tactics," he said. "The time has come for challenges. Members must be members."

Premier Drew had persisted in these tactics despite the "sympathetic consideration" of non-government House members, "but certainly Legislature nor old man Ontario is going to be treated as identified on the twisted cross of reactionary Liberalism."

This final statement drew laughter from the government benches. Liberal members applauded the new C.C.F. were silent.

Mr. Hepburn, in setting the Legislature gave second reading to the Family Allowance Act, moved that substitute to direct ballot for the ballot vote for Ontario servicemen, including members of auxiliary services, in wartime elections.

Wards 'Crisis' Removed

E. B. Jolliffe, leader of the official C.C.F. opposition, urged action by the government to relieve the present "crisis" in food supply and distribution. The situation was such, he said, that another cold spell could bring "suffering to tens of thousands of homes throughout the province."

Premier Drew replied that his government was ready to alleviate the situation but fuel supply was entirely within Dominion authority under the War Measures Act. The Ontario government would continue to press for action by Federal authorities.

Number of Amendments

Attorney-General Blackwell, who introduced the active service electors measure, said a number of amendments — including provision for proxy voting by prisoners of war — would be introduced when the bill reached committee stage.

Mr. Jolliffe said the opposition favored the principle of the bill but did not agree to the section setting out that regulations of the measure would be drawn up by the chief election officer, said a number.

Today the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne is to be moved by Charles H. Martin (PC—Dufferin-Simcoe) who was elected to a Legislature seat in 1943 and is in the one by-election which has been held since the provincial general election of 1943. H. R. Scott (PC—Wellington) is scheduled to second the address.

It is expected Mr. Jolliffe will open debate on the Throne Speech tomorrow and that he will be followed by Mr. Hepburn, Liberal Progressive House Leader. Mr. Hepburn is expected to speak in the debate Thursday.

Say Plans Laid To Scuttle What's Left Of German Fleet

London, Feb. 20 — (CP) — The Moscow radio, quoting a Zurich dispatch from Stockholm, asserted yesterday the Germans had organized special demolition squads in Oslo and Bremen in anticipation of scuttling what remains of the German fleet.

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Gasoline Rations Are Unchanged For Coming Year

Ottawa, Feb. 20 (CP) — Gasoline rations for Canadian motorists will remain unchanged for the year beginning April 1, with little prospect of an early increase, Transport Minister Howe announced last night.

Under the present ration, each motor car registered for highway use is allowed an "AA" category license good for 40 units or 120 gallons of gasoline.

Special categories now in effect will remain basically the same but motorists who believed they are entitled to special categories must make a new application.

New gasoline ration books went on sale in a number of centres yesterday and will be available throughout Canada shortly.

Officials said 245 licence plates must be purchased before a new number will be issued.

Mr. Howe said in his statement that no improvement has been made in the Allied situation since last year, with the war "tremendous" demands of Allied oil resources.

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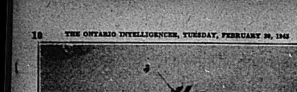
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Allan Mills

Allans Mills — Mr. and Mrs. Bert Anderson spent the weekend with friends at Cooper.

Mrs. C. Spry, of Madoc, visited Mrs. C. Lough and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lough.

Mrs. Harold Stiles is suffering from a heart condition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McKeown, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKeown and Carl, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkitt were Wednesday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKeown.

Mrs. Lorne Bateman of Peterboro visited Mrs. H. Mumby.

Mrs. Fred McKeown spent a couple of days with her mother, Mrs. John Morton who is ill.

Mrs. A. Redcliffe suffered a stroke recently.

Mr. George Sutherland has been busy in this vicinity with his seed cleaning machine.

Mrs. A. Williams is much improved from her recent illness.

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Movies at Sea Grip Navymen

Ottawa, Feb. 20 — (CP) — The sea-going movies of the turbulent North Atlantic are just as popular as the land theatres, even if it does sometimes take two men to hold down the projector and another to keep the screen steady on a rolling sea.

Few theatres anywhere serve a better purpose than the makeshift layouts in the mess decks of 17B ships of the Royal Canadian Navy where 16 mm. copies of major film productions are shown in all weather and latitudes from Halifax to North Russia.

These films for navy men are rented by the Royal Canadian Navy Film Society, a non-profit organization run entirely within the naval service to provide naval officers and ratings with film entertainment wherever they may be.

Films are rented by the ships and at sea and in remote ports are passed on from ship to ship.

Navymen in ships pay five cents each to rent the films they take to sea with them. This assessment works out to approximately $4 for a minesweeper and $19 for a destroyer. The cost in each case is fooled by the ship's canteen fund so the cash out-of-pocket expense to the man in the lower deck is nil.

WOULD WELCOME "STEP" TO CONFERENCE

Toronto, Feb. 21 — (CP) — Premier George Drew of Ontario said last night he has received "no information" concerning formation of a three-provinces bloc of MacHinbia, Saskatchewan and Alberta, to act in unison in federal-provincial relations. The Premier added, however, that he would welcome "any step" toward calling of a Dominion-provincial conference.

MONTGOMERY, CREERAR TOUR FRONT IN JEEPS

With British Troops In Normandy, Feb. 20 —(AP)— Field Marshal Montgomery and Gen. Crerar, commander of the 1st Canadian Army, toured the front in Jeeps yesterday as their forces with clearing Goch, important road hub in this sector of the Rhineland.

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Read

Read — Mr. Raymond Brennan back at work again after an attack of pneumonia.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Walsh on the arrival of twins—a daughter and a son.

The friends of Mr. John Tighe of Point Anne were sorry to hear of the death of his wife in Belleville General Hospital on Saturday.

Miss Rose Hanley of Belleville spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hanley.

Mr. Joe Walsh is in the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston. His many friends here hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. M. MacDermott returned home from Belleville where she spent the last couple of weeks.

Frankford

Frankford — The service to celebrate the World's Day of Prayer was held in the United Church Friday afternoon, Feb. 13th., a good representation from each of the churches of the town was present for the impressive service. The program for this world-wide prayer service was prepared by the Inter-Board Committee of the Women's Missionary Societies of Canada, and was taken on the theme "That we should show forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvelous light," 1 Peter 2:9. The scripture from 1 Peter 1:3-6 was read by Mrs. P. E. Bonisteel.

Mrs. J. R. Finnigan gave a brief paper concerning the origin and the meaning of this World Day of Prayer. She said that it was started in Canada in 1930 and by the year 1937 had become a world-wide day of intercession, and was celebrated in churches in occupied countries in Europe the year the program was censored leaving out all portions save any mention of the made of the war. In a few words she outlined the meaning of prayer and the part it plays and will continue to play in keeping the church of the Lord Jesus Christ the pillar of the world at peace with one another.

Mrs. J. A. Warren contributed a vocal solo "Prayer." The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison. Short periods of silent prayer were followed by brief extemporaneous prayers by Mrs. Cuttle and Mrs. Ellsworth.

The offering was taken by Mrs. R. J. Madill and Mrs. J. A. Warren. The Dedication Scripture was read by Mrs. J. J. Stickle and all repeated the dedicatory prayer in unison.

The singing of "The Day Thou Gavest, Lord is Ended" closed this prayer service which was held during one end of the world to the other uniting in all forty hours. The prayer of benediction was read by Mrs. Powell.

Bonarlaw

Bonarlaw — Pte. Donald F. Wellman of The Veterans' Guard, North Bay, spent several days last week with his father, Mr. C. Wellman.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Eastwood that their son, Sergt. Jack Eastwood, Flight Engineer, R.C.A.F., has successfully passed his exams and received his wings.

Mrs Lulu Brown, Reg. N., received word Thursday last that her sister-in-law, Mrs. (Dr.) Chapman Brown of Toronto, had suffered a slight stroke and left in Friday to assist in nursing her.

Mrs. Thos. H. Prest was admitted to the Belleville General Hospital on Thursday morning and underwent an operation Saturday.

The World's Day of Prayer was held at Springbrook Unitell Church on Friday afternoon, Feb. 16th., commencing at 3 p.m. The leaders were Rev. J. R. Richardson, Mesdames A. V. Brown, W. J. Barlow, W. Heath and Geo. Wellman. Prayers were taken by Mesdames Thos. H. McKeown, J. F. Baker, A. D. Runnalls, and Kenneth Thompson. Mrs. Jason Baker acted as organist.

The following were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Barlow on Friday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Mumby, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cosbey, and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Mumby.

Empey Hill

Empey Hill — Owing to blocked roads and no mail service there has been very little news. Since the drifting on February 7th there has been no automobile travel and after the storm of last week the boundary has been impassable even by horses. On Friday the timber road was opened by the bulldozer owned by H. McFarlane on. There was no church service on Sunday.

The condition of Mrs. Wilbert Winter, who is confined to her bed, remains about the same.

I.A.O. Smith and Mrs. Smith of Trenton and Miss R. Mowers of Ottawa were recent weekend guests of Mr. John Mowers and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherry Demille and Mrs. H. Demille were tea guests one evening of Mrs. R. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Hutchinson were dinner guests on Feb. 7th of Mr. and Mrs. P. Demille, Trenton.

Owing to the condition of the roads there have been no meetings of the Women's Association, W.M.S. or Women's Institute either in January or February.

Mrs. James Alexander of Kingston spent last week with her sister, Mrs. S. E. Winter and mother, Mrs. M. Detlor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stapley and children of Stanley, were tea guests one evening this week of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gaylord, Belleville Road.

A very large crowd attended the kitchen shower for Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Oliver in the Mount Pleasant hall on Friday evening recently.

Mrs. Henry Emery is spending several weeks with her sister, Miss Gertie Oliver, Roslin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynne Perry of Marmora were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hoard.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greaves and children were recent Sunday dinner guests at the Harvey Jones.

Marmora

Marmora — Mrs. Ryland of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Grant.

Cpl. Frances Silke, of the C.W.A.C., Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leal.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Henry spent a few days this week with their daughter, Mrs. L. Forestall, Trenton.

Sergt. Jules Ball, of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, is visiting his brother, Rev. L. C. Ball.

Mrs. S. Lawrence, and Mrs. H. Phillips have returned home after two weeks' visit with relatives in Toronto.

Rev. E. M. Cadigan and Mr. H. W. Sabine attended the Belleville Presbytery in Tabernacle United Church, Belleville, on Tuesday.

Mrs. William Tindell of Toronto and William Sweet of Holtyre are visiting their mother, Mrs. William Sweet, who is seriously ill at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Doyle have received word that their son, Harold Doyle, R.C.N.V.R., recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at Shaftesbury, N.S.

Born: At Mrs. Lawlor's Nursing Home, on Sunday, February 11th., 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Freeman of Marysville, a daughter.

Born: At Mrs. Lawlor's Nursing Home, on Saturday, February 10th., to Mr. and Mrs. William Neal, a daughter.

Born: At Mrs. Lawlor's Nursing Home, on Thursday, February 5th., to Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKinnon, a son.

On Wednesday evening the C.G.I.T. of St. Andrew's United Church entertained the mothers and members at a meeting held in the council chamber. The meeting opened with the singing of "O Canada," followed by a hymn. Miss Eleanor Regan, president, was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. R. M. Cadigan was the guest speaker. A short business session was followed by games, after which a delicious lunch was served and the meeting was closed with "Taps."

Thomasburg

Thomasburg — Mr. Irvine Bateman spent the weekend in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morton and other relatives. Mrs. Bateman returned home with him after spending some time with their daughter, Mrs. Morton.

Miss Emma Porter opened her home on Wednesday evening last for a meeting in the interest of the Sunday School and young peoples' work. Rev. W. J. Bradbury, B.A., B.D. Ameliasburgh Field secretary of the General Board of Religious Education was the special speaker. He was accompanied by Rural Dean W. J. Robinson, rector of Tweed parish and a number from St. James' Anglican congregation were present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. English spent last weekend in Port Hope the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bongard and Mrs. Morton English and David.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sherry of Belleville were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mouck.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coulter visited their daughter, Mrs. Harry Sills, of Roslin, who has recently returned home from Belleville hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dunning have left for their home at Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, after spending a couple of months with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Coulson and other relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Phoebe Kerr is visiting her sister, Mrs. Woodward in Trenton.

Rawdon

Rawdon — Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hendry, Toronto, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Charles Dracup and her sister, Mrs. Charles Morton and Mr. Morton.

Mrs. Percy Mumby is ill at her home in Rawdon.

Mrs. Bateman and Don Barton of Springbrook were accepted in the army at Kingston this week.

Miss Marion Rose attended the Eco Follies in Toronto recently.

Mr. and Mrs. James Linn and Miss Muriel Linn, Huntsville, spent this week end with Mrs. Linn's mother who is ill. On Tuesday evening they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morton.

A large number of Rawdon folk attended the Junior Farmers' Stat-



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Fortress Town On W. Bank of Oder Now Under Siege

Marshal Konev Continues Drive on Guben Stronghold

London, Feb. 21 (CP)—Red Army troops have captured the Polish town of Oesig, 17 miles northwest of Chojnice and 45 miles from Danzig, Premier Stalin announced today.

The city, on the main Danzig-Stettin railroad, was taken by troops of Marshal Konstantine K. Rokossovsky's Red White Russian Army.

To the south, Marshal Zhukov's troops, fighting to encircle Frankfurt on the Oder river 36 miles east of Berlin, have "temporarily" slashed the city's lifelines to the capital, a German military commentator said today.

The fortress town on the west bank of the Oder is under siege to the constant hammering of Russian artillery and bombers, said the report from Berlin. The city's fall, the ocean war reporter, Hans Arnim, .

Marshal Ivan Konev's 1st Ukraine Army continued to drive steadily westward toward the Neisse river stronghold of Guben and the southern end of Berlin's eastern defence wall along the Oder.

10-Mile Advance

Advancing as much as 10 miles through a heavily-forested region in the area of persistent German counter-attacks, Marshal Ivan S. Konev's troops yesterday captured the hamlet of Schegsth, eight miles east of Guben and 57 southeast of Berlin.

Four miles to the north Marshal Konev's right flank swept through Neuendorf, on the southern bank of the Oder five miles west of capital Sorau, and rolled on toward the point seven miles away where the Oder flows into the Neisse before swerving northward past Furstenberg, Frankfurt and Kustrin.

Capture of Crossen, announced in last night's Moscow communique, firmly joined Marshal Konev's northern flank to the southern prong of the front held and steadily strengthened for many weeks by Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's 1st White Russian Army east of the Oder.

Break Into Breslau

Marshal Konev appeared about to draw up with Marshal Rokossovsky by reaching the Neisse river.

In addition to Crossen, Moscow announced capture of two other large towns, Furstenberg and Charlottanstadt, and more than 80 populated places by Marshal Konev's troops.

More than 4,000 Germans were killed and 33 tanks knocked out as the enemy reinforced his defences at Christianstadt, Moscow announced. Survivors were scattered through the forests east of Guben.

The Germans reported that Soviet troops had broken into the town "and passed" and encircled Oder river cities of Frankfurt and Guben, but declared they were repulsed. Berlin asserted the Russians penetrated and spurred a counter ultimatum.

Gains of up to 12 miles were registered yesterday by Red Army forces driving through the Polish Corridor toward the Baltic port of Danzig. Fifty Polish Corridor towns were captured.

The Moscow communique said 1,500 Germans were killed and nine tanks and 30 cannon destroyed as encircled Graudenz, now 20 miles behind the Polish Corridor battle line. The Russians declared another 2,000 enemy troops were killed in hard fighting on the Samland Peninsula northeast of Koenigsberg, East Prussian capital.

In the mountains of Czechoslovakia some 60 miles due north of Budapest, Red army troops opened up a new drive, capturing more than 60 communities and advancing northwestward to within 12 miles of Banska Bystrica. Northwest of Budapest in the Danube valley route to Vienna the Russians were fighting on German counter-attacks east of Szekesfehervar.

DEMANDS DECLARATION

Windsor, Feb. 21 — (CP)—Gordon Grayden, Progressive Conservative House Leader, at a party meeting here last night, demanded an immediate declaration from Prime Minister Mackenzie King as to "whether it is the Federal government's intention to call a further recess of the House before the parliamentary term expires April 17.

THEY'RE DIVORCED



Sir Archibald Clark-Kerr, lower photo, British ambassador to Russia, whose decree of divorce has been granted in Edinburgh. The ambassador's wife was Maria Daia Solas, above, daughter of one of the richest Chilean families, of whom he was married in Santiago, in 1926. She was described as "the most beautiful girl in Santiago" and later in China was known as "pocket Venus."

Weather Forecast

Lake Superior—Fresh to strong winds with some snow and sleet today and Thursday; becoming colder again on Thursday.

Kenora and Rainy River: Cloudy with light snowfalls and flurries today and Thursday; colder again on Thursday.

Manitoba: Fresh winds; partly cloudy with scattered snowflurries; a little colder tonight. Thursday, generally fair and moderately cold.

GERMAN CLAIM UNCONFIRMED

London, Feb. 21 — (Reuters)—The German Transocean agency claimed last night that German torpedoes carrying aircraft yesterday sank 7 merchantmen, totalling 5,700 tons, two light cruisers and two destroyers, part of an Allied convoy on its way to Britain from Murmansk, Russia. There was no Allied confirmation.

Germans Guilty of Military Offences Formed Into 'Battalions of Damned'

By JAMES M. LONG
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Allied Supreme Headquarters, Paris, Feb. 21 (AP)—Hitler's army now is giving its suicide assignments to battalions of the damned, made up of German soldiers convicted of military offences, it was learned authoritatively today.

Instead of going to prison, they go back to the front.

Such forces are known to have been used against the Russian army. Employment of troops in American uniforms at the time of the Ardennes break-through indicated that the convict corps had been in action on the western front.

These troops get dirty jobs. They clear minefields under fire. They spearhead hopeless counter-attacks. They are thrown into attacks when other German troops have been stopped. They are forced to fight with the guns of non-convict officers and non-coms in their backs.

Hitler's officers do not follow the battalions of the damned into the certain fire. They lay the big safety behind and shoot down any who falter.

MARINES MOVING ON SECOND IWO JIMA AIRFIELD

Thirty Hours Ahead Of Schedule Troops Now Assisted by Newly-Landed Artillery

By AL DOPKING
(CP War Correspondent)

Guam, Feb. 21 (AP)—Approximately 2,650 Marines were killed or wounded in the first 48 hours of the battle for Iwo Jima, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz announced today as he reported the American made general advances ranging up to 1,800 yards on the island's central air field.

Admiral Nimitz, U.S. Pacific Fleet commander, listed approximately 2,500 men and 150 officers as casualties—killed, wounded and missing. He said 3,063 of the wounded have been evacuated, indicating about 600, were killed or missing. There was no estimate of Japanese losses.

Tank-led Marines, holding firm control of more than a third of the island, began an enveloping drive against the fighter field, known as Motoyama No. 2. The 5th Marine Division by-passed the southern tip of the field in a flanking move, preparatory to striking at it from the west, while the 4th Division pushed directly toward the centre of the airdrome.

Every yard of the advance was made under a steady hail of Japanese machine-gun, mortar, rifle and rocket-fire over wet, rocky slopes criss-crossed with revetments, pillboxes, blockhouses and reinforced sniper holes. Mines and tank traps were plentiful.

Along the entire line gains averaged 500 yards, with the most spectacular progress on the Japanese defences.

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WIDOW OF FIRST U.S. AIRMAN TO DIE OVER BERLIN TO WED

London, Feb. 21 —(CP)— Mrs. Rose Fiske, widow of the first American to lose his life flying for the R.A.F. in the war, is to be married to Lt.-Col. J. C. A. Digby Lawson, it was announced yesterday. The American was PO. William Mead Fiske, III, son of Wall Street of a New York banker. Mrs. Fiske formerly was the wife of Kit Carruthers, but her marriage to the Earl of Lonsdale in 1938. Lawson is the elder son of Sir Digby Lawson of Somerset.

2,000 FAGS FOR A NAG

Indianapolis, Feb. 21 —(AP)— Two cartons of cigarettes, a pair of 2,000 fags has found a pair of takers, James W. Burch and Ernest Wade, operators of a market here, yesterday they had made a "great bargain" when they had made a tobacco wholesaler for enough cigarettes to give them to D. B. Oakley of Howard County for a two-year-old horse.



NAZI LINER SUNK—7,000 DIE

Nazi liner, the 25,000-ton Wilhelm Gustoff, said to have been transporting about three thousand U-boat crewmen and nearly 5,000 refugees from eastern Germany, when it was sunk by a torpedo, according to Finnish radio. The ship was sunk in an attack after leaving Danzig, and only about 1,000 of those aboard were saved.

AMERICANS BLOCK BOTH ENTRANCES OF MAIN TUNNEL

MacArthur Says Fighting Has Cost Japanese 24,000 Casualties in Past Week

Manila, Feb. 21 — (AP)—Medley-al siege tactics, in modern guise were employed against trapped Japanese garrisons in Manila's thick-walled Intramuros and on Corregidor today as Gen. MacArthur announced the past week's fighting has cost the enemy 24,000 casualties.

Cannon and howitzers gnawed steadily at the 40-foot-thick outer wall of the Intramuros to cut an entrance for tanks and infantry seeking to eliminate the cornered enemy and liberate an estimated 7,000 civilians.

Gen. MacArthur said in his communique today that the enemy garrison in south Manila, now compressed into an area only 1,200 yards by 800, "is acting with the greatest savagery in its frenzy of mass combatants and private property."

On Corregidor, both entrances of the main tunnel were blocked by explosives and troops swarming over the tunnel poked through each up in search of the ventilation vents. When they find it the Japanese will be completely sealed off, their doom certain.

Fighting Still Bitter

Gen. MacArthur, describing the fighting in Manila as still bitter, underscored its severity by announcing enemy casualties of 22,000 for the six weeks of the Luzon campaign as against American casualties of 12,929 — 2,678 killed, 945 missing and 10,006 wounded.

Gen. MacArthur said a survivor of Manila disclosed that the Japanese occupation army thoroughly looted all private possessions and spared only shipped the stolen goods to Tokyo.

Four hundred Japanese, trapped on a ridge southeast of Japanese Fort William McKinley yesterday, refused an ultimatum to surrender.

Many Japs Killed

Planes and artillery opened on the enemy immediately and a nightfall many Japanese had been killed.

South of the Zambales range the Americans cleaned out Japanese pockets on the University of the Philippines campus in close-quarter fighting.

Heavy and medium bombers attacked Formosa "in force" despite additional flying training missions, dromes and industrial targets were bombed effectively. Fighters destroyed 13 locomotives and 50 rail cars in low-level sweeps.

SHELTER FOR ADMINISTRATOR

Hamilton, Feb. 21 (CP). — The chief problem of Hamilton's emergency shelter administrator is shelter for the administrator. After a month-long search office quarters were finally found for F. F. Treleaven, the administrator, but he won't be able to move into them until repairs are completed in about 10 days.

MONTE BELVEDERE IS CAPTURED BY U.S. TROOPS

Ropes Used at Times for Scrambling up Slopes of Mountain Terrain

Rome, Feb. 21 — (AP)—American troops striking over Italian mountain terrain so forbidding that at times they used ropes to scramble up the steep slopes, have captured Monte Belvedere and seven villages on the peaks west of the Pistoia-Bologna highway.

The Germans fought back viciously, but all counter-attacks were repulsed and the fighting for the dominant heights continues, an Allied communique said today.

Once before Allied troops had held the commanding, 3,500-foot peak of Monte Belvedere, but the Germans recaptured it last Nov. 29 and had held it since.

Patrols continued to be active on the rest of the Italian front, with no changes of positions reported. The Germans still were peppering Allied positions with propaganda leaflets.

The attack in the Belvedere area was launched Monday night. The mountain villages of Polla, Valpiana and Monte Pospolaccio were brought into the 5th Army lines.

While positions on Monte Abbacinello—the Pisso Lo Campino Ridge—west of Belvedere—still were being contested, the Germans launched a four unsuccessful counter-attacks.

In one of these, 90 of the enemy came forward with their hands raised as if to surrender, then dropped to the ground and opened fire. The Army troops drove them off with heavy losses. The 5th Army losses were described as extremely light.

U. S. ARMY BOMBER FOUND IN CANYON

Walla Walla, Feb. 21 —(AP)— An army bomber missing since last Thursday with seven men aboard was found in a canyon Monday. The 10 aboard were killed instantly, according to an announcement by Col. David Webb, commanding officer at the local field.

BOY OF 15 KILLED BY SHOT

Peil City, Ala., Feb. 21 —(AP)— Donald Gene Hollis, 13-year-old son of a couple with war plant jobs was shot to death at the family residence yesterday following an argument with his 14-year-old brother, officer Hal Rich reported. Rich said the boy fired accidentally in "something about the pressing of a pair of pants."

CHASE DEER INTO GARDEN

Fort Erie, Feb. 21 (CP)—Further evidence of the continued presence of deer in the Niagara area was reported yesterday in the last several years. It was revealed again when a resident noticed two deer and two wolves had chased a deer into the yard of his home. The woman succeeded in scaring the wolves away and providing temporary shelter for the deer.

REASSIMILATION CONFERENCE

Montreal, Feb. 21 —(CP)— The first National Reassimilation Conference will be held at Montebello, Que., April 7 to co-ordinate the reassimilation of members of the armed forces into industry.

BERCHTESGADEN, HITLER'S PRIVATE CITY, RAIDED

1,200 Bombers and 650 Fighters Hit Targets At Nuernberg For Second Straight Day

By HENRY R. JAMESON
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Rome, Feb. 21 (AP).—Rocket-firing Thunderbolts of the United States 12th Air Force made the first attack of the war yesterday on Hitler's private city of Berchtesgaden, mountain hideout high in the snow-capped Bavarian Alps, it was announced today.

The planes, sweeping in from Italian bases, pumped rockets into railyards at low levels, ripped rail tracks, cars and locomotives and smashed at other targets in and near Berchtesgaden, which map-be the most heavily fortified spot in all the Reich. They ran into intense flak and small arms fire.

While there was no official comment on the attack, it was speculated that the surprise strike was directed against the movement of top priority personnel, supplies and Nazi films from Berlin.

Assault Pattern

The assault fits into a pattern with two attacks yesterday and today from Allied and French bases by the U.S. 8th Air Force on the Leipzig marshalling yards and Nuernberg, 90 miles northeast of Munich, centre of former Nazi propaganda activities and an important rail junction. The extraordinarily heavy concentration of traffic at Nuernberg led to speculation that it might be a movement of government offices from Berlin, or a buildup for the defence of Vienna.

Hitler's retreat is at Obersalzberg (Upper Salt Mountain), in the edge of Berchtesgaden. The only previous Allied attack on the mountain was October top Nazi leaders have homes in the area, last occurred several months ago when a force of bombers hit Salzburg, Austrian border town just across from Berchtesgaden.

Troop Train Smashed.

The Thunderbolts knocked out a locomotive and 10 cars, indicating the attack. At Iowna nearby they set fire to a railway station and destroyed a troop train estimated to have 150 soldiers aboard, and destroyed or damaged nearly 50 rail cars, some loaded, with tanks.

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Hitler's retreat in Obersalzberg is reported to have been in readiness for months as an alternative to the Berlin headquarters.

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TWO BODIES FOUND

Northville, N.Y., Feb. 21 (AP)— Bodies of two men in the uniforms of officers' uniforms were found yesterday in the Long Island Sound shore. The British naval liaison office in New York said they undoubtedly were those of crew members of a Royal Navy plane missing with seven others since it had left Floyd Bennett Field, N.Y., for the Brunswick, Me., naval air station Saturday.

Cocker Spaniel Wanders 6,000 Miles to S. Pacific to Find Master

Pittsburgh, Calif., Feb. 21—(AP)— Joker, a black cocker spaniel, was a desolate little dog when his master, Capt. Stanley C. Rayé went off to war.

For 13 days he wandered restlessly around the Rayé home in Pittsburgh.

But Joker knew where he was going—to join Capt. Rayé.

Mrs. Rayé this week received a letter from her husband — 6,000 miles away on a South Pacific island.

Joker is with him and as excited as the captain at the reunion.

Capt. Rayé in his letter explained part of the mystery of how the little black dog reached his master, but Joker can't talk and the complete story will always be unknown.

The captain wrote his wife he was sitting in his tent on the island three months later when an officer came down the road leading a black cocker on a leash.

Rayé shouted one word: "Joker," was enough. The little dog's frenzy of joy persuaded the foster owner to surrender title on the spot.

Capt. Rayé said the officer told him he had found the dog walking through an army camp, hurriedly sniffing this way and that, although he were looking for someone. The officer adopted Joker and took him along with him to the Pacific.

Americans Drive 5 Mi. Toward Rhine Seizing 11 Towns

Within 2 Miles of Saarburg Key to Defences on Moselle

By JAMES M. LONG
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 21 (AP). — Scottish troops of the 1st Canadian Army captured the northern German fortress city of Goch today while in the centre of the Western Front the American 3rd Army advanced up to five miles in a broad sweep in the Moselle valley toward the Rhine, seizing 11 towns.

Third Army tanks and infantry thundered forward through the Eifel mountains on a 30-mile front. Vanguards reached to within two miles of the heavily fortified road centre of Saarburg, a key to German defences along the Moselle.

Suicide Squads Cleared.

In the north, the last enemy suicide squads were cleared from the ruined road centre of Goch, once a town of 13,500 and still the centre of eight military highways. The Scots thrust on 600 yards southwestward. Goch is eight miles south of captured Kleve, terminal of the original Siegfried Line, and 17 miles southeast of the Netherlands city of Nijmegen, whence the Canadian offensive started.

Beyond the once-bristling town lies a small open plain in which no fixed German fortifications have been noted.

British Empire troops fighting with Gen. Crerar's Command gathered momentum and drove deeper into the centre of German defences as reinforcement thrusts through Buchholt and Walverboom, villages four miles from Goch, swelling the total of approximately 10,000 the gains taken since the offensive began Feb. 8.

Take Easing Point.

On both the Canadian and 3rd Army fronts, clearing skies allowed planes to take off early to smash at the enemy. Hundreds of Allied planes flew toward the teeming Ruhr valley, 15 miles from Goch. The Ruhr is the beating point for the entire German defence system, struggling desperately to stem the steady pounding gains toward that arsenal.

British intelligence reported that 50 battalions were opposing the 1st Canadian Army, including Col.-Gen. Kurt Student had commanded the remains of his parachute army to the battle, scraping up infantry, tanks and other Germans from other sections of the Rhineland Western Front. All his troops were Elite or those drawn from the very young and infirm of the Volksturm and Volksgrenadier divisions.

Both the Rhine and the Meuse (Maas) rivers, like the Roer, were flooded between their banks and roads were hardening.

Five Tanks Destroyed.

Five tanks were lost in regaining ground lost to German counter-attacks yesterday near Uedem, destroyed five huge panther tanks, three armored cars and 40-millimetre guns and two half-tracks.

NOT AN EGGSHELL CRACKED

Meanwhile, Feb. 21 (CP)—Not an egg was broken when a transport truck loaded with hundreds of dozens of eggs toppled over on its side as it attempted to pass another vehicle on a narrow township road. The vehicle was towed back on to the road.

IN KEY AIR ROLE



London sources report that Air Marshal Sir Charles Portal, British air chief (above), who returned to England immediately after the Yalta conference, personally carried the instructions that started one of the greatest air offensives of the war — the attack on the Ruhr by Allied and Russian armies on both fronts.

25 Jap Vessels Sunk by U.S. Subs

Washington, Feb. 21 — (AP) — Twenty-five more Japanese vessels, including three combatant ships, have been sunk in the Eastern waters by United States submarines, the Navy announced today.

The warships were an escort aircraft carrier, a destroyer and a large converted cruiser.

Non-combatant vessels were a medium transport, 14 medium cargo vessels, three small cargo vessels, a large cargo transport, six tankers and a small transport.

The announcement raised to 1,045 the total number of Japanese ships sunk by American submarines since the start of the Pacific war. These included 26 combatant and 933 non-combatant craft.

Sinkings announced by the Navy since Jan. 1 have totalled 61 ships.

While not confirmed by the Navy, the converted cruiser listed in today's communique was believed to be one of the nation's pre-war 10,000-ton luxury merchant vessels.

Coming Events

BELLEVILLE HORTICULTURAL Society open meeting, Friday, February 23rd, at Y.M.C.A., at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome. F19,21,22,23

BINGO. $114 CASH PRIZES. Knights of Columbus Community, Thursday, February 22nd. Play-ular admission 25c, for 22 games. EVERY COVER-ALL. Extra Door Prize. Pot free game, prize $14. 4 special games, prize $3 each. Cross free game, prize $3. 20 regular games, prize $3 game. Please be seated early. Commence promptly 8.30. F21-24

A CLINIC FOR BLOOD DONORS will be held on Thursday, February 22nd, from 3.30 on. Plasma is more urgently required than ever. New donors and those whose appointments are overdue will be welcomed. All must abstain from fat at least six hours before donation. We would appreciate a large turnout this Thursday. F21

City and District News

WARN MERCHANTS NOT TO CASH ORDERS

Warning for local merchants to not cash postal money orders for persons unknown to them regardless of the strength of the ties which may be put forward, was issued today by Postmaster A. V. C. Trussell following reports from Kingston. Many bogus money orders have been passed in that city, Mr. Trussell says, travellers and furniture store proprietors are particularly warned to be on their guard against cashing orders for strangers.

Origin of the bogus money orders is believed to emanate from Toronto where some time ago blanks were issued in that city. Up until now the blanks have been filled out in $75 amounts and have been passed on unsuspecting merchants. The bogus money orders were passed in Kingston last week.

Local merchants approached by strangers seeking to pass money orders were advised to contact the local city police immediately in order that the guilty party may be apprehended.

WANTED ON CHARGES BREAKING, ENTERING

Wanted in Belleville on two charges of breaking, entering and theft, Harold Rimey of Toronto will be returned to the city today to face the above charges. Rimey was arrested by Toronto and convicted of larceny in that city and is at present undergoing a four-year jail sentence. It is wanted here on charges of entering the apartments of Mrs. W. Rathbun and St., and Miss Rosie Billings, Patrick St. Police have also Elmer Sisk a large quantity of valuable goods from Mrs. Latimer's home on Christmas day, the loot including a fur coat. Inspector, J. C. Hayes went to Toronto to return the prisoner for trial.

CHILD RUNS BETWEEN TWO PARKED CARS

Running between two parked cars on Young Street, yesterday afternoon, young Larry Joseph, 3, son of Mrs. Joseph Burnett, narrowly escaped serious injury when he dashed into the side of a north-bound motor car driven by Ray Belnap, 181 Albert Street. Although the lad was knocked to the street he did not suffer any serious injuries, Mr. Belnap reported to police.

Cars Damaged

Cars being driven along the Bay Bridge Road sidergated on Tuesday causing extensive property damage. The vehicles were driven by Sgdns.-Ldr. R. Scott of Mountain; Flying and Clarence Cornell, R. R. No. 7, Belleville. The matter was amicably settled between the responsible parties.

Fire Alarm Treacheres.

Otherwise on city streets several minor mishaps involving accidents were reported all the result of slippery conditions. Co-covered snow-blanks that fooled motorists. Practically all city streets making the traveling at a standstill for motor vehicles exceedingly treacherous.

POLICE BELIEVE CAR WAS STOLEN

City police removed a motor car from off West Dundas Street late yesterday following complaint that the vehicle was obstructing traffic. The vehicle carried license No. number F-L-381 and a registered in the name of Thomas Hill of Shannonville. The authorities is believed by police to have been stolen and abandoned when the supply or gasoline became exhausted. Mr. Hill was notified of the fact that his car had been towed to a local garage for safe-keeping today.

Excellent Musical Program Heard By Energetic Club

Presenting a galaxy of local musical talent of which Hastorudi of which has seldom been assembled on a Belleville platform, the Energetic Club of Holloway United Church staged its annual concert Tuesday evening with a splendid turnout indicating the depth of musical appreciation in this community by music lovers in the city.

Handled with artists among cross section musical talent in the city presented a varied program of vocal numbers and instrumentals for the appreciation of their music loving audience. During the program the artists were entertained by Energetic Club members in the church Sunday School room where the club president, Mr. Wm. Slavin expressed the club's appreciation to those taking part in the program, Mr. Alex. Gordon very capably responded on behalf of the artists.

Among those taking part in the program were Mr. James Sankier who by his own inimitable style was heard in six popular and classical numbers, and other vocalists were the popular boy soprano Ronald Elmy, and Mrs. Doris Burgess mezzo soprano who was heard in two classical solos.

Miss Leona Riggs and Mr. Alex Gordon demonstrated their ability as a piano duo and were heard in three solo numbers. Appreciated number while Miss Gena Hicks "tower" her way into the hearts of her audience as she played four different selections. Miss Ruth Hicks acted as piano accompanist for her sister.

Cornet solos were played by Jack Fenn and Don Charlton Bob Blakely of Trenton gave a Trombone solo, while Bob Stebbings rendered a number on the euphonium. Organ solos on the church organ were given by Mr. Alex Gordon, organist at Bridge Street United Church. Miss Leona Riggs acted as piano accompanist for the programme while Mr. Gordon accompanied other vocalists. Bouquets were presented by Miss Cecilia Maloney.

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McKEOWN'S DRUG STORE

H. & P.E. Regt. History Recounted To Kiwanis by RSM A. Duffy

"They consolidated their positions over there and we must consolidate our position here and with their shirt drives and themselves will have a decent way of life and a service worthy of their name," was the statement made by Regimental Sergeant Major A. Duffy, D.C.M., M.M., of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, from the time of its inception in 1899 until the present war, in an address to members of the Kiwanis Club at their weekly luncheon at the Quinte Hotel on Tuesday. It was one of the most inspiring talks that has been given to the club in many months and was delivered in a graphic manner by means of directives to every member of the regiment, as he included known to many, has distinguished himself in many battlefields, has won the Efficiency Medal and has been Mentioned in Despatches on the field of action. He served as R.S.M. for the 15th Battalion, Canadian Infantry, from the time of its inception in 1939 until he was wounded the second time, when he was brought to Hospital in England. He later went to France, Holland and Germany as headquarter's company.

Mr. Duffy spoke reverently for those of the sufferings of the men who did not get the original regiment. 5½ Years of Service.

After being introduced by Taylor Farnsworth, Mr. Duffy said he knew 2,000 men who would dearly love to be here to hear his address. "They have had 5½ years of service and they are glad to have served and have the will to win but they would rather be with their home," said the speaker. "Belleville looks pretty good to me with its well appointed streets and fine buildings. Everywhere I have missed for a long time. Belleville looks like a million dollars back to the declaration of war in 1939 when a small group volunteered for active service. They had the feeling explained to them by the speaker that it was their duty to go and hard. He stated there were 1,000 men in the city at the time in Trenton armouries, but from that number Hastings and P. E. Regiment has grown into the fighting force of the Canadian army.

Tale of Training.

The speaker told of the Regiment's training in England, when the men had to march through the streets with rifle route march at one time with-out rifles. It was experienced by the men that the human body could stand a lot of punishment" at that time was preparing for his campaign in Africa. "The Canadians of the First Division were the finest fighting element," said R.S.M. Duffy.

The speaker told of the battle drill came into existence. "After the Dieppe raid back from Dunkerque it was shown that British tactics left the infantry had to be changed, so the battle drill was introduced and this is the most important conditioning that is given by any army. Battle drill is taking this drill because live ammunition was accepted.

Hard to Keep up Morale.

"It was hard to keep up the morale of the men as we were not allowed to go overseas. Sometimes the men were kept fit by running up and down a 1,000-foot cliff every day without stopping After arriving in Sicily the Regiment went into rest action and distinguished itself on many occasions. He told of marching with rifle emplacements in 40 degrees of heat for sixty miles in four days and then without even catch up with the Germans but later the troops managed to overtake them and when spotting the Germans they had to dig in and shoot. The Germans pushed them somewhere to engage the Huns and pushed them back. "Who says there's no hell on earth? I've been there," he said. "I've been pushed down with seven feet of water in the trenches and unbearable told the men to get out and fight the next day. The next morning the position was taken and eighteen Germans were found dead around the emplacements. Machine gun and revolver were both empty. Later the troops moved up to Arnhem

Kinsmen Have Real Opportunity For Public Service After War Says Lt. Col. Sisler at Anniversary Dinner

A quarter of a century of national progress from the time of its inception in Hamilton 25 years ago, was observed Tuesday evening by the association of Kinsmen clubs across Canada when clubs throughout the Dominion changed their date of meeting that they might all meet at the same time on the date of their founding.

Program at each of the meetings was the same message from the national president and the Kinsmen founder Hal Rogers being read. Guest speaker at the Belleville meeting was Lt. Col. R. C. Sisler, manager of the local Dominion Bank here, who is one of the few charter members of the Kinsmen club.

Col. Sisler carried his audience back 25 years when a small group of Hamilton's young business men met and founded the Kinsmen Club as a club which is wholly Canadian. "24 Million Quarts of Milk."

He indicated that the virtues of Kinsmanship, friendship, and comradeship which are part and parcel of "Kin" really mean something. But in the 25 years of the association's existence its aims have become of national service. This efficiency and ability to serve has been tested during the present war, and has not been found wanting. The 24,298,199 quarts of milk sent overseas through the association's "Milk For Britain Fund" represented only a small part of the activities.

Problems of the future, however, were looming up as of equal or even greater importance than those of wartime and the speaker doubted that the people of Canada were ready for them. The youngest generation across Canada was called upon to carry the burden of leadership during the next few years and the speaker intimated that the association of Kinsmen Clubs with its membership scattered across Canada could be a powerful influence for good in planning the future.

The association could be a moulder of public opinion and this privilege must be kept aroused following the war. People then could not relax and forget about the strife and let the politicians settle the score. Rehabilitation Great Task.

Col. Sisler said that the last time," stated Col. Sisler, "We won the war, and lost the peace. The result was another war in twenty years. This must not happen again—we must make sure the terrible sacrifices of war are not in vain."

Well around 1,000 well-informed public opinion must be made to understand the problems of rehabilitation as planist. Among the guests at the meeting was Cpl. John Calhoun, recently returned home after five years overseas.



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3 Local Artists To Participate In Music Festival

Three budding young instrumental and vocal artists from this city are taking part in the second annual music festival being sponsored by the Belleville Kiwanis Club in the Royal York Hotel from February 19th, to March 3rd. The local entrants in the festival are John Fenn who will play violin concerto numbers; Donald Charlton who will also give a cornet number, and Robert Mahaffy on the trumpet in two vocal numbers.

More than 2,000 boys and girls will participate in the festival with the prize scholarships totalling $3,350 in scholarships to be awarded to competitors, who show most promises of future musical success. The scholarships are all in the form of tuition to assure the award will be used for the purpose it was intended. Young musicians from all parts of Ontario will take part in the festival. A final concert of winners is planned for March 9th, at Massey Hall in Toronto.

Lieut. Percy Gray Prisoner of War Of Germany

Reported missing following action in Italy last December, and while fighting with the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, Lieut. Percy Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gray of Delora, is now a prisoner of war in Germany, according to word received yesterday by his parents through the International Red Cross at Geneva. Word that Lieut. Gray was missing was received by his parents in Delora on December 27th. According to the information received Tuesday he is being held prisoner at Stalag 7-A Germany.

Lieut. Gray proceeded overseas approximately one year ago. His wife resides at Delora.

26th Anniversary Belleville Chapt. O.E.S. Observed

With approximately 300 members and guests present, the 26th anniversary of the Order of the Eastern Star, No. 55 was observed last Tuesday evening when charter members of the local organization were fittingly honored with suitable presentations from visiting officials. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Kathleen Adams, W. M., and Mr. Hayes Pitt, W.P.

Grand Matron, Mrs. Margaret Chambers, Grand Patron Mr. Fred Gilkeson and Grand Ada Mrs. Burgess of Toronto were among the visitors present with guests attending the meeting from Trenton, Napanee, Amelisburg, Windsor, British Columbia, and also the Minerva Chapter in Belleville.

The Worthy Grand Matron gave a lecture on patriotism and commended the Chapter on the part it had played in the work of the organization since its inception 26 years ago. The altar room was tastefully decorated in a patriotic motif with flags forming the background. Cutting of the birthday cake was presided over by the Grand Matron.

The evening's program was concluded in a social time and in dancing.

ELDERLY COUPLE INJURED IN COLLISION

An elderly Prince Edward County couple sustained injuries during a truck-motor car crash near Mountain View yesterday afternoon. The couple are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rorabeck, or R. R. No. 2, Mountain View.

According to Traffic Officer W. Hendren, who investigated, Mr. Rorabeck was proceeding on Provincial Highway No. 14 and was about to make a left hand turn into a county road to proceed home. The elderly gentleman made the turn in the fact of south-bound traffic with the result a transport, driven by George Hubbard, Picton, was in collision with the car, which was pushed some distance into the deep snowbank. Mr. Rorabeck sustained forehead injuries while Mrs. Rorabeck suffered from shock.

Traffic Officer Falls From Train Dies in Hospital

Traffic Officer Robert Duncan, of the Ontario Provincial Police stationed at Bowmanville, died in the Oshawa General Hospital today following an accident near Port Hope on Monday night when he fell from a C.N.R. train. As the result of his accident Constable Duncan sustained a fractured skull. Further, his face was badly lacerated and he also suffered from a fractured skull. He only regained consciousness for a short period yesterday.

Inspector Harry Storey, in charge of District No. 2 of the O.P.P., announced the death shortly after noon today. A wife and two small children survive. Prior to being stationed at Bowmanville as traffic officer, Constable Duncan was at district headquarters at Belleville.

Maj. Norrington Accepts Position In Calgary

Major Arthur Norrington, former Picton boy and recipient of the Original Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, has just concluded a long and honorable military career and has accepted an occupational counsellor with the newly-formed Department of Veterans Affairs. He is stationed at the Calgary District office.

Major ex-Carrying Place school teacher and Trenton insurance agent has ten years service with his regiment, three of them overseas during the present war.

Commissioned in 1936, he served as adjutant for a period of two years following the formation of the unit at the outbreak of war, he was appointed captain and adjutant. He proceeded overseas in 1939.

In Britain he served in various capacities and was a member of the expeditionary force of the 1st Brigade of the Canadian Army in France in 1940 during the down-fall of that country. He also took part in the ill-starred Spitzbergen raid. He returned to Canada in 1942, in command of the first prisoner-of-war escort troops to arrive in Edmonton, and was posted to M.D. 13 in 1943.

He was secretary of the Ottawa Hockey Association for a time, was the famous Allan Cup, emblematic of Canadian amateur hockey supremacy, and tas taken active interest in sports since he was a youngster.

Major Norrington's discharge from the army recently and was given a fine send-off by his fellow officers in the Calgary Garrison Officers' Mess. He was featured as "Star of the Week" over a Calgary radio station.

Flt. Lt. Jas. Follwell Organized R.C.A.F. Orchestra in Iceland

Away up in the ice-bound stretches of Iceland, Hekinga are hearing swing tunes these days.

Unbelievably enough, perhaps, Johnny Rakimo's igloo is resounding to the strains of "Don't Fence Me In," and other popular tunes, especially in the Reykjavik region.

Up there where members of the Royal Canadian Air Force are stationed in keeping with the northern outposts of Empire, a Canadian orchestra, organized and led by Flight Lieutenant Jimmy Follwell, of this city, has the whole Canadian orchestra, organized and led by Flight Lieutenant Jimmy Follwell, of this city, has the whole Canadian orchestra, from the army recently and was given a fine send-off by his fellow officers in the Calgary Garrison Officers' Mess. He was featured as "Star of the Week" over a Calgary radio station.

The War Today— Big Squeeze on Germany Likely To Be Intensified at Early Date

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Associated Press War Analyst)

Little Joe Goebels, Hitler's propaganda minister has been complaining that the Allies have ganged up on the Reich, and says Germany could win hands down if it could take on its enemies singly. Well, Joe, maybe I saw Joe he was spell-binding 3,000 Nazis in an outdoor meeting in Berlin, just before the armies joined forces. Impressed with his line of double-talk at the time—although he put on a good show—but it must me admitted he has something now. The Allies not only have ganged, but as I see it they're giving a remarkable display of military unity.

Full Allied Partnership.

Allied activities on both eastern and western fronts point to early intensification of the big squeeze on Hitlerdom. One of the most satisfactory aspects of this is that it represents a full partnership and concerted action. The Big Three are going in for the kill together.

Barring a great emergency the western Allies would be attempting an all-out offensive at this time. This is the season when the Rhine-land weather is at its worst—and that's mighty bad. The terrain is a sea of mud or is under water. The Allied troops—Canadians, British, French, Yanks—have had to fight in mud and water up to their necks at times, and actually have had to use amphibious equipment in some places which normally are high and dry.

West Allies Keep Attacking.

Nevertheless all of Gen. Eisenhower has kept on attacking and improving his positions in preparation for the big push, instead of waiting for decent weather with the beginning of April, only a few weeks away. The full weight of our armies is going on the western front to complement the Red drive.

We've had the good news that the flooded Ruhr river—last natural barrier between the Allies and the Cologne plain—is receding. The Roer was semi tumbling high out of its banks some days ago when the Germans loosed a great volume of water from huge reservoirs in order to stymie the Allies.

They may a few days in likely to see the Roer fairly-normal again, and then Gen. Eisenhower may send his men across the Dueren sector and start his drive onto the Cologne plain towards the Rhine. Meanwhile Field Marshal Montgomery's forces in the north, and Gen. Patton's American 3rd army in the south, are continuing to turn the German flanks, thus creating a great claw which is calculated to squeeze Nazi Marshal Von Rundstedt's armies out—onto the open Cologne plain where Allied armor can destroy them.

EMPLOYEE LACERATES FINGER ON LEFT HAND

While working at his employment at the Universal Moulded Company plant Front Street, Sidney Street had the misfortune to badly lacerate the middle finger on his left hand. The injury was of such a serious nature that the finger had to be amputated at the second joint after examinations were made at the hospital.

DR. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL for COUGHS, HEAD and CHEST COLDS

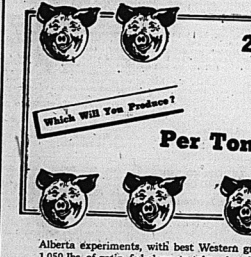
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SECRET REVEALED

London, Feb. 21 — (Reuters) — One of the most closely guarded British war secrets was revealed yesterday when it was disclosed that the distant reading gyro-magnetic compass, the wizard robot which made possible the successes of British and American bomb-aimers was fitted to all long-range bombers of the R.A.F., Dominions' Air Forces and the United States Army Air Forces.

GERMAN "WORLD MAP"

Oslaw, Feb. 21 — (CP) — Lieut. Dave Roscoe, with the 1st Canadian Army in Northwest Europe, has sent his parents here a German "world map" of the future he said he found in a former Nazi-controlled Netherlands' school. A big slice of Canada has been marked as German territory.



Alberta experiments, with best Western grain, show that it takes 1,050 lbs. of grain, fed alone, to take a hog from weaning to market. So 1 ton of grain fed alone barely produces 2 market hogs.

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"The Last Round"

Colorful Field Marshal Montgomery says something picturesque every time he speaks. Germans not being good sports in the ordinary meaning of that word and certainly unsportsmanlike as soldiers in battle and in treatment of overrun peoples and civilians could not of course understand him when he likened the present situation of the war in Europe to the "final round of a boxing bout." The Germans themselves do not go in for the national sports which Britons, Americans and Canadians enjoy. Some idea of the German relation to what is known as sport is the fact that a German uses the fake prize in the cicatrice or scar of a wound obtained in sabre duel usually fought in a school or military academy. There are rules of the sport, but the Hun in his relation to other peoples observes no rule but his dominating passion of scorn for the weak and those not German.

If ever there was a sportsmanlike character it is Marshal Montgomery. In his message to the troops of the 1st Canadian and 2nd British armies he speaks in the language of the boxing ring which his troops understand. Here are some of his words:

"We have won every round on points, we now come to the last and final round and we will go for the knockout blow.

"And again, 'The Battle of the last round will be that we continue fighting till the final count. There is no time limit. We know our enemy well; we must expect him to fight to stave off defeat possibly in the vain hope that we may crack before he does.

"But we will not crack; we shall see this thing through to the end.

"The last round may be long and difficult and the fighting hard, but we now fight on German soil. We have got our opponent where we want him; he is going to receive the knockout blow—a somewhat unusual one, delivered from more than one direction."

Then the Marshal quoted two lines of a poem written by a soldier of the 8th Army before public battle in North Africa, words defining the aims he realized the Allies are fighting for. The full poem follows:

Stay with me, God. The night is dark,
The night is cold; my little spark
Of courage dies. The night is long;
Be with me, God, and make me strong.

I know that death is but a door.
I know what we were fighting for:
Peace for the kids, our brothers freed.
A kinder world, a cleaner breed.

Help me, O God, when death is near
To mock the haggard face of fear.
That when I fall—if fall I must—
My soul may triumph in the dust.

This poem is from "Poems from the Desert," a collection written by members of the famous 8th Army serving in the western desert in 1942 and 1943 just published by the Oxford University Press. The volume contains 27 poems—one anonymous—of battle, of love and home, submitted to the army newspaper "Crusader" as the men were driving Rommel out of Libya. The poem the Marshal referred to was the only anonymous one in the book and is entitled "A Soldier—His Prayer."

Montgomery commented: "In the trying conditions of battle it is very important that we achieve this object so well expressed by a fighting man of the British Empire. And so we embark on the final round, in close co-operation with our American Allies on our right and with complete confidence in the successful outcome of the onslaught being delivered by our Russian Allies on the other side of the ring."

Then he commented, "somewhat curious rules, you may say, but the whole match has been curious. The Germans began this all-out contest and they must not complain when in the last round they are hit from several directions at the same time."

To the last he carries on the analogy of the ring, "Into the ring, then let us go and do not let us relax until the knockout blow has been delivered."

Goebbels' Wail

Goebbels has been lamenting that the United Nations have gone out to destroy Nazism by ganging up on Germany, saying "our enemies should be ashamed of themselves for attacking us at odds of ten to one."

There was a time that Goebbels did not feel the need of saying this but with Allied victories mounting and the last glimmer of hope of the Nazis pulling out with a compromised peace gone, he has to take a new line of defence before the German people.

Goebbels' defence now is that the Nazis are united against Germany. He neglects to say that they have done so to cleanse the world of Nazi savagery and warmaking of militaristic Germany.

Union of the freedom-loving peoples to destroy the Hitlerite wild beast is the best thing that has ever happened in the world for the enemy of humanity must be put out of business forever.

Goebbels did not mention the planned atrocities and treacherous assault of Germany upon nation after nation in trying to pick them off one by one until a great part of Europe had felt the aggressor's brutalities. Germany cowardly wanted to conquer the world piece by piece with her great might and by fear.

On the other hand it is the part of Allied wisdom to unite its greatest strength for the freedom of the world to down the enemy which has used its own brutal strength and any strength it could gather from the resources of overrun nations to try to conquer the world.

Hitler's savagery will be crushed and out of the unity of Allied powers will come, the world hopes and believes, such a powerful organization as that for democracy and freedom that Germany will never be able to make even an attempt to dominate the world. Let Goebbels whine or howl more about that.

Germany is to be taught that this world has no place for the aggressor and that he will be extinguished for good. Germany is not going to be allowed to plead that she was just using the methods of war to gain her ends and if she finds she is losing in the fight to win her foul purpose by any means open, that she be allowed to excuse herself, saying she did her best and expect an easy peace. Hitler won't be able to take off his uniform and say that the war is over and all will be friends. German aggression is criminal and for it Germany will be compelled to undergo punishment and to be so fenced in that she must learn, if that is possible, that she cannot flaunt the laws of nations.

The United Nations have the right to condemn Germany for her sinister plotting and diabolical purposes which have brought millions of men, women and children to death and caused a world to suffer. Germany removed herself from the association and interplay of nations by her foul lash against upon nation after nation in her selfish design for the glory of Germany and the grandeur of sovereignty which Hitler held. It is not a game but a sin and in a draw, in forgiving the worst criminals in history. The war as the Allies carry it on is a great court of judgment in which freedom, justice, sacrifice and brotherhood have brought the Germans to the bar of international justice. Its sound judgment will be that warlike Germany is irrevocably doomed because she chose the way of crime and that she must be condemned as a criminal and be made to bear punishment for the enormities she has committed against neighbor nations and the world.

Steel Pins

(Chicago Daily News)

Sheer hosiery woven from cobwebs of spun steel is promised by a spokesman of the steel industry.

This imparts a new connotation to the term "steel shank," but it remains to be seen whether the metallic stockings will exert a greater magnetic attraction to the wolfish eye than those woven from silk, rayon or nylon. The effect of the stocking rather than the package itself will probably continue to be the determining factor.

Not even a gossamer of piano wire could do much for that type of gam.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST
(Copyright, 1944, Edgar A. Guest)

"THIS IS IT!"

"This is it!" the youngsters say
When the battle comes their way.
"This is it!" for which we've trained!
Lord, may victory soon be gained.

"This is it!" and none can say
He will see another day.
"This is it!" Lord, help us now
Strength to fight it through, somehow.

"This is it!" The furious heat
Calm instructors said we'd meet,
And unto the best they knew
Tried to teach us what to do.

"This is it!" They said in school,
Facing danger's hour: 'Be cool!
Keep your head and use your wit!'
Okay, fellows! 'This is it!'"

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM-OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS

20 YEARS AGO

FEB. 21ST, 1925.

Belleville post office is probably the oldest in Canada. In point of age the post office was opened here in 1816 under the name of the Bay of Quinte. Nineteen years later before Hamilton, London, Brantford and St. Thomas were provided with post offices. These dates are taken from the postal records at Ottawa.

Col. W. N. Ponton and Mr. Arthur McCle have been appointed by the Board of Education as delegates to the Urban Trustees' Association meeting to be held at Toronto this week.

The sum of fifty dollars each has been voted by the Board of Education to the boys' and girls' athletic clubs in connection with the high school. Mr. Alexander Bone declared at the meeting of the Board that the Belleville boys and girls are ably depicted in the way of winter sports, slides and so forth.

Mr. Chester R. Hazen, M.P. for West Hastings, was elected at a banquet tendered to him by friends at Hotel Quinte, Mr. R. B. Collins acted as chairman. Two ministers of the Dominion Government were present, viz., the Hon. E. Lapointe, Minister of Justice, and the Hon. James Sharpe, Minister of Labor.

30 YEARS AGO

FEB. 21ST, 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ketcheson, residents of Madoc for some time, have taken up residence in this city.

The new barber shop in the Pappas Block, Front street, has been leased to Mr. Felix Dipoma, formerly of Trenton.

Messrs. D. Ketcheson and Arthur Johnson, of the 21st battalion, Kingston, are home on a week's leave.

Mr. W. A. Carson of Napanee, was a visitor in town today.

Mr. Ernest Hall today for Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thrasher of Thrasher's Corners, were presented with an address accompanied by a gift of a handsome china cabinet, prior to their departure to take up residence in Belleville. A large number of friends were present at the gathering. The address was signed by Mrs. John Lastone and Mr. W. Simmons.

40 YEARS AGO

FEB. 21ST, 1905.

Mr. N. Baldwin Falkiner, barrister, will be absent from the office for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Ostrofsky, formerly Miss Dunn of this city, now of Montreal, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. W. B. Henney, wife of the Rector of Christ Church, is visiting relatives in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor of Salt Lake City, are visiting the former's parents here in Cortyville.

Messrs. Stewart Lesler and Harry Coon, were home from Queen's University, Kingston, to spend the week-end.

Mr. Fred Armstrong was in town today.

Mr. W. J. Thalman has been appointed assignee and collector of the city gas works.

50 YEARS AGO

FEB. 21ST, 1895.

About four inches of snow fell during the night and it is now a bit winsome.

There is a few soon in town and he is picking up many dimes and is placing his banjo in the various hotels.

Mr. J. C. Lake drove out today in a cutter of the new kind that will run in connection with Bridal Quinte Railroad to the city was a sparkling team of greys and some turnout certainly makes a fine appearance. The new cars manufactured in this city by Messrs. Meyers & Orr are very handsome.

Mr. John B. Fox of West Huntingdon, was in the city today.

Mr. J. R. Mills went to Toronto today.

Mr. James Haggerty, M.P.P., has left to attend the opening of the legislature in Toronto.

Pyle Tells of His Book and Movie

By ERNIE PYLE

San Francisco—I think it perplexable to mention in this column the two big things that have grown out of the column, and that many people ask me about them. They are the book "Brave Men" and the movie, "Story of G. I. Joe."

First for the book. It was almost impossible for you to buy on new in late December and early January. That was because of the paper rationing. The publishers, Henry Holt & Co., simply couldn't get scarce or steel enough paper.

Holt's finally succeeded in printing 230,000 in 1944, and they were all sold before they were printed. In addition, the Book-of-the-Month Club printed 415,000 which I understand is their largest single printing sale in history. (No harm in a little bragging, is there?)

On New Year's Day the 1945 paper quota opened, and Holt's began a new printing of a quarter of a million. They go out to bookstores over the country in monthly drblets of about 20,000 so you should be able to find the book by the time this is printed. Provided, of course, that you still want it. And if you don't I'll send my hatchet man around to chop your head off.

Holt's say the book will sell a million by late spring. The previous book "Here Is Your War" in past a million and a quarter. Don't you wish you were a great big writer and had author like me?

I finally got around to reading "Brave Men"—myself—something which I've not yet succeeded in doing to "Here Is Your War." I read it for the purpose of making typographical corrections, and bringing little incidents about the men in it up to date, for later printings.

And when I finished, I counted up and found that 18 of my friends in it had been killed. Others had been wounded to varying degrees. That many I know of, that is. Probably others have written me. Doubtless there are many more that I haven't heard about.

While I'm writing about the book, I want to use this device to express my reverence for the hero we kind. I had intended writing about him in the letter, but hell there are lots of things I intend to do.

There aren't many experiences more pleasant than reading nice things about your book, and the book reviewers were certainly gentle with me.

Old wartime acquaintances, such as Hemingway and Ira Wolfert and Quentin Reynolds, put a lump in my throat by the nice things they said. And others by people I've never known were touchingly beautiful. To every one of you who wrote so feelingly about this book herewith is my deep gratitude.

So you know the book, except for the last chapter, was simply a reprint of the columns I'd sent back from the places from Sicily, Italy, England and France.

No changes were made in them. But in some instances they were supplemented in order to put similar subjects all in the same chapter. This work was done by a meticulous little creature who works for Holt's, named Judy Underhill.

The other big hands in the publishing of the book were Holt's editor, Bennett Cerf, Helen Taylor and Bill Sloane, both of whom made some good friends through our slight association on these two books. The title "Brave Men" was given the book by the late Ben Miller, of Scripps-Howard Newspapers.

First proofs were flown to me in France in early August, and I made and called back what corrections I could. I wrote the last chapter in France in August and called it back. By the time I got back to Paris the printing of the pages.

The very first copy was autographed by all the Holt's people who work in the Trade Department, and sent to me in Albuquerque. I sent a few copies to friends overseas, give a few hundred to friends in America, and have since autographed about 1000 more around the country.

Once I autographed 176 books in 40 minutes. And however the end I'd have to stop and think to spell my name. Sometimes I haven't known where I am, and often I don't know who I am. Oh goodness, oh goodness!

And now about the movie which is being finished in Hollywood from the war fronts over the last two years.

Well, the movie is finished at last. I finished shooting is finished. But there's a lot of cleaning up to be done, and it was no easy job. Many of those scenes that a film isn't ready to show for about three months after they've finished shooting. So I don't expect myself to seeing it till April or May.

They are still calling it "The Story of G. I. Joe." I never did like the title, but nobody could think up a better one, and I was too lazy to try. There is still a possibility they'll change it, and I hope they do.

It is a movie about the infantry. That's all I know about it. I wrote it, and there's no conventional love interest whatever in it.

The War Department co-operated, and furnished jeeps, trucks and soldiers who were moved to Hollywood, plus lots of equipment such as trucks, tanks, guns and what-not.

The soldiers all grew beards, and although they got awfully itchy, they have given up the idea of wood sure do go for a soft floor! Anyway, the only tragedy was when one soldier's beard was shaved off one day, and he got pretty badly chewed out. I don't remember if he got a Purple Heart for that or not. I always mean to look it up in the picture were played by professional soldiers. Only two or three small soldiers were played by real soldiers. As was expected, a couple of the real soldiers were killed before the "finis" as actors. By the time you see the picture, however, all of the soldiers in it will be fighting somewhere.

I spend a week in Hollywood seeing into the picture, and then another week in December, and finally a couple of weeks in March. I've always kept razor-sharp.... the time I've been in Hollywood. They give me injections, slowly.... then they the injection does not hurt are very careful with the doctor and send others. I'm essential for something. I'm a painless. The physician using this method gets better results, says his patients are frequently as may be unnerved and gets better co-operation.

Third, last observation is significant. If the doctor sees the patient frequently and the patient co-operates, the doctor becomes more intimately to every satisfactory, whether it is considered psychiatric injections or encouraging pats on the back or sympathetic words.

There is a good deal of wisdom and professional sagacity in the good doctor's unwillingness about this method of administration, although if I were the patient I'd prefer to take vitamin B-complex by mouth and I'd expect better results from it than I'd expect from any amount of vitamin B1 alone administered by injection. But then, I don't believe there is anything mysterious about "shots." Do you?

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Saccharin

Unable to obtain sugar, a woman substituted saccharin in tea, coffee, etc. Soon she began to feel irritable and nervous and unable to sleep well nights. Her doctor said it was due to the saccharin.

(Miss C. D.)

Answer—I believe the use of up to five grains of saccharin a day as a sweetener is safe, and the like, in place of sugar, never does harm. Are you sure?

Leg Cramps

Ben Told you to consult a reader regarding cramps in the legs. May I suggest that you repeat the recommendation? I suffer cramps during the night. ....57, have had colitis for several years.

(T.D.A.)

Answer—Dietary restrictions imposed by the sickness or other causes, have very likely cut down the amount of vitamin B1 intake. Many people get insufficient calcium in their diets. Suggestions in pamphlet "Adult Dietary and Cramps" will be mailed on request if you inclose a stamped, addressed envelope. Clipping of this item is not essential for answering your diet sheet with a good daily ration of calcium and B1. Dr. Vitamin D is essential for calcium absorption.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

ABSENTEE FIRST LADY

There was once a "First Lady of the Land" who was absent all of the time that her husband was President of the United States. She never laid eye on him, but he was President.

William Henry Harrison, 9th President, died before his wife was able to join him in the White House.

Mrs. Harrison married in 1795 at North Bend, Ohio, the daughter of Col. John Cleves Symmes, Revolutionary soldier and member of congress. Their home was in the Northwest Territory of the Miami Settlement in Ohio.

The Harrisons had ten children—six boys and four girls.

When Harrison was elected President in 1840 at the age of 68 he was 68 years old, and his wife was 64.

General Harrison, the hero of the battle of Tippecanoe with the Indians, was a fine soldier and a popular man in the United States, strapping, perhaps handsome, and energetic.

The makeup men shaved his head and powdered his face and age made him up so well that he's even called "Old Tippecanoe."

The picture was directed by "Wild Bill" Wellman, one of Hollywood's top men. Wellman is a demanding director, wild with enthusiasm, and everything is done to produce the greatest thing he ever saw in his life. Which is, thank God, usually goodness, he thinks this picture will be the greatest.

The picture was produced by Lester Cowan, an independent. Through United Artists, which is releasing picture, poor Lester will have to wait for his money until after the million irate soldiers. If it isn't a hit Lester can then be can float on air for years.

Another anonymous person whose hand has been guiding the picture is an old Indiana school friend of Lester's named Dan Cavanaugh. Being one of my closest friends, he quit writing and went to work for Cowan, largely to insure, as Lester says, that Cavanaugh didn't loose Pyle up."

But in spite of Cavanaugh's innate good sense began to make Lester's production difficult, however, and in the end they have leaned on me, Dan, Wellman, Cowan, Cavanaugh, being a farmer. I've been a writer at Hollywood, but he's got a feeling for the eye that looks permanent to me.

When the picture is finally ready for release, they hope to fly a print across the Pacific, a print to the little world premiere of Vincennes, Indiana, where the fighting infantrymen somewhere in the world.

But there won't be any single premiere in America. It will open simultaneously in 100 cities. My little old hometown of Dana, Ind., and my new hometown of Albuquerque will of course be among them.

The theatre manager in Dana has volunteered to let my Father and Aunt Mary in free on condition that they think this is sure mighty nice, and they'll probably take him up on it.

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

SO YOUR TAKING SHOTS?

Injection of medicine under the skin (hypodermic, subcutaneous) or, by plunging the syringe needle straight in to the hilt so that the liquid is injected into muscle—this is generally the simplest, most painful way—or intravenous injection (inserting the needle into a vein and letting blood for a Wassermann test or taking blood from a donor) has some advantages and disadvantages.

Advantages of hypodermic administration are accuracy of dose, rapidity of action, availability (when for some reason medicine cannot be given by mouth or is not retained by the patient. Disadvantages of hypodermic administration are comparatively unimportant, the chance of infection due to ignorance or failure to apply aseptic technic just as though for a vaccination, the chance of injuring a nerve by injecting the medicine into it, and the remote chance of injecting the medicine directly into the blood in a vein, which would make an embolism (clot) and provided the injection is made slowly, it should be safe in every instance.

On the other hand, I quote from a personal communication from a physician who does not entirely agree with my teachings about "shots." He writes:

"Dear Doctor Brady:

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LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM-OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS

20 YEARS AGO

FEB. 21ST, 1925.

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Col. W. N. Ponton and Mr. Arthur McCle have been appointed by the Board of Education as delegates to the Urban Trustees' Association meeting to be held at Toronto this week.

The sum of fifty dollars each has been voted by the Board of Education to the boys' and girls' athletic clubs in connection with the high school. Mr. Alexander Bone declared at the meeting of the Board that the Belleville boys and girls are ably depicted in the way of winter sports, slides and so forth.

Mr. Chester R. Hazen, M.P. for West Hastings, was elected at a banquet tendered to him by friends at Hotel Quinte, Mr. R. B. Collins acted as chairman. Two ministers of the Dominion Government were present, viz., the Hon. E. Lapointe, Minister of Justice, and the Hon. James Sharpe, Minister of Labor.

30 YEARS AGO

FEB. 21ST, 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ketcheson, residents of Madoc for some time, have taken up residence in this city.

The new barber shop in the Pappas Block, Front street, has been leased to Mr. Felix Dipoma, formerly of Trenton.

Messrs. D. Ketcheson and Arthur Johnson, of the 21st battalion, Kingston, are home on a week's leave.

Mr. W. A. Carson of Napanee, was a visitor in town today.

Mr. Ernest Hall today for Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thrasher of Thrasher's Corners, were presented with an address accompanied by a gift of a handsome china cabinet, prior to their departure to take up residence in Belleville. A large number of friends were present at the gathering. The address was signed by Mrs. John Lastone and Mr. W. Simmons.

40 YEARS AGO

FEB. 21ST, 1905.

Mr. N. Baldwin Falkiner, barrister, will be absent from the office for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Ostrofsky, formerly Miss Dunn of this city, now of Montreal, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. W. B. Henney, wife of the Rector of Christ Church, is visiting relatives in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor of Salt Lake City, are visiting the former's parents here in Cortyville.

Messrs. Stewart Lesler and Harry Coon, were home from Queen's University, Kingston, to spend the week-end.

Mr. Fred Armstrong was in town today.

Mr. W. J. Thalman has been appointed assignee and collector of the city gas works.

50 YEARS AGO

FEB. 21ST, 1895.

About four inches of snow fell during the night and it is now a bit winsome.

There is a few soon in town and he is picking up many dimes and is placing his banjo in the various hotels.

Mr. J. C. Lake drove out today in a cutter of the new kind that will run in connection with Bridal Quinte Railroad to the city was a sparkling team of greys and some turnout certainly makes a fine appearance. The new cars manufactured in this city by Messrs. Meyers & Orr are very handsome.

Mr. John B. Fox of West Huntingdon, was in the city today.

Mr. J. R. Mills went to Toronto today.

Mr. James Haggerty, M.P.P., has left to attend the opening of the legislature in Toronto.

Pyle Tells of His Book and Movie

By ERNIE PYLE

San Francisco—I think it perplexable to mention in this column the two big things that have grown out of the column, and that many people ask me about them. They are the book "Brave Men" and the movie, "Story of G. I. Joe."

First for the book. It was almost impossible for you to buy on new in late December and early January. That was because of the paper rationing. The publishers, Henry Holt & Co., simply couldn't get scarce or steel enough paper.

Holt's finally succeeded in printing 230,000 in 1944, and they were all sold before they were printed. In addition, the Book-of-the-Month Club printed 415,000 which I understand is their largest single printing sale in history. (No harm in a little bragging, is there?)

On New Year's Day the 1945 paper quota opened, and Holt's began a new printing of a quarter of a million. They go out to bookstores over the country in monthly drblets of about 20,000 so you should be able to find the book by the time this is printed. Provided, of course, that you still want it. And if you don't I'll send my hatchet man around to chop your head off.

Holt's say the book will sell a million by late spring. The previous book "Here Is Your War" in past a million and a quarter. Don't you wish you were a great big writer and had author like me?

I finally got around to reading "Brave Men"—myself—something which I've not yet succeeded in doing to "Here Is Your War." I read it for the purpose of making typographical corrections, and bringing little incidents about the men in it up to date, for later printings.

And when I finished, I counted up and found that 18 of my friends in it had been killed. Others had been wounded to varying degrees. That many I know of, that is. Probably others have written me. Doubtless there are many more that I haven't heard about.

While I'm writing about the book, I want to use this device to express my reverence for the hero we kind. I had intended writing about him in the letter, but hell there are lots of things I intend to do.

There aren't many experiences more pleasant than reading nice things about your book, and the book reviewers were certainly gentle with me.

Old wartime acquaintances, such as Hemingway and Ira Wolfert and Quentin Reynolds, put a lump in my throat by the nice things they said. And others by people I've never known were touchingly beautiful. To every one of you who wrote so feelingly about this book herewith is my deep gratitude.

So you know the book, except for the last chapter, was simply a reprint of the columns I'd sent back from the places from Sicily, Italy, England and France.

No changes were made in them. But in some instances they were supplemented in order to put similar subjects all in the same chapter. This work was done by a meticulous little creature who works for Holt's, named Judy Underhill.

The other big hands in the publishing of the book were Holt's editor, Bennett Cerf, Helen Taylor and Bill Sloane, both of whom made some good friends through our slight association on these two books. The title "Brave Men" was given the book by the late Ben Miller, of Scripps-Howard Newspapers.

First proofs were flown to me in France in early August, and I made and called back what corrections I could. I wrote the last chapter in France in August and called it back. By the time I got back to Paris the printing of the pages.

The very first copy was autographed by all the Holt's people

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

SO YOUR TAKING SHOTS?

Injection of medicine under the skin (hypodermic, subcutaneous) or, by plunging the syringe needle straight in to the hilt so that the liquid is injected into muscle—this is generally the simplest, most painful way—or intravenous injection (inserting the needle into a vein and letting blood for a Wassermann test or taking blood from a donor) has some advantages and disadvantages.

Advantages of hypodermic administration are accuracy of dose, rapidity of action, availability (when for some reason medicine cannot be given by mouth or is not retained by the patient. Disadvantages of hypodermic administration are comparatively unimportant, the chance of infection due to ignorance or failure to apply aseptic technic just as though for a vaccination, the chance of injuring a nerve by injecting the medicine into it, and the remote chance of injecting the medicine directly into the blood in a vein, which would make an embolism (clot) and provided the injection is made slowly, it should be safe in every instance.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

ABSENTEE FIRST LADY

There was once a "First Lady of the Land" who was absent all of the time that her husband was President of the United States. She never laid eye on him, but he was President.

William Henry Harrison, 9th President, died before his wife was able to join him in the White House.

Mrs. Harrison married in 1795 at North Bend, Ohio, the daughter of Col. John Cleves Symmes, Revolutionary soldier and member of congress. Their home was in the Northwest Territory of the Miami Settlement in Ohio.

The Harrisons had ten children—six boys and four girls.

When Harrison was elected President in 1840 at the age of 68 he was 68 years old, and his wife was 64.

General Harrison, the hero of the battle of Tippecanoe with the Indians, was a fine soldier and a popular man in the United States, strapping, perhaps handsome, and energetic.

The makeup men shaved his head and powdered his face and age made him up so well that he's even called "Old Tippecanoe."

The picture was directed by "Wild Bill" Wellman, one of Hollywood's top men. Wellman is a demanding director, wild with enthusiasm, and everything is done to produce the greatest thing he ever saw in his life. Which is, thank God, usually goodness, he thinks this picture will be the greatest.

The picture was produced by Lester Cowan, an independent. Through United Artists, which is releasing picture, poor Lester will have to wait for his money until after the million irate soldiers. If it isn't a hit Lester can then be can float on air for years.

Another anonymous person whose hand has been guiding the picture is an old Indiana school friend of Lester's named Dan Cavanaugh. Being one of my closest friends, he quit writing and went to work for Cowan, largely to insure, as Lester says, that Cavanaugh didn't loose Pyle up."

But in spite of Cavanaugh's innate good sense began to make Lester's production difficult, however, and in the end they have leaned on me, Dan, Wellman, Cowan, Cavanaugh, being a farmer. I've been a writer at Hollywood, but he's got a feeling for the eye that looks permanent to me.

When the picture is finally ready for release, they hope to fly a print across the Pacific, a print to the little world premiere of Vincennes, Indiana, where the fighting infantrymen somewhere in the world.

But there won't be any single premiere in America. It will open simultaneously in 100 cities. My little old hometown of Dana, Ind., and my new hometown of Albuquerque will of course be among them.

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F.D.R. Conferred With 3 Middle East Rulers

Washington, Feb. 21 (AP)—President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill have "conferred anew on strategic problems in the Pacific where Russia officially continues her role as a "neutral power," it was announced today.

The whole dramatic story of the President's journey through the middle east after the eight-day Yalta conference was told in a lengthy dispatch released by the White House.

Aboard a United States man-of-war in Great Bitter Lake in the Suez Canal, Mr. Roosevelt received three storied rulers of eastern countries—King Farouk of Egypt, Emperor Haile Selassie I of Ethiopia and King Ibn Saud of Saudi Arabia.

Russia's future role in the Pacific has been a subject of speculation since the United Nations conference was set for San Francisco April 25. That date is the limit for Moscow to give Japan official notice if Russia wishes to denounce the non-aggression pact with Tokyo. Otherwise, the treaty renews itself for five years.

Meets Ambassador.

Ambassador John G. Winant also met the President in the Middle East travelling by air from Teheran.

Two more ambassadors, Jefferson Caffery, now Paris, and Alexander Kirk from Rome, were met by the President's party.

Mr. Roosevelt was reported to have brought the three ambassadors up to date on what took place in the Crimea conference as well as to whether them fully regarding his meetings with the rulers of Egypt, Saudi Arabia and Ethiopia.

The conference with Mr. Churchill at Alexandria, while lasting less than four hours, was described as permitting "new and important discussions at least one of which they could not take up before."

It added:

"That had to do with Japan and the war in the Pacific where Soviet Russia is a neutral power."

Determined to Smash Japs.

The statement said Mr. Churchill told the President "in blunt words that his government was determined to throw everything it had at the Japs as soon as Germany has been defeated and, meanwhile, would do all it could to strengthen its forces already engaged in that conflict."

Newspapermen were cautioned not to speculate on the whereabouts of the President at this time. It was stated, however, that when the President reaches the White House he will have travelled about 14,000 miles, more than half way around the world.

At Simferopol, the statement said, Mr. Roosevelt saw "scenes of stark destruction by the Germans" and lacked words to describe adequately such devastation.

"Only six buildings out of thousands," it added, were left in useful condition when the Germans fled.

Next morning the President motored to an air field where Foreign Commissar Molotov and a guard of honour bade him farewell.

Meets King Farouk.

Aboard a warship at anchor at Great Bitter Lake, Mr. Roosevelt received King Farouk shortly before noon. Guests included Admiral William D. Leahy, the President's Chief of Staff; Mr. John Boettiger, the President's daughter; and Harry Hopkins, his special assistant. Emperor Haile Selassie was received later in the afternoon.

In his talk with the Emperor the President was said to have stressed communications between the United States and Ethiopia, particularly by air. The two countries would come to know each other better, the Emperor, White House said, "enthusiastically endorsed the President's hope for closer relations."

In conversations earlier with the Egyptian King, Mr. Roosevelt referred to large American purchases of long-staple Egyptian cotton during the war. The White House said also "stressed the hope that greater increased exchange of other commodities would be developed in the future."

"Unprecedented Honor."

King Ibn Saud travelled more than 500 miles from Jidda on the Red Sea to meet the President, the White House said it was the first time in his life he had left his country's soil—a fact interpreted by spokesmen of his party as "an unprecedented honor" for the President.

A destroyer was put at the King's disposal for the trip. It was reported in the Arab world's warship history to enter the port of Jidda as well as the fact Ibn Saud's men vet set of its kind to pass through the Suez Canal during this war.

The discussions were described as being in line with the President's desire that heads of governments throughout the world "should get together from time to time to talk as friends and exchange views in order to better understand the problems of one another."

Murder Charge Is Preferred

Toronto, Feb. 21 — (CP) — Antonio Urban, 45, of Toronto, Tuesday was remanded to Feb. 28 when he appeared in court here on a charge of murdering George Yagodich, 37-year-old Ukrainian of suburban New Toronto.

Yagodich died en route to hospital here Monday from stab wounds police said were inflicted by a four-inch carving knife. He was found collapsing in a snowbank a few hours after the stabbing.

Urban was arrested on a murder charge after telling police "I'm the guy who did it."

Charles Evans, who lives in the Urban flat, told police Urban had warned Yagodich to stay away from his home.

"Tony (Urban) told George that if he didn't stay away from the house he would kill him," Evans was quoted. "He had come around here at different times and Tony had told him plenty of times to stay away."

Evans told police Urban had demanded to know where his wife was Monday on returning from work and that Mrs. Evans had told him she was out. Mrs. Urban had been caring for the youngest of Urban's three children while their mother was absent. Two others were at school.

Mrs. Urban, for whom police had been conducting a search yesterday after she was said to have left her home at noon, returned to the house late last night and was taken to police station for questioning.

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Gilead

Gilead — The regular meeting of the W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Nelson Barkis. It being the World's Day of Prayer. The program was followed taken from the Missionary Monthly with Mrs. Bertram Mrs. Bakersville, Mrs. G. Leaveta and Mrs. J. Huffman taking part. A letter was read raising the allocation, even though it was much higher this year. It was decided to make a bake for the sale. Thirteen members were present. Mrs. Barkis served lunch and a short business session was held for the Ladies' Aid.

Mr. Will Bolderick is staying for a time with her daughter Mrs. Raymond Lawrenson.

Pilot Officer Tom Rosser has returned to Moncton, having spent a few days at the home of Wilfred Clare, and has been renewing old acquaintances in the community.

Mrs. Ralph Lawrenson has returned to Windsor; she attended the funeral of her brother Mrs. Lasier of Melrose and made a short visit with her sons John and Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Saries and boys, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Yorke and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yorke had a one night recently at Mr. Walter Treverton's.

Mrs. Huffman, Pilot Officer Tom Rosser and Mrs. Clare spent the afternoon and evening at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Everett Phillips, 4th of Sidney, on Wednesday of this week.

The Ladies' Aid had a quilting and dinner at the home of E. P. Yorke on Wednesday. Two quilts were completed; owing to the deep snow not as many as usual attended.

Gerald Livingston of Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rollins entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Rollins, Norman, Patricia, Ronald and Bob. Rollins and family and Mrs. Jim Rollins, in honor of Mrs. John Rollins' birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Bertrand entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Yorke, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yorke and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rollins and family to tea on Saturday evening.

The Misses Anne Clare, Norah Clare, Georgina Huffman, Erma Syan and Olive Rose spent the weekend at their homes.

This community welcomes back Mrs. McCullough who has been away for some time.

The school teacher Miss Hilda Treverton has been staying a few weeks at Mrs. Howard Badgley's as the side road in front was not opened. The snowplow has been busy this week opening it up.

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SECOND STOREY MEN OF THE R.C.A.F.



Pt. 41402. The long and the short of it all at Bomber Bomber base of the R.C.A.F. Canadian flyers caught by the camera recently. At the left is Wing Commander J. W. Scott, Bomber Command Officer Brien Lankfree, Distinguished Flying Cross, six foot seven. Lankfree left the Republic of Argentina to join the Royal Air Force in Rhodesia before the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, he returned to Britain and served on "ops" with Wing Commander J. Easton, D.F.C., of Thunder, Ont., former Commanding Officer of the Goose Squadron. The petite miss is Corporal Kathleen Scott, of Victoria, B.C., five foot officer of the RCAP Women's Division. —(RCAF Photograph)

Mess Room Chatter Of Canada's Airmen

With the R.C.A.F. Overseas, Feb. 21 (CP)—Canadian pilots with R.A.F. Hurri-bomber squadrons now are flying from the first air-strip built in reconquied Burma. Others, in Spitfires and Hurricanes, were established just before Christmas on airfields which are less than 2 miles from the Japanese.

As the Japanese were driven back, engineers with bulldozers moved to selected locations. Landing strips were levelled, R.A.F. advance parties arrived by road and then transport Dakotas began bringing in supplies.

P/O. E. A. Robinson of Dryden, Ont., and W/O. Geo. Coldwell of St. Thomas, Ont., were among the first to land their Hurricanes on the strips—landing newly-built fields. Others included Plt. Lt. A. J. D. Hopkins of Orangeville, Ont., P/O. Frank Forsyth of Russell, Ont., and Pilot Officer Reed of Barrie, Ont.

Spitfire pilots now flying from the most advanced of the new bases—landing strips—are from the Japanese—include P/O. Melville (Red) Watson of (26) Pacific Ave.) Toronto, P/O. Don Rathwell of (46 Cunningham Ave.) St. Vital, Man., and P/O. Bill Fell of Norwood, Man.

One of the fleet Catalinas in the R.A.F. is of four Canadians shipped by Flt. Lt. C. Aikman of 367 Kingsway, Toronto, B.C., from a Ceylon base.

"T for Tommy" has a flying time exceeding 2,400 hours and has operated in almost every zone of operations, warfare—Atlantic, the Mediterranean, and the Indian Ocean. Operating from the United Kingdom (the aircraft helped track down the Bismarck).

Wing Cmdr. Russ Bannock, D.F.C. and Bar, of Edmonton and Toronto, added to his list of German aircraft recently by shooting down a Heinkel 111 and a Junkers 88 during an intruder patrol from Britain.

The commanding officer of the R.C.A.F. Fighter Squadron now is credited with nine kills and two damaged.

LAC. John Paul Hunsault of (636b Gulnet St.) Montreal, a 22-year-old French-Canadian fitter, is credited with shooting down and averting much property damage when he jumped into a loaded gasoline truck and drove it away from a fire on the Lynx Squadron's airfield.

The fire followed a crash in dense fog and the blazing plane was only a few feet away from the truck when it stopped. Hunsault had to drive 400 gallons of high-test gasoline through part of the wrecked fortress to get it into the clear.

FO. C. A. Graham of (3222 Robinson St.) Regina suffered a smashed spine in a crash at a French airfield just after D-Day but now he can match a physical training expert at his job.

Doctors cut a large piece of bone out of his leg and used it to make splints around the shattered vertebrae of his back. His complete recovery took just 6 weeks.

Russian medical experts who visited his hospital "wouldn't believe my story," Graham said, "but I showed them."

Graydon and Case Criticize Govt. On Manpower, Reinforcement Policy

London, Ont., Feb. 21 (CP)—The Federal government was criticized for its manpower policy and the reinforcement situation of the Canadian army overseas in addresses delivered here by Gordon Graydon, party leader in parliament at Ottawa, and W. Garfield Case, Progressive Conservative MP, before the Defence Minister McNaughton and a CCF candidate in the Grey North by-election two weeks ago.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the London Progressive Conservative Association, Mr. Graydon issued a call for a "massive reconstruction program" saying the Federal government plan "is too long delayed." Mr. Case declared "the time has come, the hour has struck for Prime Minister Mackenzie King to give in to the will of the people and fire McNaughton."

Mr. Graydon said that the Progressive Conservatives had co-operated with the Federal government when it thought that it should do so, but the Federal government did not co-operate when last July he demanded that an Order-in-Council be passed asking Home Defence call-up men liable for overseas service. The government on Nov. 22 passed an order making 16,000 N.R.M.A. men liable to overseas service.

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Mr. Case said the result of the Grey North by-election was also simply a re-endorsation of the stand taken by the people in eight of the nine provinces in the 1942 conscription plebiscite.

Says King Fleeing People's will.

"And what do we get," he asked. "A Prime Minister fleeting the people's will. A Prime Minister who threatens that if you don't elect Mr. Andy he won't call another session. And when the Prime Minister or a democratic state threatens, he demands that an Order-in-Council be passed asking Home Defence call-up men liable for overseas service. The government on Nov. 22 passed an order making 16,000 N.R.M.A. men liable to overseas service.

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Mr. Case said the result of the Grey North by-election was also simply a re-endorsation of the stand taken by the people in eight of the nine provinces in the 1942 conscription plebiscite.

Says King Fleeing People's will.

"And what do we get," he asked. "A Prime Minister fleeting the people's will. A Prime Minister who threatens that if you don't elect Mr. Andy he won't call another session. And when the Prime Minister or a democratic state threatens, he demands that an Order-in-Council be passed asking Home Defence call-up men liable for overseas service. The government on Nov. 22 passed an order making 16,000 N.R.M.A. men liable to overseas service.

Chopping Axe Discloses Traces Of Human Blood

Welland, Feb. 21 (CP)—The trial of Leslie Desjardins, 34, charged with murder of his 33-year-old wife Anna, continued here Tuesday.

A chopping axe, which Desjardins allegedly used to strike his wife and Clarence Randell, a border in their home, was produced in court.

Miss Verda Vincent, from the Attorney-General's Department, testified that examination of the weapon disclosed traces of human blood at the blunt end and a flake of human tissue.

Miss Vincent identified as human blood stains found on a pillow case and mattress allegedly taken from the Desjardins home, also scrapings of blood from various parts of the walls and floor.

She screened has maintained an even composure throughout the trial. This morning he took his coat off, and, at counsel's request, to enable a Crown witness, Steve Lazoran, to identify the injury scarcer he was wearing as identical to the one he wore when he came to Lazoran's house on the night of Jan. 26. Lazoran said Desjardins told him he had been "killed a friend and crooked his wife."

Articles Identified.

The articles analyzed by Miss Vincent were identified by Constable Sheldon Killar as those taken from the Desjardins home. Killar told the court of responding to a telephone call at three a.m. on the morning of Jan. 26th and finding the accused, apparently under the influence of liquor in the living room, in Randall's bedroom. He said he found Mrs. Desjardins slumped on the floor beside a small cot.

Clarence Randall also covered with blood, was found lying unconscious on his back, his arms at his sides, the top of his head a pool of blood leading from Desjardins' bedroom, where a blood stain was found on the mattress on the double bed, through the house to Randall's room, with Mrs. Desjardins marking the end of the stain.

Constable Sheldon said he later viewed the injured woman in blankets to take her to the hospital, at the request of Dr. H. O. Singer, who placed her on the back seat of the car, but found that he did not have the keys, he left Mrs. Desjardins in the car for approximately 15 minutes, until the ambulance came.

Find Axe Behind Tank.

Constable Killar also told of finding the axe behind a hot water tank in the cellar.

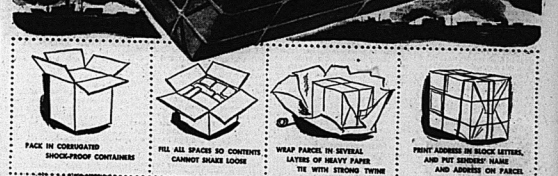
Dr. Gordon White, Port Colborne, head specialist, said he examined Mrs. Desjardins on Jan. 26, at the Welland County General Hospital. She was suffering from severe skull fractures, a cut over the right eye extended into the frontal sinus and at the time it was impossible to see brain tissue. Although the wound went through the wound two days later. the skull bones were depressed in a fairly large area, and there was another, the seeing laceration with two skull-cracks, her collar bones were fractured, and cerebral blood was flowing from her nose.

He determined the cause of her death on Jan. 26 as being due to brain injuries. Dr. White also described the wounds of Clarence Randall, now in the Welland County General Hospital, which he reported recovering from skull fracture and lacerations.

FOR COUGHS COLDS— TOO CAN'T BEAT BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE

How to Pack Overseas Parcels...





PACK IN CORRUGATED SHOCK-PROOF CONTAINERS

FILL ALL SPACES SO CONTENTS CANNOT SHAKE LOOSE

WRAP PARCEL IN SEVERAL LAYERS OF HEAVY PAPER TIE WITH STRONG TWINE

PRINT ADDRESS IN BLOCK LETTERS, AND PUT SENDERS' NAME AND ADDRESS ON PARCEL

It is easy to pack a parcel so it will arrive safely overseas. Yet thousands of packages are ruined each month through poor packing . . . or delayed through incomplete addressing.

Remember first, that your parcel must stand up under the great weight of thousands of packages in the ship's hold, it must bear the shock of rough transport over shell-torn roads, and perhaps be unloaded in a hurry under enemy fire.

While your Post Office and the Canadian Postal Corps do everything in their power to assure prompt, safe delivery . . . much depends on HOW you pack and WHAT you pack.

Print or Write Address Clearly—Make Sure It's Complete

To speed delivery Armed Forces mail is sorted into bags labelled with the name of the Overseas Unit. So make sure you put the name and number of the UNIT on all mail. Always remember to put the sender's name and address on the letter or parcel.

Mail to wounded men in hospital Overseas should have the complete address, then ADD the words "IN HOSPITAL" in big letters on the envelope. This will ensure quicker delivery.

DO'S AND DON'TS

DO

Pack parcels in corrugated cartons. Wrap in several layers of strong paper. Tie with heavy twine. Print address in block letters. Make sure address is COMPLETE. Affix completed Customs Declaration.

DON'T

Don't use shoe boxes, they crush easily. Don't use flimsy, coloured wrapping paper. Don't send meats, fresh fruits or foods that can spoil. Don't send matches or inflammables. Don't send any kind of liquid in glass or cardboard containers.

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Amount Borrowed	Number of Monthly Payments and Amount of Each Payment				
	6	9	12	18	24
$ 50	$ 8.80	$ 6.08	$ 4.68	$ 3.28	
75	13.20	9.12	7.02	4.92	
100	17.60	12.16	9.37	6.56	$ 5.00
150	26.40	18.24	14.05	9.84	7.50
200	35.20	24.32	18.74	13.12	10.00
250	44.00	30.40	23.42	16.40	12.50
300	52.80	36.48	28.10	19.68	15.00
350	61.60	42.56	32.79	22.96	17.50
400	70.40	48.64	37.47	26.24	20.00

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Friends of Dr. Perry O. Goldsmith and Mrs. Goldsmith, formerly of Toronto, formerly of Belleville, will regret to learn of their bereavement occasioned by the death of his father-in-law, George Lawrence Goldsmith, which occurred on Monday, Feb. 19th, at Hartford Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Diamond, 168 Foster Ave., have received a cable that their son AB Jack Diamond married on January 31st to Miss Joan Parry 11 Cecil Avenue, Basking, Essex England.

Pte. Manley Johnson from Belleville has just arrived after five years overseas and, is spending his leave with his sister in Toronto.

Miss Greta Mikel suffered a stroke while attending a funeral on Monday. At the present time she is unconscious and her condition is critical. Her many friends will regret to learn of her sudden illness.

Supply Assistant Robert Aman R.C.N.V.R. is spending his furlough with his mother, Mrs. Irene Aman and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stewart, 77 Highland Ave.

Miss Marion Best, Peterborough is the guest of Mrs. Irene Aman, 79 Highland Ave.

Mrs. Jack Irvine and Miss Helen Bishop entertained at the home of Mrs. F. A. Bishop on Monday evening Barley bride-to-be of this week. The evening was spent with games and contests. Prize winners being Miss Rita Frawley, Miss R. Lyons and Mrs. Marcus Coy. Betty was then presented with a basket and proceeded in pink and white tones with gifts for which she graciously thanked the guests. Later in the evening refreshments. At the close of the evening each one wished Betty future happiness.

WEDDINGS

SHISLER-TATT

Stately palms and pink and white carnations banked the altar at St. Luke's United Church on Niagara Falls on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock when Miss Constance Norma Tatt, A.Tech, Niagara Falls, was united in marriage to LAC. Howard Newton Shisler, R.C.A.F., Trenton, formerly of Mill St. and Mrs. P. Shisler of Chippawa. Rev. S. B. Sharpe officiated. The arrangements of violets tied with white ribbon bows marked the pews.

Given in marriage by her father, the pretty bride wore a street length frock of sea blue color with a matching feather hat. She carried a bouquet of American beauty roses. Her only jewellery was a strand of pearls, the gift of the groom.

Her sister, Miss Doris Tait, who was her only attendant was gowned in an ensemble in old gold color and wore a corsage to match. She carried a nosegay of violets and daffodils.

Sergeant Major Leo DeSantis was the best man and the ushers were Flying Officer Ernest Mouland, R.C.A.F., and Corporal James Desmond, R.C.A.F.

The soloist, Miss Patty Lou Woodley sang "Through the Years" and "Oh Promise Me." Mrs. J. W. Hamilton played the wedding music.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Wright House. The bride's table was centred with a three tiered cake, and was flanked by bouquets of spring flowers and yellow tapers in silver holders and hand painted cards marked the places for the guests.

The bridal couple was assisted in receiving the guests by the bride's mother who looked attractive in a navy crepe, Royal purple crepe, with which she wore a matching feather hat and corsage of violets and red carnations and the groom's mother who wore a smart ensemble in black crepe with matching accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

For travelling the bride chose a gabardine suit of forest green color. She wore a matching green coat with black accessories.

Upon their return from a wedding trip to Montreal, N. Y. the groom will return to his station at Trenton.

HARRISON-BRASON

The home of the bride's grandmother Mrs. H. Brason was the scene of an interesting wedding on Saturday at 12 o'clock noon, when Rev. George McKee united in marriage Shirley Betts, youngest daughter of Mrs. Harry Brason and the late Mrs. Brason, Picton, to Jack Winfield Harrison, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Harrison, Picton.

The ceremony took place beneath an arch of evergreens, decked with pink and white streamers, completed by a handsome horseshoe and wedding bell in the centre.

Given in marriage by her father Mr. Harry Brason, the bride was lovely in a floor length gown of white crepe trimmed at the neck-line with pearl buttons. She wore a fingertip veil, with wreath of white flowers and carried a sweetheart rose and white heather and fern. Her only attendant was Miss Shirley Sayers of Picton who was dressed in a frock of dark rose crepe and carried a bouquet of pink sweetheart roses and white heather and fern.

The groom was attended by his brother Mr. Ross Harrison, Picton.

The Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Mrs. Lorne C. H. Y.

Your convenient break was not only timely but advantageous. Given it the avaricious young woman is willing to make up with you, I doubt if she cares enough for you to make her reconciliation anything but a source of unhappiness on your side. She belongs distinctly to the "gimme" type and when she can't get diamonds, is willing to take what you unsnappily call "suds premium."

After Many Years, Unfaithful Man Begs To Return To Loyal Sweetheart

Dear Miss Fairfax:

Burr and during the signing of the register she played and sang "Until."

The bride's grandmother received in a two piece dress of wine crepe trimmed with gold sequins. The groom's mother wore a dress of mauve crepe. Twenty-four guests sat down to a delicious luncheon. Table assistants were Miss Tena Brooks, Miss Pauline Burr, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Osterhout.

The groom presented the bride with a silver engraved bracelet, to the bridesmaid, a pearl necklace, to the pianist, pearl earrings, to the best man cuff links.

The happy couple left amid showers of confetti for Toronto and points west. The bride travelling in a gown of red crepe with black and brown hat and red accessories. On return they will reside at the groom's home, Plainfield.

AIKENS W.M.S.

The World's Day of Prayer was held at the home of Mrs. F. Moon Friday, Feb. 16.

The meeting opened with quiet music by Mrs. H. Hamilton after which Mrs. S. Spafford took charge of the program the theme being, "That ye should show forth the praise of Him who has called you out of darkness into His marvellous light."

Prayers were offered by Mrs. W. Bush, Mrs. O. McMuller, Mrs. F. Moon Mrs. H. Hamilton and Mrs. S. Marshall. A solo was given by Mrs. E. Bush.

After a hymn Mrs. S. Spafford closed the meeting with prayer.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. F. Moon assisted by Mrs. G. Brickman.

Hair Conditioning Necessary Before the Permanent Wave



Barbara Britton advocates all treatments for the hair.

By HELEN FOLLETT

YOU MAY have noticed that many of the lovelies who pose for magazines have hair that is not straight as a string, without a suggestion of undulation.

Only two types of women can get away with the severely arranged hair-do—the young beauties and jacies of fashion who have just had a permanent, the average girl the permanent is a must, if she is to hold up her head with the rest of the sisters.

Permanent Waving

One should not forget that although permanent waving methods are improving all the time, it is wise to condition the hair for several weeks before submitting to the machine wave. Any machine-less or the cold treatment. Once the waves and ringlets are there the wool upon the feminine head requires little care that makes for a healthy, glittering, lovely loop.

You can have conditioning treatments at your favorite beauty parlor, if you can find the time, you lucky lassie. If hours are precious, bring your scalp and tresses a thorough lubrication the night before the shampoo.

Mineral Oil!

Use mineral oil for the purpose; it is easily washed out in the morning. Start with a rousing overhauling, sweeping from the nape line up to the crown of the head.

Part the hair at various places, tricking the oil all along the partings with a medicine dropper. The farther away from the scalp the dryer the shafts, so pour some oil in the palm of your hands, rub it on the ends of your precious locks. The oil should remain on your hair all night, so don't be afraid to use plenty of it. If dandruff is your beauty curse, the oil will loosen the scales.

Next morning, start the shampooing with a rinsing of hot water, using a bath spray. Three soapings are necessary, and as many rinsings.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Economic Defense Made Him Quarrel With Her Before Christmas

Dear Mrs. Fairfax,

I'm just a poor chap with a medical discharge from the Army, so I'm making as much at the job I'm trying to master. Later on I hope to do better and have more responsibility, but I just couldn't keep pace with the doll I fell for. She wanted in fact demanded, the most expensive present and when I'd gone into debt and borrowed from my folks for her things she never seemed satisfied that they weren't about as good.

Well, Lady, one night I had a run of common sense. She was asking for expensive pieces of jewelry for Christmas; she might as well have asked for the moon, and I up and told her to get over it while she was at it.

That the only presents I could afford weren't much above the auto class. Ye Gods, I'd like to make up with her, but somehow my pride said I'd been a lesson to her; shall I tell her the break was economic and my heart is still sore.

C. B. Y.

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IODE Book Fund Campaign Will Continue a Week

Although originally intended to have been closed this week, the I.O.D.E. book campaign for the raise funds for the purchase of books for the armed services will be kept open until the end of the month, it was announced by Chapter officials last night. The date for closing of the fund had been reached, but the committee who instituted they wished to obtain for the armed forces as near to the end of the month.

After a comparatively slow start contributions toward the fund have come in fairly well during the latter part of the campaign and once again the willingness of Belleville people to support a worthy cause, which cause has been indicated, the success of the fund is also indicative of the standing of the I.O.D.E. organization which has lent its support to many charitable causes during the war.

Contributions to the fund to supply reading material for the boys in the services have been encouraging but there is still room for every dollar that can be spared and donations to the fund will still be gladly accepted. Contributions may be left at any of the Belleville and Bank branches or with the Regents of the I.O.D.E. Chapters.

Donations

Below are the donations to the fund to date: $

Previously acknowledged	$685.00
Women's Auxiliary R.C.A....	10.00
Mr. Chas. Bishop	5.00
Mrs. Chas. Bishop	2.00
Mr. Russell Smith	1.00
Mr. Russell Smith	1.00
Mrs. Russell Smith Assoc.	1.00
Mrs. S. Mason	20.00
Mr. J. McVeigh	2.00
Dr. J. Bell-Smith	5.00
Dr. Russell Scott, overseas ..	15.00
Mrs. Russell Scott	5.00
Mr. J. E. Logan	10.00
Mr. J. Wallbridge	10.00
Greek Community	10.00
Mrs. F. A. Douglas	2.00
Mrs. W. J. Brown, Kingston	2.00
Mrs. R. Bateman	2.00
Mrs. J. Bell	2.00
Mr. E. Hickey	2.00
Mrs. Hyde, Sons of Jacob Synagogue	10.00
Anonymous, Sons of Jacob Synagogue	15.00
Mrs. C. H. Wallbridge	1.00
Col. B. C. Sisby	3.00

Fashion Flashes

VERY STRIKING is the profile brim (usually associated with the casual felt hat. The silhouette is used for a hat in natural Rio straw braid, the brim gently flaring to one side. In front is a massed flower arrangement in shades of pink to red. The veil is violet.

NECK INTEREST extends from unusual necklines to neck jewelry. Sometimes it's a high ruff of fine eyet neckband, background for tiny ceramic heads in pink, white or yellow. Tiny matching ceramic

TREMENDOUS SEASON for checks ahead. Combinations of brown and white checked tweed in soft all-wool fabrics, with button classic with fine navy accessories. Also the divided skirted flare and for collar and notched revers.

RIGHT NOW, under furs, and through Spring and Summer into Autumn, the best program for dress, if it is well chosen. A good choice is a print of champagne beige rayon crepe made on slim lines, dropped neckline with deep V, wide-draped three-quarter length sleeves, draped skirt caught into the waistline at the left front with a knot. Nice in black, too.

SUN MAIDENS are flocking into the sunshine departments to pick up clothes for next Christmas's play hours. A fine choice is a costume in coarse white Mexican cotton with green stripes, a dress bib-lined coat, draped halter bra and shorts, with stripes used in various ways.

THE COAT is back, but with plenty of ribbon to tie it in at the ness. Kelly green felt is used for a coat with a flaring "tip" which supports huge bows of pink and kelly-green taffeta ribbon combined with blue, yellow and black.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER CANNIFTON

The World Day of Prayer was observed on Friday in Canniston Church with a good attendance of Canniston ladies. The topic for meditation was "The Church Universal" the theme being "That ye should show forth the praises of Him who hath called you out of darkness into His marvelous light." Mrs. Empson presided at the piano, the Call to Prayer and Worship was under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Williams with the congregation responding throughout the service.

Thanksgiving and confession under the leadership of Mrs. Mills.

The Scripture lesson read by Mrs. Trumpour.

Intercession for the church under the leadership of Mrs. Mills.

A letter-board committee for missionary work.

Your Grandmother Used
AMAMI SHAMPOO
BEAUTIFIES THE HAIR
15c at all good drug stores
Friday Night is Amami Night

Works of Canadian Writers, Poets Studied By Holloway St. Y.P.U.

The Christian Culture group of Holloway street Y.P.U. conducted a meeting program on Monday evening when the theme was "Canada on a Trans-Canada tour, making the study of literature, the people of the authors, whose writings have made Canada a place in the world of literature.

Mrs. Milton Reade made a brief talk on Columbia where Rodyn Robertson was born, then the life of Pauline Johnson, who came from the Six Nations tribe of the Iroquois Indians, and lived on the reserve near Brantford, Ontario. Her father was chief of the tribe. In British Columbia, the one of her poems "The Song My Paddle Sings" was read by Evelyn Keefe.

Traveling across the bridal plains of the prairies a stop was made to visit Willie McClung. One of her short stories in which she expressed a desire to visit "beautiful Ontario" was read by Marion Richardson.

At Winnipeg Rev. Charles Wilkinson was met by the famous Canadian-name Ralph Connor, to the delight of many. Some readings from much of his writing was about Glengarry, where he was born and lived his later years in Winnipeg. Mrs. Campbell which tells of the early days in the province.

Roslyn Robertson read one chapter from a recently-published book, about a barn raising.

Travelling eastward to Montreal Williams, Mrs. Empson and Mrs. Reade visited. Although a Scotsman, he is known as one of the French speaking Canadians. He was a medical doctor as well as a poet of woods, camps, and the open country. His poem, "Little Bateese" was read by Pat Thurston.

Father east in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, contributing to Canadian literature have been made by Miss Ott acting D. D. Roberts, L. M. Montgomery, and Sophie Lacombe.

Assisting the leader, Roslyn Robertson. In the worship service were readings assigned, who read the Scripture, and Ana English who was pianist.

The group welcomed as a guest, Mrs. Hardy, Citizenship convener for South Hastings District Y.P.U. In a capable manner Dog reminded the members of their duties as Christian young people emphasizing the need of serving, illustrating that a solution may be reached for the severest social problem, which cannot be solved by politicians, but solved only by the citizens.

Following the business period the Christian Culture group served doughnuts and coffee.

MARSH HILL W.M.S.

The February meeting of the W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Bert Searles following a dinner. The worship period was taken by the president Mrs. E. R. Parks. Twelve members responded to the roll call with verses. Items of interest were given by Mrs. Searles for the literature, Mrs. Mills for temperance, Mrs. Mitts for Missionary topics and Mrs. P. Campbell rec. sec.

Mrs. Lindenfield took charge of the remainder of the meeting, reading a reading entitled "Not Comforts Only."

Mrs. Marisette gave another reading entitled "Thes Other half of the Envelope."

Mrs. Fred Heasman read from the Monthly Letter about the Secretary, Dr. Carney.

Mrs. Mills offered prayer for missionaries and the meeting closed by all repeating the Lord's Prayer.

INVICTAE MISSION CIRCLE

The February meeting of Bridge Street Mission Circle was held Tuesday evening in the church parlors. Refreshments were served by GrGoup 3 and a sing song led by Mrs. Sharpe.

Meeting opened with hymn 545 followed by prayer by Wmona Best. Minutes of last meeting were read, roll call and business discussed.

Mary Hooks was guest speaker and gave a very much enjoyed address. Meeting closed with Mizpah benediction.

PICTON Presents Hospital With X-Ray Equipment

Picton, Feb. 21—It was announced yesterday that Dr. C. W. Dafoe had presented to Prince Edward County hospital the complete X-ray equipment which he had installed in the institution a few years ago. This has been replaced by his son, George Pudlow, who plans to leave to reside in Florida. There is a complete X-ray machine, developer and other apparatus and the gift is valued at more than $1,000.

New Accountant

The Ontario Association of Chartered Accountants has officially announced that F. Malcolm Rowland was one of their foremost successful candidates who obtained their chartered accountants degree at the final accounting and auditing examinations. These were held at McGill University, March 9th. The graduate is a son of Dr. J. H. Rowland, Picton, and a graduate of the local collegiate.

Riverside Pavilion

Cloverdale and Weller's Bay are the only two cheese factories operating in Prince Edward County this season. During the month of January, they produced 14,700 pounds of cheese. It was announced at the office of the Ontario Department of Agriculture yesterday.

Military News

Able Seaman Ted Goodwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Godwin, Picton, was a member of the crew of the frigate Algonquin during most of her 30 months of service for which he has been rewarded. He was recently posted to another ship, but had been presented with a plaque, along with other members of the crew, commemorating the actions.

Petty Officer son of Rec. and Mrs. C. C. Mullins has been accepted in the United States army. He reported at Buffalo and was posted to Fort Dix.

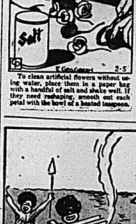
Leading Writer Allan McOsbon, Cornwallis, N.S., is spending leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McOsbon.

CQMS Monty Shannon, Kingston, spent the weekend with his family here.

Members of the Salvation Army held a social evening at their hall when Lieutenant and Mrs. Albert Carr, who had been overseas for five years, were the recipients of a Bible, the presentation being made by Adjutant D. E. Strachan.

JOHNSTOWN W.A.

The February meeting of Johnstown W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. W. S. Harg on Feb. 14th. It being Valentine day the meeting was held in the evening as a "Stay at Home". There was a good attendance of members and a number of guests present. The president Mrs. Harry Barry, opened the meeting, consisted of a duet by Mrs. Clayton Curtis and Miss Muriel Wells, a duet by Mrs. F. Meyers and Mrs. Alma Grant, a solo by Rev. Mr. McKee, a Orphan Band selection by the school children, a guitar duet by Jean Brooks, several readings and the W.A. theme song. The remainder of the evening was pleasantly spent with contests and fish ponds. Lunch was served by the ladies.



Wife Preservers

To clean artificial flowers without using water, place them in a paper bag with a handful of salt and shake well. If they need whitening, add a little more salt



Smartly Simple Navy

Pretty Spring Outfit
By VERA WINSTON

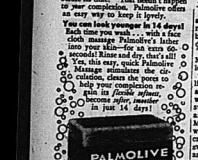
NAVY WOOL, so nice under a coat now and even nicer when Spring ahead its warm beneficence over the land, is of major importance this season for frocks as well as suits It is used for this attractive dress that uses the navy tissue wool effectively and simply. Turned back revers adorn the V-neck, and a red leather belt slips through the insets at the waist, chatelaine ornament, in the form of a sun and moon, gives interest to the simple bodice.



Compare your complexion with your shoulders. You'll find your shoulders look 3 or more years younger. Why? Because shoulder pores are kept clean by regular cake and water. Remember —and so, *skin is breathe fresh*. But face pores, clogged with dirt and make-up, can't breathe freely and soon your complexion loses its *flexible softness* and ages before its time. That needn't happen to your complexion. Palmolive offers an easy way to keep it lovely.

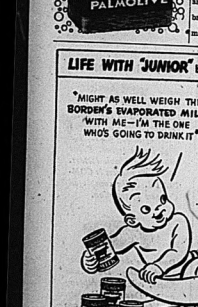
You can look younger in 14 days! Each time you bathe, with a fragrant cloth massage Palmolive's lather into your skin—for an extra 60 seconds! Rinse and dry, that's all!

Yes, that's all, quick Palmolive *Massage* stimulates the circulation, cleans the pores so they can help your complexion regain its *flexible softness*, and you become lovelier in just 14 days!



LIFE WITH "JUNIOR" by Elsie, the Borden Cow

"MIGHT AS WELL WEIGH THE BORDEN'S EVAPORATED MILK WITH ME—I'M THE ONE WHO'S GOING TO DRINK IT"



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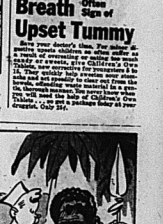


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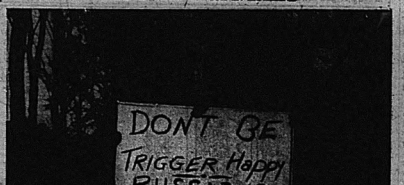
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Since men of the Black Watch Regiment of as a warning to over anxious comrades. They are: Canada heard of the speed of the Russian advance, two of it translated this sign, "Don't be Trigger Happy and Pte. Hugh Carleton, 636 Liverpool Street, Montreal (left), . . . The Russians are Headed This Way," to a free read.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo).



This young Italian girl is giving a hand to Sgt. Len Kemp or Alexandria, Ont. in saving fire wood for the troops' billets in an Italian village near the front.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo).



Bob Lepine, 9736 Boutchier St., Montreal, Que., at the Anzio beach-head. Helping him display his who has arrived in Canada from Italy, has gathered trophies are some of his buddies, all from Montreal. enough souvenirs from the enemy and from friends Left to right: Pte. R. A. Carbone, Pte. Lepine, Sgt. H. in the American army so that he can almost start his Bond, S/Sgt. D. F. Abrams, and Pte. F. J. Peyton. own museum. He landed in Italy as a member of the They are displaying a German parachute, German Special Service Force, composed of American and machine gun, helmet, compass from a Jerry Canadian parachute troops and was in the fighting plane, and two revolvers.—(Canadian Army Photo).

Warsaw Insurrection is Described

One of the most vivid accounts of last summer's uprising in Warsaw has been given by a Swedish actress, Elna Gistedt. A favorite with Polish audiences before the war, Miss Gistedt was keeping a restaurant in the capital when the revolt broke out. She survived its hardships and later, those of a Nazi concentration camp.

(From the Polish Review)

The Germans were aware of the preparations for the uprising, warned by their numerous Volksdeutscha and other Axis spies. At the end of July they made mass arrests. They claimed that they had discovered Polish underground headquarters in Mazowiecka Street, which they immediately surrounded, arresting several score and shooting 30 persons. Among the latter was the son of the writer, Juliusz-Kaden-Brandowski.

On the 30th. of July, 4,000 Germans, stationed in the students' house on Narutowicz Square concentrated 4,000 tanks there, taken from the Saski and Botanical Gardens. Towards the end of July the Germans began buying up as much of all sorts of provisions as possible. On August 1st., a German officer warned a saleswoman, friend of mine, Gistedt, not to leave her house after the 14th. The Vistula bridges, mined in July, each had only one traffic lane in use.

The inhabitants of Warsaw believed that these German preparations were being made to stop the Red Army or for the forced evacuation of the city, and estimated that the battle would last only five days at the most.

The outbreak of the insurrection caught Miss Gistedt in the Brandlicki Palace, that became the centre of "no-man's-land" between the Germans on Jerusalem Avenue and the Polish barricades that crossed Nowy Swiat Street, at the head of Chmielna and Piusa Streets.

Later she worked at a first aid station in Smolna Street. The Russians had bombed and partially damaged her restaurant on July 29th.

The Germans transferred all the inhabitants of Smolna Street to the National Museum as hostages, but Miss Gistedt escaped and remained at her work, going all about the city during the insurrection, visiting temporary hospitals, often crossing embattled Saptialna, Warecka and Nowy Swiat Streets.

She personally observed the battle for the Holy Cross Church that took place at the end of August, during which the Germans saved themselves by retreating to the University, and the battle for the Bank of National Economy on September 1st. The Germans often used tanks, nick-named, "Bellowing Cows" by the Poles, firing incendiary shells and machine-gunning the Polish position from airplanes.

The great aerial bombardment began on August 5th, when thirty persons were killed and more than a hundred injured in a shelter on Krolyiowa Street. Boys of 14 and 15 formed anti-tank squads each composed of four boys, so efficient that the Germans feared to send their tanks into narrow streets. Each house defended by the Germans had Polish hostages.

Gestapo men whose function was to keep an eye on the Wehrmacht, killed all German soldiers who wished to surrender, for the Wehrmacht's enthusiasm was low and it greatly feared the Poles. Each building occupied by the Germans had wells and auxiliary electrical power stations prepared in advance for the time when the central stations might no longer function.

There were some who never ventured out of their shelters during the entire two months, but in general Warsaw tried to lead a normal a life as possible under the bombardment of artillery and aircraft. In the beginning Poles went about without taking any special precautions, but they fell and lift began more and more to be carried on subterranean character.

Sidewalks disappeared — torn up by teen-age boys for barricades. Young boys and girls acted as couriers and mail and newspaper distributors.

Divine services were celebrated in cellars where marriages were also solemnized. During the first period of the uprising, fallen heroes were laid, to rest with full ceremonies in those cellar hide-outs.

On the 9th. of August, Miss Gistedt attended a concert at the Conservatory given by Stanislaw Wisnia, Karolina Lubienska and "Kalma," (a new singer, the pupil of Adam Didur.)

Between August 5th. and September 5th., the stores and shops of Warsaw were partially open. One could mostly frequently purchase meat from horses killed in the fighting at 65 to 321.50 a pound, at the pre-war rate of exchange, depending on the relative quiet of the section. Potatoes cost 8 a pound.

Children too young to fight or too young for auxiliary services, picked vegetables and fruits in kitchen gardens along the Poniatowski railway tressel that let one go about the city, through the various barricades, for the Poles guarding them, sometimes acting strict, fearing German counter-spies.

The famine was indescribable. Only sugar was in abundance. At the end, all Warsaw lived on bread water, when water was obtainable. Miraculously, there were no epidemics, save one of dysentery at the end of August that lasted three to five days.

Economy in Warsaw was most urgent during the insurrection. The American paper dollar in secret circulation rose in value at the close of the insurrection from 200 zlotys (320) to 500 zlotys (800), and dropped to 180 zlotys (324) after the capitulation.

The price of butter before the uprising was about 320 a pound (800 zlotys). Sugar disappeared during the fighting it was 547 a pound, and after the capitulation in the camps near Warsaw, it cost as much as 952 a pound. During the insurrection an egg cost 96.

One woman offered Miss Gistedt a Persian lamb fur coat for a kilogram, 2.2 pounds of butter.

On September 5th., Miss Gistedt along with 6,000 other Warsovians (800 slightly wounded),

KENNEDY'S LOSS TO MAPLE LEAFS KEENLY FELT

Aggravates Old Hand Injury but Will be Ready for the Playoffs

(By The Canadian Press)

Loss of Ted (Teeter) Kennedy has just about filled to overflowing the cup of sorrow of the management of Toronto Maple Leafs. Kennedy aggravated his old hand injury in Saturday's contest with Montreal Canadiens and his absence from the lineup Sunday contributed to the club's 6-1 setback at the hands of Detroit Red Wings.

The 18-year-old centre, one of the smartest stickhandlers in the league and a protege of Nels (Or Polson) Stewart, is the leading scorer on the Toronto club, tied for ninth place in the standings with Ab Demarco of New York Rangers. Only Montreal's Rocket Richard, with 44, has scored more goals this season than Kennedy, who has 24.

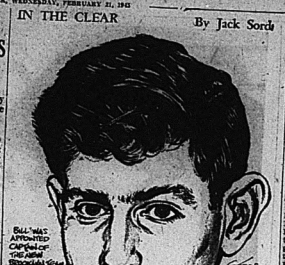
Coach Hap Day of Leafs has been loyal in praising the Port Colborne, Ont., youngster, comparing him to Bill Cowley, Johnny Gottselig, Billy Taylor and other N.H.L. stars.

"I think Kennedy is the best teen-aged boy to reach major hockey since Busher Jackson," Day said.

Coupled with the earlier loss of Denis (Dewsweeper) Smith, Kennedy's injury leaves Leafs badly crippled condition and their double remiss last night and stretches their current losing streak to four games.

They do hope to be back at full strength centre back in time for the clubs' next game Saturday against Rangers at Toronto.

IN THE CLEAR — By Jack Sords



OLD-TIMERS WILL DISPLAY WARES FOR YOUNG FANS

Masters of Hockey in Bygone Days Will Play for Sweet Charity

Toronto, Feb. 21 — (CP) — The hustling and pulling should be almost enough to rock the walls of Toronto Maple Leaf Gardens tonight and possibly there'll also be some fine and fancy hockey in the old fashioned manner, though.

For tonight is the night the old masters of hockey as it was played in an earlier age meet in the Gardens in the interests of the Navy League of Canada.

The game is as close as they can come these days to duplicating the old Toronto Maple Leafs—Montreal Maroons National Hockey League rivalry of a hockey era that knew no record centre ice line but plenty of rough body checking.

The lineups could be something almost from the fisticuff era, or out of an old and yellowed hockey program pulled from the attic keepsake collection. Here they are:

Leafs: Hap Day, goal; Roy Worters and George Hainsworth, defence, Hap Day, Alex Levinsky, Red Horner and King Clancy; forwards, Joe Primeau, Charlie Conacher, Harvey Jackson, Billy Taylor, Bryan Hextall, Eddie Cowley, Frank Boucher, Al Murray, Bill Cook.

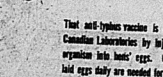
Maroons: goal, Dave Kerr; defence, Lionel Conacher, Marvin Wentworth, Hollis Shore, Stew Evans; forwards, Nels Stewart, Hooley Smith, Russ Blinco, Neil Colville, Russ Blinco, Babe Oatman, Bobby Bauer, Earl Robinson, Lorne Duguid.

Not all of them are so aged and the lure of youth is to make sure somebody is upright at the end of the game. But the old timers have been working out for this game and yesterday Eddie Oatman was coaxing only Toronto ice by his tall Eddie Cowley, Normand Mahoney, for the first time in 23 years. Eddie, now 56, last showed here in 1922 with the old Vancouver Millionaires against Toronto St. Pats.

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Sky Chief Midgets Take 4-Goal Lead To Port Hope

Picton, Feb. 21 — Sky Chief Midgets, representing Picton, Bloomfield and Wellington, take a four-goal lead to Port Hope as they soundly trounced Port Hope Lions' entry from that town, in the first of home and home games in the O.M.H.A. playdowns. Goals count on aggregate.

The game here saw some good hockey by the stars of tomorrow. In the Tyro period, deep second for Port Hope, with Bovay tying it. In the second, Bovay clipped three goals home with no reason on the visitors. Town scored for Port Hope early in the final period but Bovay came back with two more. Tait added another to make it 7-2. Pollard scored the third for the visitors. Robinson starred in the Picton net, with MacDonald and Bovay in turn giving fine support on defence. Stephens and Bovay each scored 3. For Port Hope, Town, Pollard and Churchley were outstanding.

TRANSPORTATION To be DISCUSSED

Washington, Feb. 21 — (AP) — Baseball's representatives will discuss the transportation situation today following an appointment with baseball conference on manpower with the War Mobilizer, James F. Byrnes.

Ford Frick and Will Harridge, baseball league presidents, will end their official business here in a talk with Col. J. Monroe Johnson, Office of Defense Transportation Director.

With spring training period early next month, the two problems —manpower and transportation — are considered the sport's most pressing.

Frick and Harridge had little to say after a discussion with Byrnes.

They told reporters the meeting merely laid our problems before him" in facts and figures.

Frick later added that "we talked manpower on a broad scale."

Byrnes was very friendly and courteous, Frick said, and he and Harridge looked as if the interview had been encouraging.

Byrnes had no comment.

ST. LOUIS FLYERS DEFEAT HORNETS

By The Canadian Press

In one of the fastest games witnessed by St. Louis fans this year, the Flyers raced to victory over Pittsburgh Hornets 4-3 last night but the result brought no change in the standings of the western division of the American Hockey League.

Flyers were behind after the first two periods when the Hornets had succeeded in working up a 2-1 lead but by scoring three goals in the final period, including the winning tally by the last 18 seconds, St. Louis emerged victorious.

The two goal lead in the second period after a scoreless period was built by Deed Klein and Roland Rosaignol.

Johnny Hurecek, George Blake and Bill Hergert were the St. Louis scorers in the third with Bob Walton counting the only Pittsburgh goal.

NO EVIDENCE OF DISHONESTY

New York, Feb. 21 — (AP) — No evidence of dishonest or corrupt dealings has been found in college basketball games played at Madison Square Garden, the Department of Investigation reported yesterday.

Commissioner Edgar Bromberger, who began a probe after the Brooklyn College point-shaving scandal broke Jan. 20, asserted "... there is no evidence of any dishonesty, culpable irregularity or corrupt dealings in the negotiations between the Garden corporation and City College of New York and Brooklyn College, or in the conduct of the games themselves or in the financial transactions resulting therefrom."

In addition, the interim report to Mayor Fiorello La Guardia declared the "officials in charge of the games were, according to unanimous opinion, of high character and incorruptible conduct."

TORONTO RINKS MAKE SHOWING IN ROYAL YORK

G. R. Redfern, Winner of Grand Aggregate Last Year, is Quarter-Finals

Toronto, Feb. 21 (CP) — The second big event in the 1945 annual Toronto bonspiel got under way today at the Royal York with games for the Strike-Mills-Ryrie trophy. The draw will take up most of the day, with the quarterfinals of a few games in the North American Life trophy event tonight.

Rinks skipped by R. R. Moore of Toronto High Park go into the quarter-finals of the main Royal York trophy event with a 13-12 win over last year's winner, A. J. Simpson.

Three other quarter-finalists hail from Toronto. They are G. R. Redfern of Toronto Curling Club, 1944 winner on a total aggregate and the Birks-Ellis trophy; T. Tasker and Ed. Young, both of Toronto Granites.

A three-time winner of the Royal York, Dr. Gordon Lindsay Hamilton, leads the put-of-town contingent in the quarter-finals. The others are Alex Gardiner of Barrie, J. Parr of Brampton and G. W. Mestin of Hamilton Victorias.

Leading in the Seiberling trophy competition were cut to 16 rinks Monday night of the second bonspiel underway. Among the survivors is Dr. Murdoch of Lindsay, last year's winner.

Alex Gray's all left-handed rink from Port Arthur, Ont., kept their game in the Waterloo trophy event which is also in the quarter-finals Saturday.

There will be no further play tonight in the Seagram-Waterloo section of the spiel but the Seagram-Ryrie-North American Life Association events completed the early rounds, probably late Wednesday and Saturday will be given over to quarter-finals, semi-finals and finals in all events.

Recreation Alleys

Ladies' 2 Games League

Bank of Montreal 9 pts.—Moore 260; Wilson 219; Ford 186; Caler 229; Doe 180, Total 1043.

Bell Telephone 3 pts.—Adams 286; Heidel 206; Henderson 213; Pate 226; Gibson 208. Total 1383.

Somberg 3 pts.—M. Moore 223; K. Moore 246; DeCenova 187; Cox 182; Somberg 236. Total 1141.

Canadian Legion 3 pts.—Clapp 203; Ferraro 201; Mackenzie 200. Total 1032.

Doodlers 3 pts.—Doodle 279; B. Frye 309; Powers 256; Miller 240; Brown 257. Total 1340.

Major B

Goodrich Oil 3 pts. — Hatfield 640; Sills 508; Nosker 566; Adams 570; Hopkins 836; Titterson 454. Total 3154.

ITOG 1 pt. — Shane 551; MacDonald 582; Hall 497; Silver 600; Roper 539. Total 2667.

Optical 1 pt. — Raymond 446; Tuer 441; Taylor 437; Weaver 406; Doe 382. Total 2142.

Callaghan Ice 3 pts. — C. Corbell 481; Taylor 531; J. Callaghan 486; P. Corbell 468; M. J. Callaghan 534. Total 2500.

Black Birds 3 pts. — Woods 650; Orton 394; Ward 307; Cornell 490; Hall 481; Hall 502. Total 2924.

K. of C. 1 pt. — Doran 527; Somerville 521; Boyle 525; Hatfield 606; Schrieber 535; Horrigan 385. Total 2908.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER
(CP Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 21 — (CP) — Frank Sargent and the C.A.H.A. moguls will have to put on their thinking caps to straighten out the latest little problem that has been tossed their way. It seems that if the Allan Cup finals are to be held in western Canada this year, neither of the probable contenders from Quebec will be able to compete.

Right now it looks almost certain that Montreal Royals of the Quebec senior group or Valleyfield Braves of the Interprovincial League will represent the province in the senior Dominion playdowns. For that matter, the strength of either club gives them the nod as eastern Canada representatives in the finals.

But both clubs say they will not participate in the finals unless the C.A.H.A. makes the venue somewhere in Canada's west. Al (Mont-real Herald) Parsley, notes that most of the Royals are in war work and their executives see no reason why they should take time out for an extensive series of playoffs.

Royals and their backers — and that goes for the Valleyfield boys, too — feel that too much criticism has been hurled at hockey by "super-patriots" as it is, let alone taking a group of war workers away from their essential jobs for at least three weeks.

However, there is hope still alive

that a Quebec representative will enter the cup series. Quebec Aces-producers of the 1944 Quebec-Shawinigan Falls of the International League are willing to go through with the series if it's the only way to get the only drawback is that both the latter clubs are drifting in their respective loops.

But hoping being what it is, there is no telling. Perhaps the Montreal-Valleyfield group Aces or the Falls boys will emerge.

Post-war Planning:

Post-war hockey plans for the west coast indicate the desirability of having a first-class junior hockey setup. But Ken (Vancouver Province) McDowall points out that the only way of accomplishing this is by allowing the juniors more time to play. With the intermediate loops in British Columbia confined to one rink each, they get considerably little time to practice.

The financial interests behind these rinks often wonder what there is in it. It seems that the clients take most of the loot-time in practices — the only hope is that worthwhile teams are produced so the loops can as well maintain their interest.

Says McDowall since Vancouver fans have long proven they'll support hockey, perhaps the post-war dream had better be a good senior team in a first-class Pacific coast loop, or a fast, though perhaps junior, puntor circuit.



CASUAL COMMENT
by K.J.C.

Unpredictable Humans.

Two flies were strolling along the ceiling. Suddenly one of them stopped.

"You know," is remarked, "human beings are very silly."

The second fly shrugged.

"People are silly?" it echoed. "How do you make that out?"

The first fly tapped the ceiling with its foot.

"Well, take a look," it chirped. "They spend good money building a nice ceiling, and then they walk on it."

Ready For Fray.

Facing a three goal deficit, Fl. Jimmie McCaa's Mountain View Flyers don't feel confident they can still beat the Flyers tonight. You must remember we've played five games with the Flyers this season and that means 300 minutes of hockey. After the aggregate score was added up I find Trenton has only scored two more goals than we have. You can't say there's too much of a margin between us on that score. True enough our back-checking and defence was below par Monday night, but it'll be a different story tonight," predicted Cha-Cha today.

At that, when Trenton scored five successive goals in the first period it was a surprise to us. H.Q.A.F. loop and it's far from probable that they'll be supplied again. In their five meetings to date Trenton has won three games, View one while two others have been tied. They're playing assured the fans tonight, no tie will be in order and local teams will be on the proverbial "spot." Looking for that spot in the Command playdowns Manager Gordon Borden here Friday and there'll be more to be said about that tomorrow.

Mel Ott's Record.

In the last eight years, Manager Mel Ott of the Giants has hit .300 in the National League home runs to raise his record. Twenty-two times he has driven in 100 runs in league's seven other cities. He parked 17 homers in Chicago the last eight years, 14 in Philadelphia, 13 in Brooklyn, 11 in Cincinnati, ten in St. Louis, seven in Boston and only three in Philadelphia. And not one of his Philadelphia homers in the last eight seasons has been hit at Shibe Park, which field the Phillies moved from Baker Bowl in mid-season of 1938.

Mel's last home run in Cincinnati was hit in 1941, when he socked four at Crosley Field. He has not hit any at either Brooklyn or Pittsburgh the last two seasons, meanwhile clubbing 40 at New York.

Remember When.

Dusky Joe Louis, only seven months in the professional boxing world, knocked out Lee Ramage in the second round of a scheduled 10-round bout at Los Angeles ten years ago tonight, taking a long stride in his world's heavyweight title climb which was successful in 1937 when he sheared James J. Braddock of his world crown. Lee is at present in the American army and is still in the champ.

Page Percy Page.

Roy Van Grafian, veteran International League umpire, is compiling one of the most remarkable coaching records in basketball this season, with the Pirates of Rochester, N.Y., a girls' team. The leaders registered their 166th consecutive victory in Canada. The team has not been defeated in seven years, the last setback being a 25 to 24 defeat, coming in the final seconds of play on two technical fouls. Van Grafian has set 202 consecutive victories as the team's goal—a record he is confident will never be broken.

Too, Much on Ball.

Belleville Juniors led by Bernie Meagher had too much speed and combination for the Combines in their first game for the loop title at the arena Tuesday night. The boys are mike north never quit trying but their play lacked class and the solo efforts were wrecked a strong defence. Green deference. It is a long time since the fans saw two clean-cut players the entire sixty minutes. Belleville team has improved by leaps and bounds in the past month and are showing the results of good and patient coaching.

Cornwall Flyers In Second Place

Cornwall, Feb. 21 (CP)—Cornwall Flyers moved into second place in the Interprovincial Hockey League standings last night when they whipped Lachine Rapids 6-3 in a game that saw three points for the home winner.

The Flyers pushed Rapids down into third slot in the standings after the visitors had opened the scoring in the first period. Flyers came back with a couple of counters before the period ended and scored four goals in the middle session and twice without reply in the third.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 21 (AP)—Felix (Doc) Blanchard, Army's All American halfback, and halfback Max Minor have enlisted Saturday's Midwest A.A.U. track and field championships, Blanchard in the shot put and Minor in the broad jump . . . that probably explains the absence of Notre Dame stars . . . I wonder Glenn Haegg and hurdler Haskon Lidman can get here for the meet, why not substitute Sharkey, the high-hurdling seal from the National Sportsmen's show . . . Sharkey later? He's right down in the Garden basement.

Ker-se the Luck:

Andy Kerr, Jr., son of the Colgate football coach, came within four seconds of having a perfect season in his first coaching attempt last fall . . . Andy, Jr., a doctor attached to a general hospital in Maryland, tutored the 111th Area, who were unbeaten and unscored-on going into the season fifth and final game against the 307th Hospital . . . if things continued to go well until the last four seconds when one of Andy's boys tried to pass, was pushed and the ball was deflected into the arms of an opposing guard, who ran for a touchdown.

Prize explanation of the basketball season came when a Canisius player was flattened after a break away goal against Syracuse. "He wasn't fouled," an official grinned decisively. "He collapsed from exhaustion."

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LESSON NO. 613
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

Editors must think only those who hate my column ever read it, probably nobody reads it card to say I would be missed. But you should hear the squawks when I hesitate to print a perfect hand down.

Guess a letter like this: "You must be wrong about a four card suit needing the face cards to be biddable. Culbertson says a seven is enough."

Between you and me and changing Culbertson, he bids such an untrue suit only to cover up some bad rule of his, just his regular biddable suits are already the same as in my Horse Sense method.

Look in his New Gold Book and in page 102 you will see a list of his regular biddable suits. They are:

	Q J X X
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	A J X X X
	J 10 X X X
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	K Q X X X
	Q X X X X
	Q X X X X
	A K Q X
	A K J X
	K Q J X X
	K X X X X
	A 10 X X X

Horse Sense says: a biddable suit is four cards with two faces, or five cards with a face, or any six cards, or better. If you see any difference between us, you can put it through a needle's eye.

But on page 103 he lists what he now calls conditional biddable suits. Wearing the word biddable with the word conditional does not hide the fact that they are what he used to call shaded suits.

If you know true biddable suits, you know when a suit is shaded or shady. A shaded suit is another name for a suit whose biddability you are lying about under certain conditions.

Shaded suits are resorted to under conditions created by a bad basic rule. It is a refuge in a system that is using something wrong as a foundation for its bids. Horse Sense is not that kind.

Such things are a cumbersome system. On page 119 he says: Deliberately we conceal the true picture of length to avoid a more dangerous false picture of strength.

When a suit is shaded the truth is evaded.

AERIAL GUN BATTLE

London, Feb. 21 —(AP)— The Swiss radio, quoting a communique issued in Berne, has developed in an aerial gun battle with an American bomber over Swiss territory yesterday after British and American planes "repeatedly violated the Swiss air space." The Swiss authorities opened fire after vainly demanding that the bomber land.

Belleville Juniors Score 7-2 Win Over Stirling-Marmora Combines in Final Playoff

Tally Three Times in the Initial Frame and Never Headed

Moving out into a commanding lead of three goals in the initial period, Belleville gained a 7 to 2 victory over the Stirling - Marmora "Combines" in the first game of the "Little Ed" junior O.H.A. finals. The second game of the series will be played at Stirling on Friday night.

With some 900 fans on hand, of which fully two-thirds were from the Combines' stamping ground, Toots Holway's boys dominated the play in the initial period to lead 3-0. However, the Combines rallied strongly early in the middle session to score twice, but the homesters came back to add a brace as the middle frame ended 5-2. The only goals scored in the last period, in the fastest junior game of the year, were registered by Belleville.

Given Advantage

Early in the initial frame Wright drew down a penalty that gave Belleville the advantage, but McInroy stood firm to beat Holway at close range. After Wright was released from the sin bin Belleville continued to dominate the offensive play and were finally rewarded when Bernie Meagher drove in strongly from the left side to beat McInroy on a perfect pass from Jack Barrett. The Combines retaliated with effort but were thwarted by Fitzpatrick when Stapley and Courtney threatened. A few minutes later Day, Greatrix and Moher banded to beat McInroy at close range. Usman recaid through and was hailed by Kirkway and Green, that caused a whistle.

Deflected into Net

With new lines Bernie Meagher came out of a corner and his attempted pass deflected into the Combines' net. Day added a clear-cut goal. Seconds later Al Meagher set up a perfect relay for Don Barrett to put Belleville 3 ahead. Doug Green drew down a holding penalty and the Combine scored all up, but it was of little avail as Fitzpatrick rose to heights by tossing Bastedo, Stapley and Goodchild on repeated plays, as the Combines finished the period aggressors.

Trailing by three goals the Combines moved to the offensive to open the middle session and were rewarded with pressure plays, when Stapley shifted to ring the gong, on a three-way play, that saw Bastedo and Courtney lend helping hands. Continuing on the offensive and outshooting their foes 10 to 6, they raced through for a second goal, when Trumble drifted free to whip home Goodchild's pass inside the Belleville defence, making the score 3 to 2 for Belleville.

Green Scores Winner

After stumbling around for too long the Holway-led sextette finally found the scoring alert once again, when Jerry Moher slipped a fast pass to Doug Green, and the latter made no mistake to whip home what finally proved the goal to Belleville's win.

From there in it was Belleville as Bernie Meagher carries around the Combines' net for a sweet solo effort ending the middle session 6 to 2 for Belleville. Although the Combines dominated the play early in the final session, Bernie Meagher brothers combined for a fifth Belleville goal and Don Barrett made it seven for the homesters, as the Combines moved all out in a final effort to make matters even.

The highlight of the game came in the final session, when Usman and Barrett tangled in a minor fisticuffs, that was augmented with Ocalia McInroy playing a major part with a lending hand, Usman and Barrett drew down deserving penalties.

Goal Not Allowed

Starting the second period there were arguments galore in the Combine goal, but it was finally settled when the ice officials and the goal umpire finally agreed that the puck had slipped beneath a raised Belleville goal. It was a rather fair decision as the goal umpire from the visiting team accepted the referees' version.

For the game the Belleville defence of Holway and Green stood firmly and gave their best effort of the season. Bernie Meagher with four goals and an assist paced the locals followed by Don Barrett with three goals and an assist. Doug Green picked up the odd goal as Al Meagher added two assists. For the Combines Stapley and Trumble scored, but there were others around to make matters interesting. Especially noticeable in offensive work were Usman, Cousins, Bastedo and Courtney. Along the Belleville line Day skated miles with effectiveness and Moher and Greatrix broke up plays equally as well, but it was the Barrett-Meagher line that put off. Now it's to Stirling on Friday night for the second game of the series.

The lineups—

Belleville: goal, Fitzpatrick; defence, Holway and Green; centre, Barrett; wings, Bernie Meagher and Bernard Meagher; subs, Moher, Day, Greatrix, Lyall and Reeves.

Combines: goal, McInroy; defence, Usman and Wright; centre, Cousins; wings, Bastedo and Trumble; subs, Bastedo, Stapley, Courtney, Brown, Lavender, Nelson and Whitehead.

Referee: "Dutch" Cain and Bennie Bowen.

SUMMARY

First Period—

1. Belleville—
   B. Meagher (Barrett) .. 9.33
2. Belleville—B. Meagher .. 12.18
3. Belleville—
   Barrett (Al Meagher) .. 13.01

Penalties: Wright and Green.

Second Period—

4. Combines—
   Stapley (Bastedo, Courtney) 7.41
5. Combines—
   Trumble (Goodchild) 14.51
6. Belleville—
   Green (Moher) 15.49
7. Belleville—B. Meagher .. 16.58

Penalties: Green.

Third Period—

8. Belleville—
   B. Meagher (Al Meagher) 8.51
9. Belleville—
   Barrett (B. Meagher) 17.11

Penalties: Usman, Barrett and Lavender.



AT THE McCARTHY — Andy Devine does his best to cover up Leon Errol and Peggy Ryan when they get in a jam in Universal's musical fun-film, "Babes on Swing Street," now at the McCarthy Theatre. Second bit features Otto Kruger in "They Live in Fear."

AT THE BELLE

"Kismet", in Technicolor

At last the celebrated story of "Kismet" has reached its full glory and now it is on the screen—in glorious technicolor, and with a grand cast.

Brought to you by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer it is a movie that spells entertainment to beat Hollywood's best.

Starring in romance, drama, comedy and spectacle rolled into one, "Kismet" is highly successful engagement at the Belle theatre tonight.

Belle Canadian Movietone newsreel, and a funny Tommy and Jerry Kitty-Puddy cartoon complete the program.

Romantic Lead

John Emery plays the male romantic lead opposite Simone Simon in RKO Radio's romantic adventure story, "Mademoiselle Fifi" coming next to the Belle theatre. He plays a patriotic young French Republican officer who himself with Simone's efforts to thwart the bullying Prussian conquerors of France during the Franco-Prussian war.

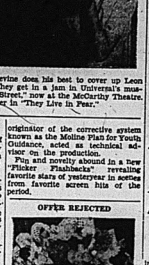
Simone Simon is starred in "Mademoiselle Fifi" said to be one of the most exciting films of 1945. In addition to Emery, the principal supporting players are Kurt Kreuger, Edmund Glover, Alan Napier, Fay Helm and Jason Robards. The screen play was adapted from two stories by Guy deMaupassant.

"Yeah Keen Wild." Timely

A gripping treatment of juvenile delinquency, its cause and possible cure is presented in the new screen offering "Youth Runs Wild" announced on the 2nd feature attraction on the same program.

Bonita Granville and Glenn Vernon and Tom Brimi head the cast of the picture, which deals with the problem of the effect of war-working parents in a typical defence plant town, and the trouble that can arise from the lack of parental guidance.

The cast includes such favorites as Jean Brooks, Fritz Lieber, Mary Servoss, Ben Erard and Arthur Shields. Ruth Clifton, famous young



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originator of the corrective system known as the Moline Plan for Youth Guidance, acted as technical adviser on the production.

Fun and novelty abound in a new "Flicker Flashbacks" revealing favorite stars of yesteryear in scenes from favorite screen hits of the period.

The Chicago Herald-American reveals that Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower has rejected the offer to set up a luxury welfare agency for junior flying officers in the once-swank Paris apartments of Mrs. Laura Corrigan (above), Chicago's most fabulous hostess and one of the world's best-known international lionesses. Gen. Eisenhower, the story continues, refused the grant permission to Mrs. Corrigan to cross the channel to London, contending that the American Red Cross is the only welfare agency for Yank soldiers overseas.

EDDIE BRANNICK PRAISES HUBBELL

Miami, Fla., Feb. 21, — (AP)—If Carl Hubbell wins a place in baseball history as a farm executive as well as a great pitcher, Eddie Brannick can see it probably will—say "I told you so."

The New York Giants' secretary sounded some words of praise today for the left-hander who became head of the club's farm system after his hurling days were over.

"He'll be as good a job as Branch Rickey or any of them have done," Brannick predicted. "He's going to be a big man. The fellows got plenty of ability."

Brannick said Hubbell may have probably the most colorful rookie in new camp in Tom Sheehan, 19-year-old pitcher from Wyalusing, Pa., one of the Memphis Chicks last year.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

By The Associated Press

Rhode Island—Freddie Archer, 147 1-4, Newark, outpointed Sidney Miller, 154, Detroit, 8; Irving Fatsfaky, 143 3-4, New York, outpointed Leon Kennedy, 147 1-4, New York, 6; Floris Ribeau, 128, Montreal, outpointed Lou Prince, 129, Princeton, N.J., 6.

White Plains, N.Y. — Vince Lacovara, 145 1-4, Mount Vernon, N.Y., outpointed Vic Pignatelo, 141 3-4, New York, 8; Frankie Fischer, 147 1-2, New York, outpointed Jimmy Dixon, 146, Bronx, 152 1-4, Newark, N. J., 6; Jose Primiana, 127 3-4, Montreal, outpointed Jimmy Cagni, 127, Brooklyn, 4; Billie Carrol, 132 3-4, Montreal, drew with Ulmis Sanders, 130 1-2, New York, 6.

Jersey City — Lou Orcio, 144, Newark, outpointed Joe Haddad, 144 Paterson, 10; Steve Curley, 131, Montreal, outpointed Willie Hernandes, 134, Puerto Rico, 6.

112 ROOKIES DUE TO REPORT

Chicago, Feb. 21 (AP)—At least 112 rookies a total comparable to last year's, are expected to report at the eight training camps of American League teams next month.

Heading the list of those most likely to succeed is Bobby Doerr, Martin, who won the American League's most valuable player award by batting .366 with 18 clouters last season. Martin, discharged after 3 1-2 years in the service, is one of 11 rookies the champion St. Louis Browns have in camp. He'll seek an outfield berth.

Boston Red Sox have probably the most colorful rookie in new camp in Tom Sheehan, 19-year-old pitcher from Wyalusing, Pa., one of the Memphis Chicks last year.

Shawinigan Cataracts Beat Valleyfield Braves

Shawinigan Falls, Que., Feb. 21—(CP)—Shawinigan Cataracts, the dore-mats of the Intersprovincial League until they suddenly started to mow in every opponent in sight in their third straight triumph last night by pinning a 12-3 licking on the hapless Valleyfield Braves.

The highly-rated Braves just weren't in the running. After a 13th final, when the Cataract spree were held to a single goal, the homesters ran in five straight counters in the early part of the second and had moved the count to 7-0 in the third before the Braves recovered with both their tallies.

The Cataracts added five more for good measure after that.

Noel Tremblay, Jack Toupin, Herb Carlson and Armand Paquette each scored twice for the winners, Paquette and Hal Anderson drew majors in the second period when they started trading blows and then went at it again after breaking away from restraining hands.



What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

There is a mixed reaction to the suggestion at Ottawa yesterday that the Physical Fitness Branch of the Federal Health Department serve as a link between sport organizations and the government. The suggestion was made by Maj. Ian Eisenhardt, director of physical fitness, urging closer co-operation between the branch and Canadian sport organizations. Officials at Winnipeg football and skating organizations favored the suggestion.

The Eisenhardt suggestion was also welcomed at Regina, where A. W. Pickard, vice-president of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, said co-operation should be mutually helpful, but sports officials at Vancouver said they do not "see" government assistance.

Dan McKenzie, past president of the Canadian Lacrosse Association at Vancouver said "naturally we are interested in seeing the government take an interest in sport, but we might be leaning on a broken read if we depend on Maj. Eisenhardt to speak for us."

At Montreal it was announced last night that Howie Morenz junior will be out of hockey for the rest of the season, having suffered a dislocated shoulder in the exhibition game between Montreal Junior Canadiens and Peg Juniors at Kirkland Lake Friday night.

Harold Clements, former Toronto steeplechase rider, was missing in Germany, now is reported killed in action while fighting with the United States army. Clements was home in Toronto on leave last summer and rode with success at Woodbine Park.

At London last night the Western University Mustangs beat the Chatham training centre 84-62 in an exhibition basketball game. The game was a fairly good and bad basketball with the soldiers outclassed in the second half.



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Cousin Oscar was still in the dining room by himself on account of being such a long and hasty eater, and I'm was talking to pop in the living room, saying, finally, William, his is getting so serious it's losing vestige of humor. Oscar has worn his welcome perfectly threadbare and still he doesn't show the slightest sign of terminating his visit, and now he add coals to Newcastle lora by threatening to leave unless pop insists on his staying. I can smell those clams now, sniff sniff, I can hardly wait to begin to eat.

I think I can wait with little or no difficulty, pop said, and pa said, Oh dear.

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"FILM-STRUCK"

By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 22

"He's my father," Livia told him wearily.

He whistled. "That's the guy you were in?"

Yes—but I didn't know about this. It's the end for me, I'm resigning from the picture."

She walked slowly to the telephone. Bruce overtook her.

"Wait."

"Why?" Her voice was hopeless. Bruce took the telephone from her wheel Livia fainted and slid to the floor.

Bruce carried Livia to her bedroom. She revived in his arms and started to cry. He hushed her as though she were a child, and after a while her tears ceased.

"I'm all right."

"Where's the newspaper?" she asked.

"Can you read it without fainting again?" She tried to smile back.

Yes."

He put a pillow against her back and handed her the newspaper.

The police had raided Al Jonas' vending cloth. A shot had been fired and a policeman killed. When the squad rushed into the room, they found Earl Dixon with a smoking gun in his hand. He was staring at it and not fighting stupidly. There were signs of hasty retreat. Drawers were open and empty.

"I don't believe he did it—unless he was so drunk he didn't know what he was doing. He's not a killer."

She told Bruce all she knew about Earl Dixon.

"The last time I saw him was at Terry Davidson's apartment." Bruce comprehended his lips at the name. so he was in this, too. It would give Earl great pleasure to mess up that pretty weak face.

"I'm not kind of stupid," Livia said, "Because, of course, Terry kept the money I gave for my father. And now Jonas is back—calling me," she concluded desperately, "you're not thoughtful for some minutes.

"I think," he said finally, "I'll call on Mr. Jonas."

"No, don't!"

"From now on I'm handling this, Livia."

"But what good will it do? Besides, my father had the gun in his hand."

Mrs. Sayles came in.

"What's the matter?" she said in alarm.

"Livia's been working too hard." Bruce said quickly. He called his doctor and stayed with her until he arrived.

The first thing was to find Terry. During the period of his disappearance of Bruce's sister, Elizabeth, Bruce had done some research on Terry. He found him on the third try in a second-hand furniture shop in Los Angeles which was a camouflage for a gaming and bookmakers who worked for Jonas.

Terry rose nervously when he saw Bruce in the doorway. He was playing poker with three men, and they stared stolidly at Bruce when he interrupting the game.

"What do you want?" Terry asked curtly.

"To talk to you," Bruce replied quietly.

"Anything wrong, Terry?" said the player dealing the cards. Terry hesitated.

"I'll be back," he said and followed Bruce into another room. "Okay, what's on your mind?"

"Earl Dixon," Bruce said. He rolled a cigarette and looked reflectively at Terry.

"What's that got to do with me?" Terry attefighted a laugh, but it did not quite come off. "I suppose Livia Charkas has tried to implicate me. If that's all you came for I'll be busy." He turned to go back into the other room. Bruce crushed his cigarette with a swift movement and grabbed Terry's arm.

"Not so fast," he said softly. Besides, I didn't say you had anything to do with the shooting.

"By the way, have E.C. Forsythe and Company, Incorporated, failed yet?" The blood drained from Terry's face.

"What d'ye know about that?" he said hastily.

"You'd be surprised," Bruce said. "I know, for instance, that they import silk from the Orient."

Terry's breathing came a little easier.

"And I know," continued Bruce, "that the silk they import is used up for the importation of drugs. Are you still peddling it in Los Angeles?"

"What's this got to do with Dixon or the policeman?" Terry said blustered.

"Did Jonas murder him?" Bruce said. Terry looked nervously toward the inner room.

"Not so loud," he whispered.

"I let you get off the last time," Bruce said, "because I didn't want my sister involved in the filthy mess. But unless you come through now, the police will investigate E. C. Forsythe and Company, Incorporated. Well?"

"I'll see you tonight," Terry whispered as one of the men came to the door.

Bruce sailed in vain for Terry that evening. He went to Al Jonas' eight-room flat in Beverly Hills, but was shuttered and a caretaker told him that everyone else was away and the club would not be opened.

Bruce tried to look cheerful when he saw Livia the next day.

"I'm not going to the studio," she told him. "I'll have to tell Charles today—he's been too swell. I can't ruin his picture."

"Don't do anything until I've seen Earl Dixon," Bruce said. She finally promised.

Bruce pretended to the officer in charge of the prison that he was Dixon's lawyer.

It was hard to believe that the battered wreck, twitching nervously in the bare white-tiled visiting room was the father of the girl he loved.

"I don't want a lawyer," he told Bruce flatly. "Leave me alone."

Not all of Bruce's persuasion could elicit more from Dixon than that he had not been alone when the shooting took place.

"But I reckon I did it all right," he mumbled. He looked furtively around. "You haven't have some liquor on you, would you?" Bruce shook his head. "I thought not," said Dixon desperately.

"Was Jonas there?" Bruce asked.

"I guess I don't remember much of what happened. You see," he continued gravely, "I was a little confused at the time. Now if you'll excuse me—" He went away with the attending policeman.

Well, did he do it?" Livia demanded before Bruce was inside the room.

He looked like a frame-up," Bruce said.

"Jonas?"

"He or one of his men."

"Did my — my father" mention me?"

"No — and I don't think he's going to. Livia, you've got to see, he thinks he's killed the policeman. He's going to take the rap for it anyway. I guess it's fitting that he hasn't much to live for one way or another."

"That's awful."

"I'm only concerned about you. You can't give up that picture now."

"I thought you didn't want me to be a star?"

"I didn't, but now I do," he said grimly. "Everyone was crazy about you. Be brilliant."

"Until I get mixed up with these people Jonas—"

"Yes. You've got to go back to the picture day after tomorrow—or they'll sue you out altogether."

"I can't."

"You must."

"All right, I'll try, but I don't know how long I can keep going."

"You'll keep going until the end of the picture. I'll take you to the studio," he volunteered, and she was grateful. It would help to have Bruce somewhere in the darkness beyond the bright, glaring lights.

Fordyce looked at Livia critically when she let him on the lot.

"Feeling better?" he asked.

"Oh, much better," Livia hoped her voice was convincing.

"Then let's get started then," Fordyce said abruptly.

In the scene Livia had to display the terror of the desertion of the husband she loved. Fordyce coached her. "Let it come from both she found it impossible to concentrate on what the director was saying. He was saying his cut the scene into small fragments.

"All you have to do, Livia, is to open the door, stand there, and take in that your husband is packing his clothes—that's all."

Over and over again the scene was rehearsed. Then they "took" it.

Maybe she would do better in the next scene.

But she had to rush up to her husband and throw out everything he had put in his bag. Her face was actually distorted—right for the scene.

"Print it," Charles cried after one "take".

Bruce slipped quietly away after that. He had a lot to do—Sheriff's to find Al Jonas. But first he went to the jail.

"You can't see Earl Dixon," he was told.

"Why not?"

"He's seriously ill—brain fever. They've moved him to the infirmary. It looks like pneumonia that case."

"I hope so, poor devil," Bruce said and strolled slowly away.

It would be the best way for Earl Dixon. But what of Livia?

The next day Dixon's illness was in the afternoon papers. There was another, the first one he'd seen since the shoot. The police were looking for Al Jonas. The mayor of Los Angeles was demanding a shake-up down on the race-track racket. A grand jury had been informed of the wide-spread race fixing. Al Jonas was named as ring-leader.

"I've got to find him before the police do," Bruce thought. Jonas was the type of criminal who would sink everyone on board with him. The paper Livia had signed must not be found by the police.

Bruce's mind was busy and his heart and intellect at odds.

He's raving. It won't do you any good," said a man in the hospital office.

"If he's as sick as you say, he won't make him any worse if I sit with him."

Bruce had been shadowed ever since his visit to Terry Davidson's. The Los Angeles police would help his plan if the men shadowing him reported him to their boss —Al Jonas—that Bruce had been with the delirious man.

He stayed thirty minutes. Then he went back to the set, noting that the men still followed him. Livia had seen the rushes and knew she was crying.

"I'm afraid I'm licked," Fordyce told Bruce helplessly.

"When shall Alice Delaware start?" Bruce asked.

"Tomorrow—and there's nothing to do now but to stop it."

"Give Livia another day," Bruce pleaded.

"I've already jeopardized the picture," Fordyce said, "Sorry, can't do it."

"Not even if I guarantee that by this time tomorrow she'll be all right?"

"Sorry, no can do."

Livia joined them.

"It's hopeless, Bruce," she said, "I'm through. I'm all done, I know it."

"Paid so, Livia," Fordyce said kindly, "it's as disappointed as you are."

"Promise me one thing," Bruce persisted.

"If I can," said Fordyce cautiously. Bruce took him aside.

"Don't use Alice until 12 o'clock tomorrow."

"All right—but that's final." Fordyce walked slowly away from the studio gates.

"Better get in my car," a voice said quietly. Livia felt a hand substance pressed against her arm. Bruce introduced George Maxwell, husband of Livia's friend, Vera, one of the two men.

"What of earth are you doing here?" Bruce exclaimed. George looked at them contemptuously and did not reply. They drove away.

They drove to a narrow street near Vera's at Santa Monica and stopped in front of a wooden house.

The three men mounted the precarious wooden stairs. A small aperture in a closed door slid open, and a dark eye filled it.

The door was opened. Al Jonas went back to the army cot against one of the sound-proofed walls.

"Things must be tough when you have to hide in this dump." Bruce said pleasantly. He let his hand to his pockets and found himself looking into a gun, held by George Maxwell, the husband of Livia's friend, Vera.

"I was only going to roll a cigarette," Bruce said calmly.

"Let him have his cigarette," said Jonas benignly.

Maxwell while Bruce spilled the tobacco carefully on the thin paper,

"You bad about Earl Dixon, hey?" Jonas said quietly. Bruce lit his cigarette.

He wanted a confession of murder from Jonas. Then he had to get away, with second hopeless. There was a window, but it was high and barred. Maxwell guarded the door.

Bruce is only one way to deal with people who stick their noses into other people's business," said Al pleasantly, "and that's bad you couldn't leave Earl Dixon to die nicely and without any trouble."

"Did you kill the policeman?"

"And if I did—what?"

Bruce wasn't sure. He couldn't leave this room alive, what difference did any of it make?

"Stand over there," Jonas barked. He jerked his head to one side of the room. "Go on," he said as Bruce hesitated, vainly seeking a way out.

"They tell me it doesn't hurt at all," Jonas said pleasantly.

Bruce started to walk slowly to the wall.

"Have you a last message for your—Livia?" Jonas laughed.

Bruce suddenly flung himself on Jonas. A shot rang out. The speaker's face twisted grotesquely, and he pitched forward with outstretched arms falling the air. The man who had fired the shot said, "I aimed at the other guy." He scrambled as Jonas pulled the trigger of his gun three times. The two men lay still.

"The car outside," Maxwell said to Bruce, I'll join you in a minute."

(To be continued)

Mayor's Secretary Committed for Trial

Hamilton, Feb. 21 (CP)—William V. Patterson, ex-Secretary to the Mayor of Hamilton, was committed for trial on a charge of being an accessory after the fact to the concealment of the birth of a baby whose body was found Jan. 8 in a snowbank east of the city.

Wilhelmina McCash, Miss Dunbar, awaiting sentence on a charge of concealing the birth named Patterson as the father. She testified the baby was born in a snowbank Jan. 7 as they were endeavoring to obtain assistance.

At the conclusion of hearing, Crown Attorney Harry McGregor suggested to the court that the press be asked not to use any evidence which might be construed as prejudicial to Patterson.

RADIO PROGRAMS

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 21

—6.00 p.m.
CBL—Relax and Enjoy Music.
—6.15 p.m.
CBL—News. Farm Markets.
—6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wm. McKnight, sports.
—6.45 p.m.
CBL—Lowell Thomas.
CBL—BBC News.
—6.50 p.m.
CFRB—Did I Say That?
—7.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show,"
—7.15 p.m.
WBEN, WGY-N—Vandercook, news.
—7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Jan 'n' Abner.
WKBW-CBS—The Easy Aces.
WBEN—At Intermittal House.
—7.45 p.m.
WGR—H. V. Kaltenborn.
—8.00 p.m.
WBEN, WGY—Mr. and Mrs. North.
CFRB-CBS—Jack Carter Show.
—8.15 p.m.
CJBC-MBS—Sonny Skylark.
—8.30 p.m.
CFRB—Treasure Trail.
WBEN-NBC—Carlton of Cheers.
CJBC—The Little Review.
WGR-B—My Best Wife.
WJR, WKBW-CBS—Dr. Christian.
—8.55 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Eddie Cantor.
WKBW-CBS—Frank Sinatra.
WGR-Blue—Keep Up.p
—9.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—District Attorney.
WKBW-CBS—Which is Which.
—10.00 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—News.
WBEN-NBC—Joseph Kyser.
CFRB-CBS—Great Music.
—10.15 p.m.
CBL—"The Soldier's Return."
—10.30 p.m.
WGR-B—Scramby Amby.
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CJBC—Dance Orchestra.
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—11.00 p.m.
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CBL—Swingology.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF HARRIET ANN GAY, Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of Harriet Ann Gay, late of the Township of Ameliasburg, in the County of Prince Edward, Widow, deceased, who died on or about the 16th. day of December, A.D. 1946, are required to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned, on or before the 31st. day of March, 1945.
AND NOTICE is further given that after the said date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to such claims as he shall then have had notice.
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KING GIVEN ACCOUNT

London, Feb. 21 —(CP)— Prime Minister Churchill and Foreign Secretary Eden last night gave first-hand accounts of the big Three Crimean conference to the King in an audience at Buckingham Palace.

TRENTON

Happily Wed For 50 Years

Trenton, Feb. 21 — Mr. and Mrs. Chester Higgins, R. R. No. 3, Trenton, celebrated their golden anniversary on Tuesday last but unfortunately due to the condition of country roads at the present time were unable to entertain their many friends as they would have wished.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins were married 50 years ago on the Methodist Church in Trenton by the Rev. Mr. Johnson, and have lived for the forty-six years in the home they now occupy on their farm just west of Trenton.

Mrs. Higgins, the former Mary Martin, was born in Manchester years ago in Manchester, England, and came out to Canada when a child of seven.

Mr. Higgins was born in Belleville, seventy-two years ago, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ben Higgins. Mr. and Mrs. Higgins have three children, Fred, living at home with his parents on the farm; Mrs. Rose Young, of Carrollton; and Mrs. Ethel Hamilton, also of Trenton, a great grandchildren.

Mr. Higgins has always been a most successful fruit grower and still is actively engaged in this work, while Mrs. Higgins has been a cellent health and able to perform all her own household duties.

Their many friends in Trenton, Belleville and district will extend them hearty congratulations and hope they may be spared to enjoy many years of active and happy farm life.

Council May Buy Diesel Grader For Town's Use

Trenton, Feb. 21 — What may prove the first step towards modernizing the town with a modern machinery for already a number of summer and winter was taken by the Trenton council at its last meeting, when it was decided to invite tenders for a caterpillar diesel motor grader. The council was shown moving pictures depicting this type of machine in use in the United States by a manufacturer's agent, in which the road construction and maintenance and also has a power attachment for opening and grading snowbound roads.

The council is particularly interested in the latter service in view of the fact that the town has to rent bulldozer to cope with the record snowfalls of the past two or three months. The only piece of equipment the town now owns is a truck with plough attachment which broke down early in the season, and is still under repair after several weeks.

The council, if it decides to make a purchase, will have to make application for release to the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, and it will also have to be cleared by the department of labor before the decision to purchase was made. Although a majority of council appparently favored it.

Mayor Thompson stated,

The committee in charge of supplies for the corvette "Trentonian" has been advised that the vessel's commander Lieut. Harrison has been appointed to command the C.S. Joliette and command of the "Trentonian's" has been appointed Lieut. C. Glasco, of Hamilton, Ont., whose father is a prominent doctor of that city. Lieut. Glasco joined the R.C.N.V.R. in 1941 and last year was First Lieut. on board the Ville de Quebec.

On the Joliette with Commander Harrison is a Trenton boy Stoker Clyde Mason, whose wife, the former Margaret Andison and two small children reside in Trenton.

TO BE EXECUTED MARCH 5TH

London, Feb. 21 —(CP)— Execution date for Sgt. Clifford Runham, parachute trooper of Cambridge, Mass., and Corporal Frederick Arthur Beth Jones was set today for March 5th.

Both have been convicted of the robbery-slaying of George Heath, London's "Chich Citizen" after an appeal from the earlier conviction was refused yesterday.

ARRESTED AT NAPANEE

Napanee, Feb. 21 —(CP)— Robert Murray of Kingston, foreman of a local coal storage plant here, was charged with being found in possession of stolen property. He was released on $1,000 bail. Murray was arrested last night when police said he admitted buying butter stolen from creamery here. Prices board officers have recovered a portion of the butter.

NOTICE

An X-Ray clinic for diseases of lungs is being held Thursday and Friday, February 27 and 28 in the old Standard Bank Building. Your local Board of Health urges all who are due for appointments for an X-Ray Chest at the Mass survey clinic to avail themselves of this opportunity for these reasons:

1st—It is accepted that an X-Ray or film of the lungs is a most efficient method of discovering Tuberculosis.

2nd—Tuberculosis is a contagious disease and survey of apparently healthy groups offers the best opportunity of finding unknown cases.

3rd—Tuberculosis is curable and the earlier the discovery, the earlier the recovery.

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MURDER CHARGE LAID

Quebec, Feb. 21 —(CP)— Paul Hamel, 25, has been charged with murder yesterday after a coroner's jury had unanimously recommended for the butcher-knife slaying of his aunt, Mrs. Alfred Giroux, 77, on Saturday night.

NO SECRET AGREEMENTS

Washington, Feb. 21 —(AP)— France has sought and received assurances from the United States that no secret agreements were made by President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Premier Stalin at Yalta for the guarantees of liberated countries of Europe, it was learned last night.

Permanent Record of Thoughts In Drawings; Cuneiform Tablets And Writing at Basis of All Progress

The place of tremendous importance which books and writing have played in inspiring the progress of the universities was the subject of St. Andrew's Men's club at their regular monthly dinner meeting yesterday evening in the Hotel Quinte. Howard of Albert College was the guest speaker.

The speaker declared that all the progress of the ages and all the progress which has been achieved by the civilized nations of the world to-day is the fact that man learned to record his thoughts in a permanent form. This first was achieved by the drawing of pictures on the walls of caves, this developed to cuneiform writing and finally the alphabet was devised.

So important writing and books in modern life is the position of saying that the destruction of the human race would be most quickly accomplished by destroying of schools and universities and other centres of learning. This had been the attempt of the Germans and the Japanese. The Chinese, however, had realized the truism of the importance of their cultural assets and with the invasion of their homelands by the Japanese had preserved them by laboriously carrying them into the mountains.

Values of Books.

Very often books had accomplished that which famous professors and ministers had failed to achieve in years of lecturing. Inspiration and ideals were frequently put across through medium of book writing, with the result that Archbishop Hence John Fox Jr. in his Trail of the Lonesome Pine, had brought about appreciation that in mountain folk was represented the true spirit of the Canadian Rockies. Dickens in his desire to save the children of the poor from a hell which people of today know nothing of, had written the immortal Oliver Twist.

But Dr. Bible through the years had shone with the light of truth and had remained the most popular book ever printed.

President Charles Brown presided over the meeting with 15 members being called upon to introduce the speaker. A vote of thanks to Albert College was expressed by Mr. Arthur Hill. Entertainment during the supper hour was provided by the Belleville collegiate quartette, the members of which rendered harmonized versions of popular numbers. During the business session a proposal of the men's club purchasing a moving picture projector for use by the various church organizations was introduced by the president.

TORONTO EXCHANGE

Toronto, Feb. 21 (CP) — Base metals and western oils posted minor gains and industrials and golds were down moderately this afternoon on the Toronto exchange. Trading was active at 697,000 shares.

Trans-Reconrses jumped thirty cents to $3.60 and then went off to end to 2.60 for a net gain of 15 cents.

Nickel gained nearly a point, Canadian Malartic and cheaper base metals doing better were Steep Rock and Pend Oreille.

Western oil industrials appeared mainly in the steel, liquor and food groups.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, Feb. 21 (AP) — Stocks fell fractions to two points under a wave of selling prompted by the reports of Marriner S. Eccles, Federal Reserve Board chairman, that speculative activity on stocks and real estate be subjected to additional heavy taxes as a wartime measure.

A few sections of the market were bolstered by investment buying. Near the fourth hour the general run of issues was 1 to 5% above the day's lows.

Scattered commodities were irregular.

Eccles' relief that the impact of selling included Chrysler, U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, General Motors, Goodyear, Allied Chemical, Sears Roebuck and Harvester. Lake Shore and Public Service were off a point. Lake Shore and Public Service were off lost ½ and Hiram Walker dropped a point. McIntyre was off ⅝.

LIVESTOCK

Toronto, Feb. 21 — (CP) — Cattle trade was slow with prices barely up to mid-season on the livestock market here today. Calves, lambs sheep and hogs were steady. Sows were up 50 cents over late yesterday and were the only notable change.

Receipts reported by the Dominion Marketing Service were: Cattle 600, calves 200, hogs 900, sheep and lambs 900. Receipts from yesterday were 800 head of cattle.

Prices in the trade included:
Cattle: Steers $11 - $13, heifer butcher steers $9.50-$11.50, heifers $9 down, butcher cows $7-$9, canners downward to $5.50, bulls 7.50-$9.50, yearling grass $10-$13.

Calves; $13.50-$14.50 choice, common downward to $10.

Lambs: a few good $14.50-$15, common downward to $8.

Sheep: $5-$6.

Obituary

MRS. JESSIE TUFTS (Tweed)

Mrs. Jessie Tufts, widow of Arthur Tufts, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Montgomery, near Tweed, on Tuesday afternoon. Feb. 20th., after a lengthy illness.

The late Mrs. Tufts, who was advanced in years, was born in the 2nd concession of Tyendinaga Township, and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Sherman. When a young woman she went to the United States where she taught school until her marriage. For over fifty years she resided in that neighborhood and was highly esteemed in the community. She was a member of the Anglican Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Miss Madeline Tufts, Toronto, and Mrs. Montgomery, Tweed, and one brother, Wm. Sherman, Tweed. Two sons predeceased her, Walter Tufts now serving with the U. S. Marines, and Harry Tufts, Montreal. Mr. Harry Tufts, Madoc, and Stanley Tufts of Perth; three sisters, Miss Sherman, Tweed, Mrs. Montgomery, Tweed, Mrs. James Cole, Corbyville, and Mrs. Frederick Carscallen, Wellington; two brothers, Robert Sherman, Belleville, and Charles Sherman, Windsor, Ont.

The funeral announcement is made in this issue.

C.N.R. NET REVENUE LOWER

Montreal, Feb. 21 — (CP) — Operating revenues of the Canadian National Railways system, all-inclusive, for the month of January announced to $32,562,000. Operating expenses totalled $28,141,000, leaving net revenue was $3,854,000. In January, 1944, revenues were $28,406,000; expenses, $28,073,000, and net revenue $5,023,000.

JAP STRATEGY INADEQUATE

London, Feb. 21 — (CP) — A Red Star article broadcast in Moscow today said Japan's military strategy in the Pacific war has proved inadequate and that "latest events show that the invasion of Japan proper is now out of the question."

Vest calves 11-16, mostly 11-13. Grassers generally 9-9.50. Lambs 14 ewes and bucks fetched 11-11.50. Bulk of lambs in bags was made at 13.50 for Grade A Ewes 15-15.50.

Inspector Given 'Warm' Welcome

Guests at the Rotary Club luncheon this week raised quintal eyebrows at the "introduction of guests" portion of the meeting.

The usual hearty ovation accorded guests was missing when one of the number rose to his feet.

Instead, casually, bose, and rose of "throw him out" echoed in the luncheon room from venerable and other hearty throats.

The noise eventually subsided, and others guests relaxed and smiles beamed on chubmen faces. It was all good cheer at the Meade.

The guest introduced was Mr. W. H. Feld, inspector of income tax for this district.

Mrs. H. W. Dillnutt Re-elected Pres. British Israel Federation Group

The annual election of officers of the British - Israel - World Federation, Belleville branch, took place on Monday last in the L.O.O.F. Hall with a goodly number in attendance.

With the President, Mrs. H. W. Dillnutt in the chair last year's business was discussed, the reports read and adopted. Mr. Morton then took the chair for the election of officers which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Dillnutt; 1st vice president, Mrs. Morton; 2nd vice president, Mr. M. Stork; secretary, Mr. Steven Aman; treasurer, Miss H. Averill; librarian, Sgt. Aman; membership secretary, Mrs. Dillnutt; pianist, Mrs. Aman; publicity secretary, Mr. J. Ketcheson.

Plans were laid for the coming season and the meeting closed with the Benediction.

Madoc Juveniles Defeat Eldorado

Madoc, Feb. 21 — The Madoc A.A. Juveniles defeated the Eldorado kids 10 to 3 in their first game in the North Hastings juvenile hockey title and the Donman Trophy on Monday.

W. Hawthorne of Madoc scored all three of the Madoc markers while C. Thompson registered both Eldorado goals. The second game will be played tonight.

Over 500 fans were on hand to take in the game at the Madoc rink, that saw Hawthorne open the scoring on a pass from C. Plaxton four minutes later C. Thompson evened matters for Eldorado by driving home H. Pigden's pass but Hawthorne put the homesters up once again by scoring M. Carew's pass out.

Hawthorne picked up his third Madoc counter for the only goal scored in the middle session, while C. Thompson notched the lone third period goal for Eldorado on a pass from F. Sherwood. Carew in the Madoc nets was the star of the game with his fine net-minding.

The line-ups—

Madoc A. A.—goal, C. Carswell; defence, A. Shaw, W. Hawthorne; centre, M. Carew; wings, C. Reynolds, W. Hawthorne; reserves, C. Fechner, Lake, K. Johnston, R. McCoy, J. Foote.

Eldorado — goal, G. Pigden; defence, A. Shaw, W. Hawthorne; centre, H. Pigden, J. Thompson; centre, C. Thompson; wings, F. Sherwood, W. Nickle, E. Pigden, H. Whyte.

MONTREAL LIVESTOCK

Montreal, Feb. 21 —(CP)— Livestock prices were firm today on the local markets. Receipts: Cattle 36, lambs 4, hogs 400, calves 50.

Few cattle offered mostly common grades. Selling butcher cows 7.25-8.25, Bologna bulls 6.50-8.25.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM ALBERT HOLMES, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, Contractor, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 51, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of William Albert Holmes, late of the City of Belleville, who died on the 2nd day of March, A.D. 1942, are requested to forward their claims to the undersigned on or before the 2nd. day of March, 1947.
AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said date the Executrix will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which she shall then have notice.
DATED at Belleville, Ontario, this 13th. day of February, A.D. 1945.
EDWARD E. FOLWELL,
Barrister, Etc.,
Belleville, Ontario.
Solicitor for the executrix.
P14,21,28

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ELIZA ANN CHRISTIAN EARLE, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, Retired, deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 51, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Eliza Ann Christian Earle, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, who died on or about the 25th. day of December, 1944, are requested to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned on or before the 28th. day of February, 1945.
AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said date the Executrix will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which she shall then have notice.
DATED at Belleville, Ontario, this 5th. day of February, A.D. 1945.
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Belleville, Ontario
Solicitor for the executrix.
P7,14,21

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Marmora

Marmora — Reeve W. R. Lake is a patient in Kingston General Hospital.

Mr. Joseph Murray is quite ill at his home here.

Miss Mary Reid of Oshawa, and Miss Margaret Reid of Toronto, spent the weekend at their home at Deloro.

Miss Mary Murray of Toronto, is spending a few days at her home here.

Miss Betty Drew returned to Deloro on Sunday after spending a week in Belleville as the guest of Miss Jean Elliott.

Sergt. George Emigh of Kingston, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pack.

Mrs. Cecil Armstrong of Glanmire, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. W. D. Lavender.

Pte. Gardiner of Alnwick spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Gardiner.

The following attended the Belleville Blood Donors Clinic on Thursday, William Reeves 1st; Eugene Brady 11, George Brooks 4, Jack Aitchison 7, Clifford Quinn 1.

Group 2 of St. Paul's Ladies' Guild held a successful bake sale and afternoon tea in the Jones Block on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Manley Lavender returned home from Belleville General Hospital on Saturday.

Week Day of Prayer.

The World Day of Prayer service was held in St. Paul's Anglican Church on Friday afternoon, Feb. 16th. Mrs. (Rev.) J. M. Brownlie welcomed the good attendance of ladies and took the opening prayers. The call to worship was led by Mrs. Hamilton Crawford and the first Scripture readings by Mrs. W. D. Lavender. This was followed by the call to Thanksgiving taken by Mrs. (Rev.) E. M. Cade, the solo parts being sung by Mrs. Percy Gray accompanied by Mrs. J. R. Hawkins who was at the organ for the hymns sung throughout the service. The call to confession was taken by Mrs. H. R. Hawke and the Intercessions by Mrs. J. M. Brownlie. Brief extemporaneous prayers were offered by Mesdames Ed. Milne, Hawke, H. R. Hawke, W. Hickey, H. C. Barlow and C. H. Rudkin. Responsive sentences were led by Mrs. Brownlie. During the offertory taken for the Women's Missionary Societies by Mrs. Don Robertson and Mrs. (Dr.) A. Burwash, Mrs. C. V. Wansbrough sang "The Lord's Prayer". Following more Scripture readings by Mrs. W. D. Lavender, the service was closed with prayer by Mrs. J. M. Brownlie.

38 Donors Attend Clinic.

The second anniversary trip of Mixmers and clerks' blood donors to Belleville on Sunday consisted of a new record with twenty-two donors on hand. Five new donors in that number raised the number of Bellefield donors to 36. Frank Badour in making his twelfth donation heads the list, Merle Gordon added himself to the number who have given eleven donations. A total of 146 donors is good number of which were from Prince Edward County visited the clinic. The attending doctors were Drs. R. S. Gibson and G. E. Dafoe. Those who represented this district were Erwin Badour 12, Merle Gordon 11, W. J. Cottrell 4, A. W. Peters 3, Hugh Brady 5, Mrs. C. R. Whittemore 1, Gordon Jones 1, Ray Lucas 3, Mrs. S. Williams 3, Gerald Finks 4, William Neal 4, Bernard Finnigan 2, Mrs. H. J. Neath 2, Leone Reynolds 2, Mrs. M. J. Corrigan 2, Wilfrid Bedore 2, Mrs. Grace Gray 3, Bisscher Hogg 1, Denis Colonna 1, Lawrence Dale 1, Roy Thompson 1, Clayton Thompson 1.

Madoc

Madoc — William Hawthorne is spending a few days with his family in Madoc.

Lyon Phillips of the R.C.N.V.R. is spending a few days with relatives in Madoc.

The Day of Prayer was observed in St. Peter's Presbyterian Church on Friday afternoon, Mrs. W. Miller president of St. Peter's W.M.S. in charge and the program prepared for the day was carried out by members of the several churches in the village. Mrs. DeWolfe and Mrs. Earl Armstrong representing the Standard Church, Mrs. Ira Heyworth the Anglican Church, Mrs. Cawker the United Church and Mrs. Sharp, Mrs. Walden, Mrs. Downey and Miss VanAlley the Presbyterian Church. Despite the weather there was a very good attendance of the ladies. Mrs. Larson presided at the piano.

Miss Elaine Taylor of Toronto spent the weekend at her home in Madoc.

Misses Betty and Barbara Phillips of Peterborough, spent a few days with relatives in Madoc.

Madoc W. I.

The February meeting of Madoc's Women's Institute was held in the assembly room of the high school.

Mrs. Geo. Hall, president, called the members to order and the meeting opened at 2.30 p.m. with "O Canada." Mrs. Wheal presided at the piano. Following the reading of the minutes of the January meeting, the roll call answered by "My First School Teacher" showed eleven members and five visitors present. Letters of thanks were received from Ralph Martin, Roy Smith, C. Brown and Allan Martin overseas for gifts received. Plans are being arranged for sending gifts overseas at Easter, also catering for the Easter dance by the Women's Institute. Wheal as guest speaker addressed the members on Education in Other Countries, Russia, China and Mexico. Russian educators are shown to be much broader than ours, with open air schools for all ages and all degrees of mentality. The school ages are to teach, fight and etc., to take older boys and girls' jobs who are in war work. Schooling is free as well as educational movies. In China, where years ago all outside influence was checked and girl babies were killed, women were not educated. Now education is open to girls and study is carried on even in moving schools. In Mexico where only boys mattered, girls are now educated. Sports are introduced and foreign teachers are imported. Secondary education is compulsory. Girls are especially well groomed. In Russia educational guidance is stressed. Student activities are encouraged. The final thought was that one youth is ready to accept and learn more if given the opportunity rather than a few. Miss Phyllis Beatty sang a solo and an encore accompanied by Stanley Hawthorne. They then favored the audience with a vocal duet, Mrs. Geo. West in the absence of Mrs. K. Brown took charge of Current Events. Instead of a series of war events she chose to read an article on research carried on by the government at the Sylvanic or Suhonic Plants spread by bees and gophers. A vote of thanks was tendered the guest speaker and those who assisted in the program. Mrs. Hill expressed appreciation to Miss McDermid for the use of the school. After closing with the National Anthem the meeting adjourned to the library where Mrs. Beatty conducted a valentine contest. Refreshments were served by Mrs. R. Perry, Mrs. C. Henderson, Mrs. W. Hill and Mrs. Tanner.

Wallbridge

Wallbridge — Mrs. W. Badgley conducted a splendid Temperance program at the close of the usual S. S. session on Sunday morning.

On Friday evening at the close of the school under the leadership of their teacher, Miss Phillips, a Valentine party at the school house. A splendid program of choruses, choral readings, recitations and plays all in keeping with Valentine's day was given. At the close of the program, the pupils exchanged Valentines with each other. The Juniors enjoyed a sleighride on the school yard and the older ones played games inside. At the close, candies, pop, corn and cookies were passed. A silver collection was taken for the Mission Band. There was a very happy evening the interest taken in the work.

The "World's Day of Prayer" service in connection with the W.M.S. was held at the home of Mr. Nobes Friday afternoon. Due to road and weather conditions and sickness in the neighborhood the attendance was not large, but the program was carried out.

We are glad to report that the sick of the neighborhood are improving. Mrs. O. Colby is home from the hospital and able to be around. Mrs Chilcoat is also improving and Mr. James Sine.

Mr. Barton Hinchliffe and June and Mrs. Bonnie Moore visited Mr. and Mrs W. Blackburn and family, Sidney, Sunday.

The members of the Ladies' Aid held their quilting last Wednesday afternoon at the homes of Mrs. F. Phillips, Mrs. Cecil Sine and Mrs. Wilfred Johnston. All were completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Johnston attended the funeral of the former's aunt in Hawden last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pound and Rose, Hamilton, spent a recent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Hards.

Wallbridge W.M.S. February meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Morley Phillips with a good attendance of members and friends and was in charge of the President, Mrs. W. Badgley. The devotional service as given in the Misglonary Monthly was led by Group Leader Mrs. Cecil Sine. A collection was taken for the circulating library. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were given. Mrs. S. M. Nicolson read a letter re the allocation and the missionary for prayer. She also gave a reading "Kindness is Not Rationed." Mrs. Morley Phillips gave a short message on Temperance. The grain used for the making of liquor would feed five millions of starving people.

Mrs. Badgley gave a short talk on mission work in Trinidad. Mrs. R. F. Elliott then gave the chapter from the Study Book a nine Church in Thailand and Pyrenc India China giving some most interesting information. Mrs. Hannah gave a reading "Look on the Bright Side" and the meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Cecil Sine.

The W.A. meeting immediately followed in charge of Mrs. A. Clark. It was opened with singing and prayer by Mrs. Hills. The treasurer's report was given. A discussion followed re some quilting to be done. The meeting closed with prayer.

MAJ. BONG STILL U. S. ACE

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33 MORE REICH TOWNS TAKEN IN MOSELLE VALLEY

Yanks Fight Way To Within 5 Miles Of City of Trier

City Keystone of Defence System Before Middle Rhine

By JAMES M. LONG
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 22 (AP)—The U.S. 3rd Army fought its way to within five miles of Trier today, crossed the Saar river against disintegrated German resistance and swept to 38 more German towns in the Moselle valley.

The drive developed as British and Canadian troops of the 1st Canadian army drove to within 2-500 yards of bitter-contesting Kleve car in their offensive aimed toward the Ruhr valley.

Third army tanks and infantry were within sight of the main defensive works covering Trier, a city of 58,000 and keystone of the whole German defense system before the middle Rhine. They were 1 1-4 miles from Ehrang, site of a large fort at the confluence of the Saar and Moselle rivers.

The 3rd army columns advanced three miles or more immediately north of the Luxembourg Saar district, the U.S. 7th army struck into the district from the south, advancing to within two miles of ruined Saarbruecken, the capital.

Troops of the 7th captured half of Forbach, French gateway to Saarbruecken, the raw coalmining city of the Volkszahn who wore holster-ed by Dorothy Lamour, Werner Spilcrhen fell and the Siegfried line was within view.

Resistance Disintegrates

A report from 12th Army Group headquarters said German resistance in the Saar-Moselle triangle, now virtually ended, had "completely disintegrated." The Saar crossing south of Saarburg was unopposed.

Saarburg itself was almost cleared, the only organized resistance of a general German withdrawal into the rugged Hochwald.

Despite the gains of the 3rd Army and the steady chipping progress of British and Canadian troops in the north, it was evident that Gen. Eisenhower had not yet loosed his full-scale offensive.

Between the forces was the greatest potential weapon of the whole western front—the British 2nd, the American 1st and 9th Armies—still waiting for their hour at the flooded Roer River slowly receded before them.

May Have Breached Dam.

Reports of the 3rd army, Army group headquarters told of a tremendous explosion just before midnight near the Urftalsperre dam on the Roer headwaters. Its reservoir empties into the Rursee-Schwammenauel Lake, now 90 per cent empty, and was apparently completely apparent whether the dam had been breached, causing new floods on the Roer. The river up to midnight was sufficiently low and slow to allow bridging of the 1st. Army front near the dams, southwest of Monschau.

Bright sun bathed the western front again today and again came out early. In 5,400 sorties yesterday, bombers and fighters of Marshes as Dubburg, Nuernberg, Berlin, Worms and Calcar—the latter 17 times.

Carry Thru' to Mayland

The American army drive, moving forward again after days of bitter fighting in Monshouwer had carried through the streets of Morsbach and into the northwest of Siegcar, in a drive increasing the threat to the Ruhr.

Other troops striking from the north reached the line of the Gochem railway at a point a little more than two miles west of Uedem.

The triangle formed by the Moselle and Saar Rivers, long a massive enemy defense stronghold, was all but erased by the 3rd. Army.

One of the biggest prizes was Tawert, 6½ miles southwest of Trier, a city of 7,000 and the most important in the path of 3rd. Army tanks and infantry.

Added to 2,000 captured yesterday, 3rd. Army men have scooped up 64 Germans in the last 24 hours. advances of more than 12 miles. Opposition was generally light.

The Saar was crossed in assault boats by the 95th. Infantry, which forged 3½ miles southeast of Saarburg which an armored division was behind.

The American 7th. Army further south moved within 3½ miles of the devastated Saarbrucken and fought house to house through the nearby French rail and industrial centre of Forbach (population 11,-500). Historic Spicheren on the border, which the Germans stormed in a great battle in the Franco-Prussian war of 1870, was taken.

THIRD MARINE DIVISION THROWN INTO TWO FIGHT

Make Timely Arrival on Wednesday to Hold Lines Already Taken

By AL DOFKING
(A.P. War Correspondent)

Guam, Feb. 22 (AP) — Several heavy Japanese counter attacks last night were driven back by marines on the slopes of Central Two Island, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Pacific fleet commander, announced today.

Offensives were resumed by the marines toward the central fighter field and toward the Suribachi volcano fortress on the southern tip of the island but little ground was gained.

The renewed attacks were launched with the support of the 3rd. Marine Division, poured onto the island yesterday to support the 4th. and 5th. Divisions which had been temporarily halted by bitter Japanese resistance.

7 Planes Shot Down.

Seven Japanese planes were shot down in an air attack which inflicted some damage on the U.S. fleet standing offshore.

American casualties were estimated 365 killed and 4,168 wounded up to 8:45 p.m. yesterday.

A number of enemy guns and heavily-defended positions were knocked out.

Marines, supported by flame-throwing tanks and tanks, launched an assault on the northern face of Suribachi yesterday afternoon.

The 3rd Division, victors over the Japanese in the invasion of Bougainville and Guam, made a timely arrival Wednesday as headquarters for the first time acknowledged "no appreciable change in our lines."

The reinforcements were rushing to the ranks officially listed for the

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Manitoba: Partly cloudy and moderately cold with scattered snowflurries Friday, generally fair and slightly milder.

Manila Hotel Scene of Fight To Death in Hand-to-Hand Battle

Manila, Feb. 22 (CP) — Only scattered enemy remnants were left on Corregidor today but fanatically resisting Japanese troops still held out on the second floor of the Manila Hotel, turning the hotel into the bitterest battle spot in the capital city at dawn today.

Early front-line reports that elements of the 188th Glider Infantry had captured the big hotel, one of the most luxurious in the Orient, have been corrected to say they have cleared the ground floor, with the Japanese on the second.

Typical of the bitter inch-by-inch struggle of the Corregidor trapped Japanese blew themselves up yesterday in the midst of one of the principal underground ammunition depots.

Southeast of the Manila Hotel, infantry engaged Japanese in the city hall after capturing the three-storey Ermita Normal School.

Howitzers and cannon were pounding the 40-foot-thick eastern wall of the Intramuros to make way for tanks and infantrymen determined to clean up the fight-and-die Japanese.

2,200 PLANES HIT TWENTY CENTRES IN MIDDLE REICH

During Night Rail Bottlenecks of Worms, Duisburg and Berlin Heavily Pounded

London, Feb. 22 (CP) — Fleets of 2,200 American planes attacked 30 communications centres in Middle Germany last night, aiding the British-Canadian attacks during the day on the rail bottlenecks of Duisburg, Worms and Berlin.

The air forces were intent upon disrupting the vital links of the German railroad system. Targets today were the marshalling yards attacked. Some 1,400 bombers and 800 fighters attacked.

Freight yards at Duisburg and Worms were crammed with priority reinforcements for the western front when the RAF-RCAF night fleets of 1,100 heavy bombers struck. Night fighters escorting the bombers engaged in numerous dogfights in skies lit by fires glowing below and a bright bombers' moon.

The Air Ministry said 39 bombers and fighters were lost and that 13 enemy planes were destroyed overnight. Crews reported smoke rising two miles above the targets. One pilot said the whole town of Worms seemed on fire.

Except for "carpet bombing" attacks on troops and tanks, launched in assault on the northern face of Suribachi yesterday afternoon.

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Russians Batter Their Way Into Guben

Swedish Correspondent Gives Graphic Picture Of Conditions in Berlin

By JERIE GRANBERG, SWEDISH NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENT
(Written for The Associated Press, Copyright, 1945, by The Associated Press)

Stockholm, Feb. 22 —(AP)— I have just left Berlin, city of the doomed, where the fateful arrival of German army deserters helped spread creeping paralysis among the capital's 3,500,000 bartricaded, bewildered and bomb-pulled inhabitants. I got away to Sweden in an automobile which no amount of money in the world could buy, but two old suits, some socks, ties and two pounds of coffee turned the trick.

More Deserters

As the front moved closer and closer to Berlin more and more deserters slipped into the capital. One German officer chased and a desperate mother confide in another woman that her son and 17 comrades had arrived in Berlin from the front as deserters. Frantically she asked advice. Should she hide her son? But how? What would the do? She certainly couldn't report him as a deserter.

Believing life is cheap in Germany I didn't give the matter much thought, but the same day a Nazi spokesman urged the population to report all deserters immediately. The current punishment was threatened for anyone hiding them. Even street cars are being searched, he warned, would be searched.

Berlin's fall may not come as fast as most persons seem to believe, presuming the Russians are ready to concentrate their whole strength against the ruins of Berlin instead of cutting off the city with part of their forces and using the rest for other strategic aims. It certainly will be a question of weeks before they have forced the German defence back as far as the city proper. The first backbone of very strong resistance is expected behind the Oder, and these fortifications are known as the

Thousands of Barricades.

Then the Russians will have the Berlin suburbs and the city itself with its Nazi-prepared system of barricades and ruins transformed into fortresses. As far as the city stretches, fortifications against streets and byways. When I drove from Berlin I took no 40 minutes to travel six miles because the barricades are so thick it is difficult to pass them.

When the Russians come they must count on heavy anti-tank fire from each barricade. If everything goes "according to plan," one may predict Berlin's conquest will require six to eight weeks.

High military staffs were evacuated from Berlin in haste last week and the capital is supposed to be declared a fortress soon. Also the government will remain in Berlin is uncertain, but it seems improbable since all civilian work is to be placed under army authority.

The government was evacuated in part after the last heavy daylight raid Feb. 3, but at the time it had been functioning only formally in the devastated government quarters. Ministerial conferences were held in ruins that bloody Saturday as a result of the American carpet bombing, and long into the night letters dictated to reporter archieves from the ruins. The ministries were emptied to nearby Hitler's chancellery, which though blasted open, never was fully laid waste.

No Evacuation Feasible

Whether the evacuation of Berlin as a fortress the last chance of escape for the civilian population is problematical. In reality this opportunity has not existed for the civil population for weeks. Berlin simply can't be evacuated because there is no place to go and no means to travel.

Even if it proved the Baltic coast the roads were crowded with endless caravans of refugees "prairie schooners" of every description. Pomerania, all moving westward. Every town in every village and every town was packed with refugees to the last corner.

Under conditions, therefore, must stay put in their ruins. But the fear of transportation makes evacuation unthinkable. Despite the bombing Berlin's population is bigger now than before.

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Swift-Driving Reds Free 91 as Huns Flee

By WRIGHT BRYAN
(Associate Editor of the Atlanta Journal, Distributed by The Associated Press; Copyright, 1945, by The Atlanta Journal)

Sweden, Tuesday, Feb. 20 (Delayed) —Liberation for at least one group of American war prisoners in Europe has been held here by the Germans came within eight days after the Red army had outflanked and by-passed powerful offensive.

Although the number of prisoners released here was relatively few, there is hope that many more of all Allied forces may be close to freedom if they have not already achieved it. Several of the largest war prison camps were located in the Baltic region and German efforts to remove them at the last minute may have driven Americans out in the speed of the Russian advance.

In the Polish Pomeranian town, a half hour's train ride southwest of Bromberg, was a camp for 1,200 U.S. Army officers and air force officers captured in Africa, Sicily, Italy and France. These men were living behind barbed wire, waiting impatiently for the end of the war or for an opportunity to escape.

A little more than a week ago they learned from a German commandant that the camp was being beginning more than 100 miles westward.

On Saturday, Jan. 20, the German guards marched the American prisoners to prepare for evacuation of the camp on foot at any time after midnight Sunday.

Sunday morning the American officers assembled on trucks, and gate in a column of three, escorted by German guards.

Hospital patients and others unable to walk were left behind. That group, including a few doctors and orderlies to care for them, numbered 91. It was one of the group because of a slight bullet wound in the left leg. Still, that was entirely healed.

Monday morning we looked out to the deserted highway and wondered. Then someone saw two American soldiers driving trucks, and a light tank go by. They did not stop, but we knew our camp lifted.

Just after 10 o'clock a vehicle stopped between two principal German officers across the street from the hospital. Both were armed men scattered to search the buildings. We knew we were free, so we could not tell by they snowcovered winter uniforms, precisely they were German rearguards or Russian spearheads. But when officers came to our gate we saw they were Russians.

INCREASE BREAD RATION IN LIBERATED ITALY

Rome, Feb. 22—(AP)—The Allied commission announced yesterday that the bread ration throughout liberated Italy would be increased to 200 grams daily effective March 1st. The new order increased by 100 grams the bread ration for liberated territory north of the Germa-Gothic Line. Previously, farther south have been receiving 300 grams.

GOVT. TO DEMAND CONFIDENCE VOTE ON JOINT POLICY

Reference Will Be Made to Clause 'Unity Of Action' in Peace As in War

London, Feb. 22 (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill said today the government would demand a parliamentary vote of confidence on the joint policy agreed to by the Big Three powers at the Crimea conference, particularly with reference to "unity of action" in peace as in war.

As leader of the House of Commons, Foreign Secretary Eden set down the government's motion for the debate for next Tuesday and Wednesday even at the parliamentary lobby buzzed with reports on Churchill's return from the Crimea conference over the Polish issue.

Government spokesmen were confident of getting a handsome vote of confidence.

Conservative bloc, which does not like the government attitude toward Poland, is known to be undecided just how to attack without giving the impression it is repudiating the entire Crimea declaration.

Soma Not Abolish Vote.

The possibility some would abstain rather than vote against the government seemed unlikely. The earlier reports that Labor opposition was not clear, but it was believed Labor leaders would support Mr. Churchill's position.

The government motion did not specifically mention Poland, but said:

"This House approves the declaration of joint policy agreed to by the three great powers at the Crimea conference and in particular welcomes the determination to maintain unity of action not only during the war but in the peace to promote among but thereafter in peace as in war."

The Prime Minister was in the House again today. In answer to a question he gave assurance the Allies, in imposing peace terms on Germany, would bear in mind the Nazis' indiscriminate bombing by V-weapons. He declined to take a stand, however, on the future question of limitation of aerial warfare.

"I certainly do not think that the victorious Allies should deprive themselves of defence which are open to them through the air," the Prime Minister said.

INVESTIGATE DEATH OF BOY.

Rochester, N.Y., Feb. 22 (AP) — Authorities today investigated the death of Lawrence Makowiecki, three, whose bruised and cut body was found beneath the front porch floor of his home. Detective Chief Edward Donovan said the boy's mother, Mrs. Ines Makowiecki, 28, of Rochester, was in the hospital with another child, Michael, two, and that Lawrence and his twin sister, Louise, three, were in the kitchen, when she heard Lawrence cry, and found him injured.

Canadian Headquarters Holds Out Against Nightmare Attack by Nazis

By DOUGLAS AMARON

With the 1st. Canadian Army in Germany (CP)—Canadian and British tanks milled about a house on a muddy road junction today slowly reducing it to ruins with high explosive and machine-gun fire.

Downstairs in a tiny cellar lived a dozen Germans who refused to surrender. Upstairs in the shattered house whose position was overrun by a German counter-attack force inside the building a handful of men in a carpet platoon returned enemy fire from still trenches.

It was an impossible situation but because these Canadians refused to believe in the impossible most of them are alive and unharmed today, preparing to return fire.

This Eastern Canada battalion attacked toward the Goch-Calcar road Monday and consolidated their astride the road. It had not been an easy advance, for there were Germans to mop up, and artillery and mortar fire with a weight to threaten and the troops were scarcely on their positions before the German counter attacked.

Set up House

The Battalion headquarters was set up in a two-storey house and although the colonel was not inside it then there was a gap in the line across which shells fell and many pushed one of their many tanks into the house. Soon after darkness the headquarters was isolated and two or three other tanks were circling the building.

Tanks Mill All Night

"Tanks milled about all night but only one section did not break," the colonel said. "A sentry shot one German who tried to come down the stairs."

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Neisse Hingepoint S. East of Berlin Under New Attack

Germans Gain Ground West of Koenigsberg

By RICHARD KASISCHKE
(AP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 22 — (AP) — The Russians again have battered into Guben, German hingepoint on the Neisse 51 miles southeast of Berlin, a German military commentator reported today.

Street fighting is going on in the town, he said.

Guben previously was reported by the Russians, who announced gains up to the confluence of the Neisse and Oder.

The Germans said last Monday that the Russians had fought into Guben, but were forced to withdraw.

Col. Ernst-Von Hammer, Berlin commentator, said a new assault had been launched upon the stronghold this morning.

Use 2,000 Planes

In East Prussia, Von Hammer reported, Russian pressure has "increased to the greatest ferocity" with more than 2,000 Soviet planes joining the assault. He said Zinten, 17 miles south of Koenigsberg and 15 miles from the coast, had been evacuated by German forces.

While the Russians scored new gains southeast of the German capital, other Soviet troops were forced to give some ground in East Prussia in the face of heavy German counter-blows west of Koenigsberg. The Berlin radio said a surprise German counter-offensive had rebuffed a corridor between Koenigsberg and the port of Pillau, 30 miles south. The Russian advance lodged some German units in what in that sector but said the drive was "only the colossal enormousness of men and equipment.

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Moscow announced Soviet German forces were fighting a defensive battle between Berlin and the Frankfurt-Kustrin front, but declared Russian bridgehead west of the Oder were "as firm as granite," a major offensive toward Berlin.

23 Miles Away

The 2nd White Russian Army yesterday drove within 33 miles of Danzig in its sweep up the Polish Corridor.

The Soviet communique declared that Marshal K. Rokossovsky's forces had taken 40 towns in the Polish Corridor yesterday, the northernmost being Pelkalkerlde.

Moscow said Russian withdrawals were made in the face of violent counter-assaults by the Germans on Bandau line, what appeared to be an effort to set up a "Dunkirk" escape from Pillau for thousands of Nazi troops trapped in East Prussia.

Russian planes, however, were ranging the Baltic coast and Danzig Bay slashing any Germans ships that might be coming up for such a withdrawal operation.

Turkish Assembly Meets on Friday

Announcement of Important Decision Expected as the Result

Istanbul, Feb. 22 — (AP) — The Turkish National Assembly was summoned today to meet in special session Friday, with reason for the summons was given, but announcement of an important decision was generally expected.

Ankara radio (Reuters)—Turkey is likely to declare war against the Axis at a special session of the Grand National Assembly on Friday well informed political circles here said today.

The same circles forecast that Syria and Lebanon will quickly follow Turkey's example. The Egyptian parliament is holding a special session today.

AXIS CLAIM ALLIES PLANNING OFFENSIVE IN S. W. CHINA

London, Feb. 22 — (Reuter) — The German Transocean agency, quoting a dispatch from Berne, Switzerland Sommer, ill Tokyo correspondent, claimed last night that the Allies were making preparations for an offensive in southwestern China.

The General Got

With the U. S. 84th Division in a German Village, Feb. 23—(AP) — The American general came into action with the 84th Division yesterday, dismounted from his jeep and walked 200 yards under fire in front of a machine-gun a soldier had set up.

There was tough fighting still going on in the town. The soldier didn't wait to check the general's rank.

"Get the hell out of here," he yelled, "You're going to draw fire and get my men killed."

The general left, and the soldier won a promotion of a promotion from his colonel.

Coming Events

KINSMEN POLLIES AT COLLEGIATE Auditorium, March 1 and 2 8 p.m., featuring Barbara Diment and her troupe with Bill Navin—assts of 40 men. 50c; Students 35c. F17,20,22,24

BELLEVILLE HORTICULTURAL Society open meeting, Friday, February 23rd., at 8 p.m. at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome. F19,21,22,23

BINGO. 8114 CASH PRIZES. Knights of Columbus rooms, Thursday, February 22nd. Regular admission 25c for 22 games. SPECIAL—prize \$15. Jack Pot free game, prize \$14. 4 special games, prize \$5 game. Criss Cross free game, prize \$3. 20 regular games, prize \$3 game. Floors be seated early. Canteen Sale at John Lewis Co. on Friday, February 23rd. at 2 p.m. 8

City and District News

NAPANEE OFFICER GIVEN PROMOTION

Only one district man is listed among the 52 officers and other ranks of the Canadian Army serving overseas who have been promoted, as announced by the Department of National Defence today.

Lieutenant Gordon Macgregor, M.C., of Napanee, serving with the Royal Canadian Artillery has been promoted to the rank of acting captain. His wife Mrs. Fannie Macgregor, resides at John Street, Napanee.

CEMETERY ROADWAYS CLEARED BY PLOW

Deep snow cavaties, their precipitous banks rising in places to a height of eight feet mark the roadways in the Belleville cemetery. A heavy bulldozer pushed its way through snow that averaged a depth of three-and-one-half feet yesterday clearing roadways that have been plugged since the heavy December storm.

Funeral directors can now drive hearses and other vehicles to convenient places near burial sites where heretofore they were forced to resort to horse-drawn sleigh.

Grave-digging has taken place all winter, cemetery caretaker Thomas said today. Despite the heavy snow burials have not been postponed nor bodies placed in the mausoleum. There is no frost in the ground, and digging has been comparatively easy.

REV. BEAUCHAMP PAYNE INJURED IN FALL

Slipping on the ice at the corner of Bridge and Church Streets this morning while proceeding to morning church services, Rev. A. Beauchamp Payne, Rector of St. Thomas Church, sustained undetermined injuries and was rushed by ambulance to Belleville General Hospital. Exact nature of injuries was not immediately determined this morning as X-ray examination but it was believed bone had been broken.

WAR VETERAN LOCATED BY POLICE

Anxious relatives in the Frankford area reported 24-year-old Harold Brown, returned soldier and farmer, missing yesterday. Provincial Police here broadcast a description of the war veteran, who had been missing for two days, with the result P. C. Thompson located Mr. Perry walking along Front St. last night. His relatives were notified and he returned to his brother's home on the third concession, Sidney.

GARBAGE COLLECTION ON E. HILL DELAYED

Due to an extra amount of salvage materials having been placed at the curbside, the regular scheduled salvage collection on the east side of the city was not completed on Wednesday, it was reported this morning. Calling to make the complete rounds on Wednesday, officials were unable to complete the salvage collection, on Thursday morning. This morning, Wednesday night's rain made it necessary for all public works employees to be made and the salvage collection will be available for sending operations delayed until the emergency has passed.

EX-MAYOR THOMPSON GIVEN APPOINTMENT AS LIQUOR VENDOR

Ex-Mayor Glencoe F. Thompson, and present Alderman of the city has been appointed vendor for the Belleville branch of the Ontario Liquor Commission, it was announced today. Mr. Thompson succeeds Mr. Bryson Reed, who relinquished the position a few days ago.

His new post will not affect his standing as an alderman on the city council, the announcement by appointment to the position as assistant vendor, has been made as yet, he added.

GARAGE OPERATORS HEAR SPECIAL REPORT

But a very few members of the organization were present Wednesday evening when the regular monthly meeting of the Hastings and Prince Edward Ontario Operators was held at the Y.M.C.A. Hearing of the report of a special committee appointed to consider the matter of establishing a standard rate for towing charges was not heard but as result of considerable discussion on the problem members considered it advisable for operators in each centre to set rates applicable to costs in their own area. The committee will report throughout the district might be established, it was considered.

The matter of arranging programs for the coming meetings, with the view of making them so interesting so as to show a marked increase in attendance, was also discussed at the meeting.

SEVERAL MINOR MOTOR ACCIDENTS

As the result of icy streets throughout the city several accidents reported to the police in the past 24 hours, however, no serious collisions were the most treacherous of the year. With snowbanks piled high on both sides of the city streets the travelled portion has been minimized in some areas making passing of vehicles difficult, while other accidents were attributed to the icy ruts.

On East Dundas St. a motor car driven by Lyle Hutchinson, Shillaway, skidded into the Smith bus depot causing damage to the lighter vehicle. The identical accident prevailed on East Bridge St., when a motor car driven by William Barlow of Carrying Place, skidded against a car in a city bus.

Two other similar accidents also resulted in minor fender damage. Although city streets were in a treacherous condition, owing to their slippery surface, no serious accidents resulted as motorists proceeded with caution.

AIR OFFENSIVE

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Duisburg is the western exit of the Ruhr, and the attack on it was aimed at bottling up the military traffic through this great industrial region. Approximately 2,000 tons of bombs were dropped last night before on Dortmund, eastern gateway to the Ruhr.

1,300 Acres Destroyed

The R.A.F. Ministry announced more than 1,300 acres of built-up area and its satellite towns have been destroyed.

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189 Engines Disabled.

The high toll of locomotives shot up by Allied fighters in the last three weeks probably accounts for the jammed condition of many of the railroad yards. A total of 189 locomotives was disabled yesterday.

The tactical air forces are the continent flew 2,800 sorties yesterday in support of the front line troops. Spitfires made more than a dozen attacks on rocket sites and airfields in Holland. At least 1,500 enemy vehicles of all descriptions were raked in widespread strafing attacks, which R.C.A.F. Typhoons and Spitfires took part.

Little opposition was encountered in the air although 11 Nazi aircraft German planes were shot down. Ten others were destroyed on the ground.

Photographs taken of yesterday's heavy raids by more than 1,300 light-headed bombers and fighters from England showed that in Northern Italy, Austria and Yugoslavia showed great damage on the Vienna railyards.

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Obituary

LATE MRS. HARRIETT J. MOTT

On Wednesday afternoon the funeral of Mrs. Harriett Jane Mott, widow of Allan C. Mott, took place from the home of her son, Mr. Charles Lloyd Mott, 17 Forin Street and many friends were present at the service. The service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Ira Smith, minister of the Tabernacle United Church.

Interment took place in the family plot in Belleville cemetery, the pallbearers were Messrs. Harry R. Bowerman, Harry Bowerman, Jr., William Ormond, K. B. Wilbur, and Frank Ormond.

The late Mrs. Mott is survived by one daughter, Miss Hazel Mott, at home; one son, Charles Lloyd Mott, Belleville; two sisters, Mrs. Ida Bowerman, Belleville, and Mrs. Orval Crowe, Ottawa; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles E. Mott, Belleville; a son-in-law, Mr. Roy Bowerman, Chatham, Ontario; four grandchildren, Private Lloyd Mott, Canadian Army, St. John, N.B.; Bobby Irwin, Belleville; Mrs. Donald (Mott) Dewar, Belleville, and Douglas Mott, Belleville; one brother, Mr. Fred Mott, Belleville, died in 1934, and one brother-in-law, Mr. Samuel Smith (Mott) Dewar, died in Chatham, Ontario, in 1944.

LATE THOMAS D. McCUTCHEON

The funeral of Thomas Dunbar McCutcheon took place this afternoon from the residence of Thomas G. Thompson, 98 Everett Street, at the close of which service the funeral was conducted by the Rev. J. Grant Spaulding, Rector of St. Christ Church, who also said the committal prayers at the Belleville cemetery.

The bearers were Messrs. James Walmsley, Harry Baker, Wesley Thompson, Harry Moorman, Percy W. Geen and Alfred R. Symons.

MRS. MARIA SIMMONS (Foxboro)

After an illness extending over a period of five years Mrs. Maria Simmons, widow of William Simmons, died at her home in Foxboro on Tuesday.

The late Mrs. Simmons had been a resident of Foxboro for the past half of her life was passed in the district where she was highly esteemed. In religion she was a member of St. Richard's Church at Foxboro.

Mrs. Simmons was the last of her family. Her husband died in September 1942; a son, Wallace Dervin Simmons, died in 1943, and another son died in infancy. Her granddaughter, Mrs. Victoria Simmons, lived with her in Foxboro.

Funeral at the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street, Friday morning then to St. Richard's Church where the service and the funeral announcement is made this issue.

LAC. HERBERT WILLIAM COLLINS

The funeral of LAC. Herbert William Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Collins, 19 Bleecker Street east, took place Wednesday afternoon from the Belleville Funeral Home, 68 North Front Street, and was largely attended. The service at the funeral home was conducted by Canadian Leader Davidson of the Trenton Air Station assisted by the Rev. Rural Dean A. Beauchamp Payne, Rector of the Church of St. Thomas.

Interment took place at Belleville cemetery and the committal prayers were said by the Rev. Rural Dean Payne.

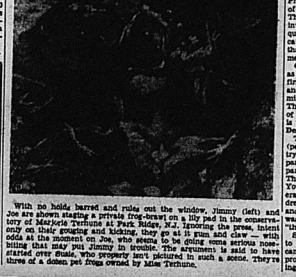
Pipe Major Jamie Clarke played the Last Post and Reveille at the Funeral Home and cemetery, and the Last Post and Reveille were sounded by Trumpeter Clause of the Trenton Air Station.

The Trenton Air Station was officially represented by P.O. Weldon, Sergt. Major Air Station Sergeant Carney, N.S., where the deceased died as the result of an explosion, was represented by Sergeant Donald Anderson and Sergeant Frank O'Connor.

Bearers were LAC. Buchanan, LAC. Leonard, LAC. Lynch, LAC. Jenkins, LAC. McMurty and LAC. Hutchinson.

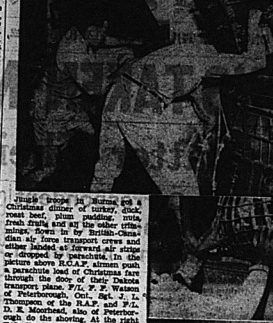
There was a wealth of beautiful floral tributes.

MAIN EVENT AT THE JUG-O-RUM



With no holds barred and rules out the window, Jimmy (left) and Joe are shown staging a private free-for-all on a lily pad in the conservatory of Marjorie Terhune at Park Ridge, N.J. Ignoring the pet's cries of anguish, Jimmy grasping and kicking, they go at it "fists and claw — with biting third party put Jimmy on the trouble. The argument is said to have started over Susie, who properly isn't pictured in such a scene. They're three of a dozen pet frogs owned by Miss Terhune.

CANUCKS "CHUTE" THE WORKS IN BURMA



Double troops in Burma get a Christmas dinner of turkey, roast beef, vegetables and fresh fruits and all the other trimmings, flown in by British-Dakotas and force transport crews and either landed at forward air strips or dropped by parachute. In the picture above R.C.A.F. airmen push a parachute load of Christmas fare through the door of their Dakota transport crew. Left, F/L. F. Watson of Peterborough, Ont., Sgt. J. L. Thompson of the R.A.F. and F/L. D. R. Moorhead, also of Peterborough do the shoving. At the right P/O. Jim Hazel of Brantford, Ont., takes aboard a crate of live ducks and below is a quartette of the flying freighters: Watson and Moorhead of Peterborough, Sergt. of Brantford and P/O. R. S. Ridgway of the R.A.F.—(R.C.A.F. Photo.)

Sgt. Bill Holway Expected Home This Weekend

Considered locally to be the youngest member of the last War to serve overseas in the present conflict, Sgt. William Holway of this city has returned to Canada and is expected in Belleville by the week-end according to word received by his parents.

Sgt. Holway went overseas with the Cobourg Heavy Battery at the age of 15 during the last Great War and celebrated his 16th birthday on the battlefield in France. He is now in his 45th year.

Former sales representative with a local grain supply firm in Belleville, Sgt. Holway enlisted in the local 9th Battery early in the present war and after training with the 3rd 47th Battery in Kingston proceeded overseas three and one half years ago with the 4th Light Anti-Aircraft Battery. Other local members of his battery went to war by flight to the Mediterranean war theatre but he was held in England and for the past year has been serving with the Reconnaissance in the British Isles.

One brother, Lieut. Ernest Holway is still in England with No. 5 Headquarters Staff after serving in Belgium. Mrs. Holway is daughter of the Sergar and Crawford office in the city.

SWEDISH

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Not only have tens of thousands of previously-evacuated women and children and masses of refugees returned to the capital with no other place to go, but there are hundreds of thousands of soldiers.

During the last air attacks the air raid shelters proved inadequate, and indescribable scenes occurred at the entrances.

Despite all, however, life continues in Berlin — work and business, traffic where it hasn't been destroyed. But one senses a breathless tenseness in the face of some hideous uncertainty which is inevitable.

Traffic Slowed to Standstill, Bus Services Disrupted By Freezing Rain in Quinte District

Freezing rain which fell throughout the Bay of Quinte district yesterday night slowed motor traffic generally almost to a standstill while bus service schedules were disrupted this morning, leaving many workers stranded miles away from their respective jobs.

Over an area of 100 miles this morning, several hours after the rain had commenced and temperatures had moderated to cut the ice on the downtown sidewalks, pedestrians found the going tough and were forced to creep along to avoid taking a nasty tumble on the slippery sidewalks.

Airports Shorthanded

District airports were particularly shorthanded during the earlier hours of the morning with civilian employees unable to obtain transportation to their jobs when buses failed to begin their schedules owing to the icy conditions of the highways. The Trenton bus ran a partial service between this city and the junction of Station, but many workers either stayed at their homes or caught a ride with them when it was found the buses were not running.

Many transport companies had their transports tied up in Belleville as they were unable to negotiate Murney Hill. Sand placed on the hill was quickly worked away and sand piles placed at the hill for convenience were almost used up this morning.

City Engineer Charles Mott indicated that the available city employees were out early sanding the most dangerous spots and that trucks being made to cover hills first to enable the city bus service maintain schedules.

Motors Helpless

But slippery as were highways and sidewalks this morning conditions were mild compared with that shortly before midnight last night when freezing rain had covered Belleville with a great coating to leave pedestrians and motorists practically helpless. Because nearly all forms of amusement around midnight had surprises in store for those who had to be shipped on icy sidewalks. Motorists were forced to make many detours to make their way homeward by way of routes on which there were no grades.

By midmorning, however, local traffic was moving with some freedom on partial schedules and many persons were enabled to get to work although up to two and three hours late.

The War Today—

United Nations Want France Restored But Much Depends on Herself

By DeWITT MACKENZIE
(AP War Analyst)

The storm which has grown out of Gen. deGaulle's refusal to meet President Roosevelt for a discussion of the Crimea Conference of the Big Three (to recall the British are also invited) probably will die down as quickly as it began, but the implications of this incident are such that we should not overlook it as a mere tempest in a teapot.

Gen. deGaulle's pique strikes me as striking two causes. The first — which is of great importance — is that he is battling with might and main to get the Big Powers to restore to France a place of personality; his pride in which is very great — has been hurt.

The Disappointment

The French leader had hoped (perhaps expected) that his country would be invited to the Crimea parley, thus enabling her to equal partnership and changing the "Big Three" of Europe to the "Big Four." You may recall that after the liberation of Paris last summer he addressed the nation over the radio and assured his people that France was on the threshold of rejoining "the ranks of the greatest."

So the inability of the Big Three to find a seat for Gen. deGaulle came as a vast disappointment, and probably left him with a feeling of personal hurt. This reaction has resulted in his ill-advised gesture of resentment in declining to journey to Algiers to confer with Mr. Roosevelt.

France Needs Help

France needs help — Big Three, I use the term "ill-advised" deliberately, because France's recovery obviously needs the help of the Big Three. What Gen. deGaulle must know, but feeds it hard to admit, is that while France has been a great power — and we hope will be one again — she isn't one now. The rank isn't a matter of large territory and population. It is very there are numerous relatively weak countries which would qualify. It depends on the overwhelming greatness of the nation to take her place in international councils.

Must Climb Back Herself

But there's one fundamental fact which we can't evade. Whether France rises to her former places of greatness depends mainly on herself. Nobody can hoist her onto the pedestal. She's got to climb back herself. This involves a spiritual, economic and political rebirth.

CANADIAN

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The headquarters had six Piat bombs and used them all against the tanks, knocking out one but failing even to dent the other, which was so big the soldiers thought it might have been a "Tiger." This tank pulled away in the morning and under cover of a barrage the Canadians got back to their own lines as other troops broke through to join them.

"The colonel remained in the house until all the men were away. He had been there 24 hours when relieved.

The battalion intelligence officer, a lieutenant from Montreal, organized the headquarters defence, manning a Bren gun himself. He was wounded but believes that he did a job which won him praise of his soldiers.

"He was going round inspiring the men," said Sgt. Bill Walsh of Windsor, Ont., "and then he was on fire and anyone moving was shouted at that he was hurt but he still went out in front with a Bren gun, firing back at the Germans. He was wounded in the arm.

In And Out Several Times

"Walsh was in and out of the house several times, going back for reinforcements and bringing up supply troops manning the outside defences.

"Lying out there in the field we didn't know who were our boys and who were the Germans until we heard them talk; then we would shout to the sergeant who first got off eight Sten gun magazines himself, firing from the hip, so encountered were less than 20 yards away.

The signallers included Pte. Gerry Moynahan of Tilbury, Ont.; D. E. Snowdon, Toronto; Cpl. Jim Silkstone, of Toronto. They too had a thrilling fighting time.

Downie and Pte. Douglas Alderson, of Windsor, Ont., a carrier driver, accountant for the Crown who tried to come down the stairs. Germans were at the bottom of the stair room by a hand grenade which exploded in the room with the door. He moved to the cellar soon after this German counter-attack and guards thought he was another German.

"I never talked so fast in my life," Moynahan said.

Kinsmen Follies To Be Presented At the Collegiate

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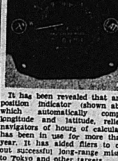
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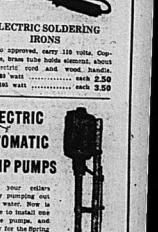


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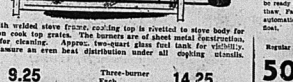
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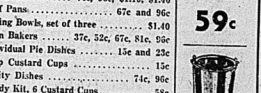
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Balloon Command Hauls In

The Minister for Air, Sir Archibald Sinclair, announced recently that, because of the greatly reduced need of British cities, towns and industrial buildings for defence against air attack, R.A.F. Balloon Command is being disbanded.

A nucleus of the balloons, equipment and staffs will be retained in Britain, and balloon detachments will continue to serve overseas, but the remainder of the officers, airmen, and the W.A.A.F. will be remustered into other posts. The men and women are being interviewed by the R.A.F. Central Trade Test Board, and will be transferred to other trades according to their qualifications.

Sir Archibald made the announcement during a review of a thousand airmen and airwomen at a Command Headquarters, thanking them on behalf of the Government for their loyal and courageous service by which, summarizing the record of Balloon Command, he recalled that in September, 1939, the Command was flying 600 balloons; by the end of 1940 the total was flying 2,400. This expansion had not been easy; the factories making the equipment were damaged by air attack, and a large number of balloons were shot down by the enemy.

Having fought through the blitz period and the tip-and-run raids, the balloon crews were urgently required to help combat the flying bomb. It had been calculated that a barrage of 500 balloons could be deployed in eighteen days, but the task was actually accomplished in five, and within a short time nearly 2,000 balloons were flying in defence of the capital. They brought down 278 flying bombs which had eluded the other defences.

The work of the balloons has not confined itself to the defence of Britain; they went into action over the beaches of Sicily and Italy, and flew over the Normandy beaches on D-Day. In the darker days of the war they flew in defence of the Suez Canal, the Persian Gulf and Ceylon. In co-operation with the Royal Navy they helped guard convoys and naval establishments. In 1943 over 1,000 balloon sites were staffed by women, who shared equally with the men the danger of bombs and flying bombs, and the hardships of the weather.

The London barrage came into existence on March 17, 1937, when Number 30 (Balloon Barrage) Group was formed within the R.A.F. Fighter Command. The decision to provide barrages for the ports, naval bases and coastal towns and for towns caused Balloon Command to be formed, on November 1, 1938.

When the Allied invasion of Europe was being prepared, balloons guarded the docks, patching ports, and others flew above the ships and invasion craft during the crossing and the French coast, while balloon units landed on the beaches to protect those unloading the ships and landing troops.

Lesson of Malta

Events in the struggle in Europe have moved with such speed in the past months that it seems a long time since the world was hearing news of the intrepid island of Malta, the bastion of British defence of the Mediterranean. Now the events of that heroic period in the war are recalled by the visit to Canada at this time of Lieutenant-General Sir William Dobbie, who was commander and governor of Malta for a quarter of a century and the defender of the fortress island during the war. He said at one of his appearances in Canada that he attributes the steadfast endurance of Malta to the help of Providence. His story of Malta's defence and when Malta was embattled and remained the key of the North African campaign is a fervid expression of faith in the power of prayer and of the work of God in the world of men. Sir William is a devout Christian and gives this testimony to his conviction which was strengthened by what he saw and by what was endured by the defenders and the people of Malta for the sake of freedom and righteousness.

Malta had been in a sad plight as the lifeline was almost cut at one time, he said, and the powerful enemies were surrounding her. The food reserves were not large. But still Malta endured and the enemy did not come.

The former Governor said that at one time there was little or nothing the islanders had with which to stop the enemy, "nothing except one thing—God's help. That is why I am on this continent to tell the people how God helped us through the ordeal of Malta. We could not have held out without that help. I am trying through such illustrations to explain what Christ has meant to me in my army life."

Men like Sir William Dobbie and the heroic defenders of Malta had an inner reserve of strength which fortifies it cannot fail; faith and conviction in the righteousness of their cause and their implicit faith that Providence has an overruling influence upon the destiny of men and nations. Field Marshal Montgomery is another leader with a burning faith. The Hun on the other hand has put his reliance upon power and ruthlessness and defiance of the laws of man and God and has not the inner resources of the knowledge of a just cause. But the British people have faith and with their faith goes the stout-hearted determination that does its utmost in human effort for the things that are right, for righteousness and for liberty.

A Lighter Thought

Vast stocks of carefully prepared maps the Germans planned to use in the invasion of Britain were captured in Brussels. But, despite all, and to add insult to injury, Hitler's disappointments, they are still being used for military purposes. The British Information Service reports that as a paper saving measure, the War Office simply instructed its printers to use the unprinted sides for the large-scale maps for the push into the Reich. That is an effective boomerang in itself. However, it is rather intriguing to wonder what the reaction of a German intelligence officer would be if one of these maps fell into his hands and at first glance he tried to figure how his homeland was being occupied with a map calling for action in quite another direction.

British Winters

The Economist (London)

Every winter brings unnecessary hardships, suffering and expense to the British people. Inevitably at the time of year there is plague of burst water-pipes, caused, no doubt, by the exhibitionism of amateur plumbing. It is followed (and preceded) by a series of epidemics—of which the common cold is the most notable—caused, or at least encouraged, by the draughtiness of British houses, buses and trains. How much of sickness and absenteeism can be attributed to these national follies it is impossible to say, but it must be considerable. It may not be necessary to insulate British houses with double windows, as in Russia but very much more thought should be given to methods of excluding draughts.

Meteorologists, it may be added, predict winters of greater severity during the second half of this twentieth century.

Virgil's Prophecy Not Yet Fulfilled

(From letter by L. S. Riley of Bethlehem, Pa., in New York Times)

We have been reading about the Soviet scientists' development of growing cotton in various colors—an excellent result of these days of labor shortage. Will those scientists perhaps turn their attention to the dingy linen now worn on their plains? If so, they might fulfill a prophecy made some 2,000 years ago by a Roman poet, of all people.

Virgil wrote in his fourth Eclogue: "Wool shall no longer learn the trick of different dyes, but the ram himself in the meadows shall bear colored fleece—now luscious purple, now saffron yellow—and the grazing lambs shall find themselves clothed in vermillion."

But perhaps cotton in natural colors must be our natural approach to Virgil's vision of another Golden Age, which was to be free not only from labor but from all the pursuits of war.

Those who educate children well are more to be honored than even their parents, for these only give them life, those the art of living as well.—Aristotle.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST
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WASHINGTON

How keep this day? With bugle blast
Or words stirring and in rounded phrase
Or bit of glittering bronze, new cast,
On which is stamped a line of praise;

Go back Mt. Vernon's aisles to tread,
To pace the stairs he loved or old
And mark the precious books he read?
By guides, to hear his worth re-told?

How keep this day? Besides his tomb
To speak of him, with voices low,
And leave a wreath of lovely bloom
That we remember him to show?

How keep this day? They do it best
Who fight for freedom, as did he,
And scorning selfish interest
Dare even death for liberty.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"That kindness Lullaby just about had him asleep when the announcer broke in with that damned commercial."

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

Feb. 22nd, 1923

Mayor W. C. Mikel has left for Wallace Ontario, where he will act as Crown Prosecutor at the Assizes.

Ald. G. W. Dawes will leave tomorrow for Ottawa where he will join a deputation which will wait upon the government relative to assistance for the unemployed.

Mr. S. G. Way, proprietor of the Tweed Advocate, has been elected president of the Tweed Board of Trade, which has been revived.

Mr. Austin Walters is home from Queen's University, Kingston, to spend a few days.

Mr. Frank F. Thompson and Mr. Hector Payne of the Ritchie Company have left to visit manufacturers in Toronto, Kitchener, Stratford and Waterloo in the interests of the firm.

Mr. and Mrs. Brockhurst entertained about thirty young people at their home on Earl Street evening and a most enjoyable time was passed.

30 YEARS AGO

Feb. 22, 1913

Mr. H. Lamb, manager of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Office in this city, has resigned as a telegraph operator with the second division of the service and has not yet decided who will be succeeded here by Mr. C. A. Fawcett, of Orangeville.

A barn on West Bridge Street owned by Conway Ketcham was destroyed by fire last afternoon. A quantity of harness, harness, tents and utensils were burned.

The team of the Deacon Shirt Company defeated the Printers in a hockey match last evening, the score being 4 to 3. The following composed the team: Printers Hall, Hallinan, Mason, Riggs, French, Bleasdell, Reid; Deacons Ritchey, Tillerson, Fickle, Barrett, Rideout, Alexander and Rayfield. The attendance was 500 and the proceeds in this game as the player who was injured in the last match kept near his own goal and was not looking offside, as in the former game. Mr. Deacon will entertain both teams at an oyster supper next Thursday evening.

40 YEARS AGO

Feb. 22nd, 1906

The city clock is very poorly lighted. Something should be done about this.

Mr. James B. Gibson, formerly of the city, now of Yorkton, Sask., is visiting his wife's parents, Ald. and Mrs. A. G. Ver-milyea, West Bridge Street.

Mr. Ernest Maag and Mrs. Maag, formerly Miss Mary Neilson, late of Bloomington, Ill., have taken up residence in this city on Bridge Street, near Sidney Mitchell Avenue.

Mr. Joseph James of Actinolite, is a visitor in town and is stopping at Hotel Quinte.

Mr. A. Linton of Campbellford, formerly of this city, is a visitor in town today.

Mr. W. S. Miller of Frankford, was in town today.

Mr. R. Cotter of Madoc, was in town today.

50 YEARS AGO

Feb. 22nd, 1893

Miss Gordon will give a course of eight lectures to ladies on physical culture at the Y.M.C.A. commencing March 6th. Fee for course is $1. The proceeds will go towards the fund being raised to buy an ambulance.

The residence of Varma has been remodelled and rebuilt and will be handsomer and finer than ever.

Lumbering operations are progressing favorably in the north country.

The Rev. J. H. Locke of Toronto, a former pastor of Holloway Street Methodist Church, Toronto, is the anniversary services in that church for the first of the month.

Mr. Geo A. Reid of the Intelligencer business office will be absent for a few days.

Mr. John Dean has returned to his home at Moira after completing a course at the Kingston Dairy School.

Stop-Over at Honolulu Gives Pyle Respite Before Leaving for the War

(By ERNIE PYLE)

Honolulu—The hour of leaving came at last.

Usually when starting overseas, you get sent away on the day the transportation people originally set for you. Therefore when I first started going to war, my excitement at delay I would be, and how I would fret. I lived in a frenzy over every day of waiting. But time changes things like that.

This time also there was a delay of a few days. Every one of them I welcomed with a big embrace. I felt like saying to it "Ah, my love, you are the day of my dreams. You are my one more day of security—her I cherish you".

But the final day came, as it has the best. I put on my uniform again for a long, long time, and sent my civilian clothes to a friend in Los Angeles to keep for me.

It was night when we left from Francisco. We flew in a big four-motored land plane, operated by the Naval Air Transport Service, in the Navy they call it "NATS", as though it spelled a word.

The Army's equivalent is the ATC. I've flown on both of them so much I feel like a stockholder. They fly all over the world on clock-like schedules, over the Pacific oceans and all the continents, carrying wartime mail and cargo and passengers.

I've flown the Atlantic four times, but this was my first flight across the Pacific. You go non-stop from California to Hawaii. It's about the same distance as crossing the continent, yet it was as easy as flying from Albuquerque to Los Angeles.

We left shortly after suppertime, and were over the Pacific. Then after daylight next morning, there it was simply nothing unusual at all and of seeing friends. Lieut. Cmdr. to report about it.

Shortly after we took off I got some blankets and lay down on the floor in the rear of the plane. When I woke up it was getting daylight, and we had only an hour to go. That's the way I like to fly an ocean.

All of us had left California in our woollen winter uniforms. But when we stepped out of the plane in Honolulu, those heavy clothes almost made us sick. By the time we got through the formalities and left the field, we were all dripping and sweating ourselves.

In Honolulu I stayed in the home of a Naval friend. The first thing he did was a shower bath, change to light khaki clothes, and a plateful of beautiful yellow papaya. A wonderful tropical feeling of well-being came over you.

A Naval boatswain's mate, Flores, a native of Guam, took care of us. He had our clothes and made our beds and fixed us fruit juice and papayas all day long.

A squat Hawaiian woman, in blue mu-mu and with a red bandana around her head, waxed the lawn over and over and over again, very slowly.

The sun shone brightly and while I could reach an embroidery over the ridges of the far green hills, the valleys were like rain, and the deep whistles of departing ships came from the harbor below us. This, truly, was the Pacific.

The trip over had not exhausted me, but the change of climate did, and for a day I did nothing but loaf and recover from America—and get back in being warm.

Then I started making the rounds of completing my Navy credentials,

Federal Election May Come June 11 Ottawa Forecast

(By R. K. CARNEGIE)
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 22. (CP)—Although the date of the forthcoming federal election has not been finally set, Cabinet Ministers are generally on the assumption that it will be held on June 11. The Canadian Press was informed Wednesday by usually reliable sources.

The source also said he did not expect there would be another session of parliament before the life of Parliament expires April 17. He added that the "election" forecast on the fact that the cabinet was making no plans for assembling the Commons and that it had not been the subject of extended discussion. Parliament was prorogued Jan. 31 until Feb. 23 and a proclamation extending the date to March 23 was issued this week. While the original proclamation did not provide for assembling "for the despatch of business" on Feb. 23, any new proclamation still should be issued before members are not expected to come here at the end of February.

While it would be possible to hold an election sixty days after parliament is dissolved, the government's chief electoral officer, expressed the view before the Commons committee of parliament last session he would like 75 or 90 days between the time required to arrange for the votes of the forces overseas.

May dissolve early

It is expected Prime Minister Mackenzie King will decide to dissolve parliament fairly soon and not wait until the date of expiry, thus giving the chief electoral officer the full time he requires.

It is known the government does not want the election to clash with the next Victory Loan expected to extend from April 22 to May 8, therefore, if June 11 is chosen as election day June 4 or 5 for campaign would be over two days before nomination day and 26 days before voting.

Apart from the practice to dissolve parliament and issue writs for an election the same day, but with the election date announced when the writs have been issued as in the case of 1940, after closure motion. Many think, however, Mr. King may dissolve parliament and delay issuing writs depending on the progress of the war.

Churchill Has Last Word in Tilt With Lady Astor

London, Feb. 25. (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill, it would have been known as a prohibitionist, had had the last word in debate in House of Commons tilt with Lady Astor over Churchill's pulse. He would be allowed to take the floor off on D-Day.

The drink trade is already making plans to get out menu cards, Lady Astor said, when we should all be on our knees praying God for victory", Lady Astor said.

"I really think those misgivings are a little premature," Prime Minister Churchill replied. "Of course I am a believer in moderation and sensitive on these points."

The two-day discussion started on a sober note when Lady Astor, Conservative Plymouth Sutton, Presbyterian clergyman who replaced Nancy Astor, Viscountess Astor Down, sated the Prime Minister on the "enormous responsibility on the cessation of hostilities . . . when we have set apart for prayer and thanksgiving." She said the success of all work and the closing of all hostilities depended on prayer.

"I hope and believe that when the time comes we shall celebrate the victorious peace by the sobriety of the British nation", Mr. Churchill replied.

Pressed to take into account the shortage of beer in the country that the day should be a holiday, Mr. Churchill said he believed it would be necessary for us to go into all the details in advance."

Max Miller and I stocked up with cigarettes, against the possibility of shortages, later on. Actually you can buy cigarettes (even Camels, and, too) right downtown in Honolulu.

There is no rationing of anything in Honolulu, as yet. Rationing of gasoline became necessary everything here is considered military, and there's always shipping space from the mainland to Honolulu for anything.

The great number of uniforms on the streets and the clock curfew are the most vivid reminders of the war in Honolulu. That and the vast growth in population that has occurred since Pearl Harbor.

Otherwise the war seems far away. The grinding days of Pearl Harbor Honolulu has gone. In many ways it's the newcomer, beguiled by the climate and the beauty, ignorant of everything, and the soldiers, feels more remote from the war than he did back home.

And so I passed my fifth anniversary overseas in Honolulu. Another interlude as another capture. I am with old friends; I made a sentimental visit to the little hospital apartment on Waikiki where "That Girl" and I lived for a winter seven years ago; I went to parties and danced almost tearfully to the sweet singing of Hawaiians.

I relished the short time here in Honolulu, and didn't even let pretend that I was starting out to repeat the Pacific war. All that would come soon enough.

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

WERE ONLY FOOLING

Families item in the news: Son opinion a diagnosis of chronic appendicitis of indefinite or gradual cause, without the history of one or more attacks of pain and tenderness of comparative freedom from trouble, is a fallacious conception.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Dentist Laughs!

My gums seem to be soft and shrinking away from the teeth. I see my dentist. When I asked the dentist if more milk, tomato juice and fresh fruit would help he laughed at me and said it is too late, that I am too old, nothing can help now, as I have stopped growing and developing at the age of 21 years.

(Mrs. M. W).

Answer—Chemical composition of the gums, bones, teeth, organs, in fact of the entire body changes constantly, from birth to death. Even though you are 90 there is nothing to do with it. Let the dentist laugh if he wishes, but send him a physician. I can assure you that more milk and milk products (cheese, particularly fresh), raw or fruit juice and tomato or tomato juice in your diet will at least retard the progress of the degeneration and tone up the entire mouth. Hot of gums, teeth and body—raise the whole gamut nothing dentist may have about it.

Cancer is Spreading

I am trying to find some test for checking cancerous conditions in school children.

(Health Director).

Answer—I know of none, except the microscope test—that is, supplement the child's diet with an abundance of calcium and vitamin A, and see whether general health and well being improve. Mr. Health Director if 50 such improvements are evident in ten cents and stamped envelope bearing your address I will send you "The Calcium Shortage" and "Milk" which probably get insufficient calcium and vitamin A. Incidentally a quart of milk and some greens daily.

Olives

What is the food value of olives? Is it all right to give them to a two year old child? (Mrs. C. J.)

Answer—120 to 140 calories per pound—about three times as many calories as boiled potatoes. Ripe olives may be fed to a child five or three years old, green olives after the age of seven years.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

INFORMATION ROUNDUP

George Washington not only boasted and was a strong man, but he also fought while indentured servant. He was only 17 when three years after the Revolution, he and two other men of three white servants who were indentured to them, fought a bear.

It is often said that Shakespeare was the first to use the phrase "every inch a king," but the exact phrase occurs nowhere in Shakespeare. However, it is found in "Antony and Cleopatra," Act III, Scene 13, where Octavia, Caesar's sister and Antony's wife, is made to say:

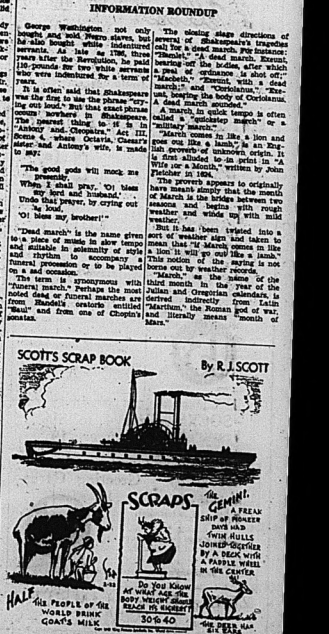
"The good gods will mock me when I shall pray, 'O! bless my lord and husband.' Undo that prayer, by crying out as loud, 'O! bless my brother!'"

"Dead march" is the name given to a piece of music in slow tempo and suitable in character or style for a lion! it will go out like a lamb." a funeral procession or to be played on a sad occasion.

The term is synonymous with "funeral march." Perhaps the most noted dead or funeral marches are Chopin's Marche Funebre in C Minor and from one of Chopin's sonatas.

The closing stage directions of Julius Caesar, Act V, Scene 5, read: "Exeunt." "Exeunt" is the plural of Shakespeare's irregular verb "Exeo." "Exeo" means "I go out." "Exeunt" means "they go out." "Exit" is the singular of "exeunt" and means "he goes out." "Exeunt omnes" means "they all go out."

"March," the name of the third month in the year, is from Julian and Gregorian calendars, is derived from the Latin word "Martium," the Roman god of war, literally means "month of Mars."



Jolliffe Wants Socialized Medicine And "Its Rival Systems" Tested In Separate Areas in Ontario

Toronto, Feb. 22 (CP)—A scientific testing in three or four experimental areas in Ontario" of the system of socialized medicine "and its rival systems" was urged today in the Ontario legislature by E. B. Jolliffe, C.C.F. leader.

Speaking in the Throne Speech debate, Mr. Jolliffe said that because of the present shortage of both personnel and buildings it would be several years before a full-fledged system of modern health service could be established in Ontario "no matter what approach we adopted."

"There are many who, like the C.C.F., favor socialized health services. Others favor a type of health insurance such as the Haggarty plan which has been under consideration at Ottawa while still others defend the present system and oppose both socialized health services and health insurance."

He suggested thorough testing of the three systems "by the use of controlled and recheked observations and experiments objectively recorded with complete statistics". In "three similar areas in Ontario, with the consent of the people in these areas."

"Three areas in Ontario should be selected, and they should be comparable areas, similar in their population and other features. They should contain both city people and country people so that results could be obtained under both rural and urban conditions."

Seek Dominion Assistance.

In one area would be a complete system of socialized health services, "staffed by people who believe in that system." In the second a health insurance scheme would be set up under the Haggarty plan, operated by its opponents. In the third area, under direction of the Ontario Medical Association, "you could let the present system operate just as it does now, except that a team of statisticians would collect complete statistics on the results."

Such an experiment "had never been done before in any country and no scientific comparison of the various health schemes is available," Mr. Jolliffe said.

Dominion assistance should be sought in conducting "this great experiment," in Ontario, "probably the only province where such an experiment could be made."

The Throne Speech admitted that "there is a fatal lack of reliable information as to the cost of operating comprehensive curative health services." The plan suggested would not only provide information as to cost.

"It would also show the number of personnel required in relation to the population, the hospital accommodation and equipments required, the administrative problems which might arise—in fact it would be a mine of information on which governments of the future could base their policy."

Fifth Army Gains Up to 1,000 Yards Near Monte Belvedere

Rome, Feb. 22 — (AP) — Fifth Army troops, exploiting a surprise assault which recaptured Monte Belvedere 30 miles southwest of Bologna, gained up to 1,000 yards in a new local attack today against stiffening German resistance.

American troops pushed forward first east of the 2,500-foot peak which they first won and then lost last November to a German counter-assault. Furious fighting raged in the area today.

Elsewhere there were only minor clashes and patrolling.

QUESTION NOT DISCUSSED

London, Feb. 22 (CP)—Foreign Secretary Eden informed the House of Commons yesterday that the question of establishing a provincial German government in the Russian-occupied section of Germany was not discussed at the Crimea conference.

SLIGHTLY WARMER TEMPERATURES IMPROVE ROADS

Night and Early Morning Conditions Dangerous in Most of Province

Toronto, Feb. 22—(CP)—Meteorological Bureau officials reported today a "freeze over" of roads throughout the southwestern part of the province but forecast slightly moderating temperatures would improve dangerous road conditions in some Ontario centres.

Although temperatures were forecast to drop slightly in Western Ontario tonight and Friday, rain and sleet continued today in the Lower Lakes Region, Georgian Bay and the Ottawa area.

At Kingston, danger of serious flood conditions continued as rain which started late last night continued to dissolve snowbanks piled high in the streets. Bus traffic was interrupted as slush and water inches deep covered roads and sidewalks. Walking was hazardous on icy pavements.

In Toronto, water left from last night's rain covered ice-sheeted streets, endangering pedestrians and motorists, as temperatures continued moderate.

Roads in the areas of Lindsay, Pembroke and Bracebridge remained hazardous due to ice conditions.

90 With Fractures In Toronto.

Toronto hospital authorities reported today 90 people have been treated for fractured limbs as a result of falling on slippery streets last night and this morning.

Hospitals in Hamilton, London, Guelph, Galt, Chatham and Windsor were reported treating fewer cases as a result of last night's freezing rain storm that swept across Southern Ontario tying up air and motor transportation and covering roadways with ice.

Icy conditions of wires were giving both the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Telegraph companies considerable trouble in transmitting Morse messages in the Western Ontario area.

Hydro wires were down in many sections of the province. Stores and homes in a number of towns were reported without electric power, the heaviest damage occurring in the Guelph area at Marden and Richwood.

Hundreds of workers were sent out by the Ontario Department of Highways and municipalities throughout the southern section of the province to sand roads and clear away flooded areas.

Little Fear of Floods.

Officials in London held little fear of floods after an all-night rain melted some of the winter's accumulation of snow. Officials said the water is draining rapidly into the soft ground. Mild weather melted ice on roads leading into the city.

While most bus services continued to operate in Southern Ontario, many schedules were disrupted. Service north of Newmarket and west of Brampton were temporarily suspended. All plane service to and from Toronto was grounded.

Rural roads in the St. Thomas area were impassable as rain and snow filled ice ruts, while roads in the Barrie district were described as "like glass."

Melting snow and rain caused flooded conditions in many of Welland's streets.

Hon. Earl Rowe Challenges King To Produce Papers

Wexford, Ont., Feb. 22 — (CP)—Hon. Earl Rowe, Progressive Conservative Member of Parliament for Dufferin-Simcoe, challenged Prime Minister Mackenzie King last night to make public all correspondence, correspondence and memoranda regarding Defence Minister McNaughton's release from command of the Canadian Army overseas.

In an address prepared for delivery before the Wexford Progressive Conservative Association, Mr. Rowe added:

"I also challenge Mr. King to tell the people if the man he now says is to be Minister of National Defence, whether decided or not, was not relieved of his command overseas because he was either unfitted or incompetent for the task.

"Mr. Howe said that if Mr. King insisted on "flouting" the will of the people by retaining Gen. McNaughton as Minister of Defence and continuing a two-army policy, then he would withdraw from the Prime Minister to set up a Commonwealth representative of all parties to "review the record of the echelon officers overseas and let the people have the facts regarding reinforcements during the past nine months."

Asks Few Questions

Referring to charges by John Bracken, Progressive Conservative National Leader, in the One North by-election campaign that draftees en route overseas had dumped their rifles and ammunition overboard, Mr. Rowe said:

"May I ask Gen. McNaughton a few questions the people now have a right to know;

"1. Did this troopship load of N.R.M.A. soldiers land in Britain without their guns in the personal possession of the troops?

"2. If they did, why?

"3. How many of the troops were fined the price of their guns and 50 days pay?

"4. If they didn't land in Britain without their guns, why has the answer been withheld since Feb. 1 when Mr. Bracken demanded an answer?

Victory Day Committee Alters Original Plan

Hoping not to be caught napping in the event of a quick termination of hostilities on the European front, the Belleville Victory Day Committee has revamped its former program of celebration at a meeting held in the City Hall yesterday.

According to the new plans completed at the meeting, Victory Day celebrations will start with a special program to be held on the lawns of the County Courthouse in which Mayor Fothwell, the Municipal Band and school children will take part. City ministers will give addresses.

At 2.30 p.m. public services will be held on the Armouries lawn, or in the Armouries if the weather is inclement. These services will be held under the auspices of the Ministerial Association, and will take the form of thanksgiving and prayer.

At 7.30 p.m. all churches will be requested to hold special services for their respective congregations.

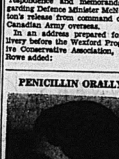
At 8.30 the Rhumen Club will sponsor a mass gathering at the Fair Grounds, where bonfires will be lit and effigies of Europe's arch criminals burned. If weather does not permit this part of the celebration will be held in the Market Square.

Later a monster dance will be held in the Market Square or the Armouries.

The meeting yesterday emphasized the fact that the time of the announcement of Victory, will coincide with the Events programmed for that time. In other words if the announcement is made at nine-thirty p.m. the celebration will start with the bonfire at the Fair Grounds. The preceding events on the program will take place the day following.

An advertisement outlining the events and their times will appear in this newspaper on Saturday, and the committee requests the public to clip it and keep it for reference purposes.

PENICILLIN ORALLY



A method whereby penicillin, so-called "wonder drug," can be swallowed in capsule form has been perfected by Dr. Raymond L. Libby, biochemist, Stamford, Conn., where he made the discovery. Until his method was announced, injections had been made the sole way of using penicillin, but Dr. Libby found that by suspending the drug in certain digestible oils, it could safely be taken orally.

ON THE PATIO OF YALTA PALACE WHERE THE "BIG THREE" MET



Churchill, Roosevelt and Stalin with some of their experts are pictured on the patio of Yalta palace where the "Big Three" met in the Crimea. Identified left, to right behind the Big Three are Admiral Sir Andrew Cunningham, Admiral Ernest King, Air Marshal Portal and Admiral William Leahy.

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Lowland Residents Flooded Out in Six Southern States

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 22 — (AP) — Rain-swollen rivers leaving their banks brought floods today to six southern states and lowland residents were either moving to higher ground or standing alert for possible evacuation. States affected were Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Mississippi and Alabama.

POST-WAR PLANS

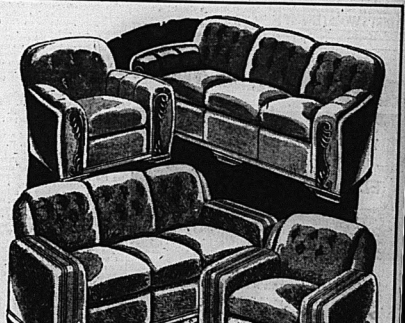
Windsor, Feb. 22 — (CP)—Plans of the government for the future promise as much success in the post-war period as has attended their efforts in the period of war, Paul Martin, K.C., (Lib, Essex East) and parliamentary assistant to the Minister of Labor, said last night in an address delivered over the transCanada network of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.



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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Consetta Scott just returned home after spending two weeks with her friend Miss Mary Dore and family at Ranch C Orange, Detroit.

Miss Dora Marvin, 220 George St., Belleville, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Marvin, of Wellington.

Mrs. Robert Buckingham of Toronto is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Chris. Gerle, Dundas Street.

Misses Mary Jean Hudon Maureen Upper and Sharon Lidge have received the results of their recent examinations in theory of music at the Toronto Conservatory of Music, all three receiving first class honors. The above three girls are pupils of Sister Mary Bibiana of St. Michael's Music Studio.

Miss Jean Sharpe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sharpe, Bell St., graduated on Friday from the University of Toronto with her degree of Doctor of Medicine. She is now an interne at Western Hospital, Toronto.

Miss Enid Appe of Cannington, is spending a few days with Miss Peggy Woodland at 73 Dundas St. City.

WEDDINGS

BROWN-WOOD

A Newfoundland Port—A quiet all-Navy wedding was solemnized January 23rd in the H.M.C.S. Avalon chapel here, when Wren Suzanne Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wood, 824 Avenue B North, Saskatoon, Sask., became the bride of Stoker 1-c Albert Brown, of Belleville, Ont.

Wren Joy Hayes, of Winnipeg, was bridesmaid, and Stoker Gerry Downie, of Sarnia, Ont., was best man.

Th ceremony was performed by Chaplin J. H. Moss, RCN, of Newfoundland, and the bride was given in marriage by Chaplin H. Todd, RCN, of Ottawa. She organist was Wren Betty Smith, of Edmonton, Alta. Lt.-Wren F. Bromley, of Vancouver, sang "I Love You Truly".

After a reception given by Wrens who were also the bride at Base Naval Stores and a number of Navy friends of the bridegroom, the couple left for a brief honeymoon at Topsail, Newfoundland.

Wesleyan Methodist W.M.S.

On Monday evening, Feb. 19, at the home of Mrs. J. Bell, 68 Everett St. the February meeting of the W.M.S. was held.

Mrs. J. A. Spearman presided. The opening exercises were conducted by Mrs. O. Denyes and Mrs. Rod. Hicks.

Misses Vivian and Annie Bell sang a duet.

A short business period followed. Mrs. Robt. Coles read a portion of Neglect Colonist's book "How I know God Answers Prayers."

The question in the "Missionary Quiz" this month brought to light the great need for a medical missionary in South America and also for workers in India.

The new scrap book made its first appearance. Mrs. Cyril Trott read an article from its pages "How shall we answer."

Mrs. J. Bell led and Miss L. Prindle continued in a special period of prayer for "home and foreign missions."

A concise outline of one chapter from the study book "Miracles in Black" by Wengats was given by the president.

Mrs. O. Denyes closed the meeting with prayer.

One visitor and a goodly number of members present.



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DIRT'S WORST ENEMY

Questions and Answers

This column is sponsored by the Regional Office, Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Questions on price control, ration regulations and other Wartime Prices and Trade Board rulings, should be mailed to the Information Branch, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Victoria Building, Brockville, Ont.

Q.—When will butter coupon 26 become valid?

A.—Butter coupon 26 will become valid March 8.

Q.—My daughter lost her ration book and when she got her new one some of the valid coupons were missing. Why was this?

A.—New books all have a certain number of coupons removed. Only current valid coupons are left.

Q.—When will preserve coupons 39 and 40 become valid?

A.—Preserve coupons 39 and 40 become valid February 15.

Q.—Most people who make butter for their own consumption register each year. Why is this?

A.—Yes, all butter makers must register with their Local Ration Board, whether they sell the butter or not.

Q.—Are the ration regulations in B.C. the same as in Ontario?

A.—Yes, ration regulations are the same in all over Canada.

Q.—Is there a ceiling price on imported goods?

A.—Yes, all-imported goods come under a special WPTB order.

Q.—Must a merchant be obtained before opening a new business?

A.—Yes, a permit must be obtained from your local Wartime Prices and Trade Board office.

RATION COUPONS

(February 22-28)

Butter—Coupon 25 and 26 are now valid and will remain so until declared invalid. Coupons 41 and 43 will become valid March 8. Valid preserve coupons may also be used for the purchase of sugar at one-half pound per coupon.

Meat—Coupons 32-36 are now valid and will remain so until declared invalid. Coupons 54 and 55 become valid March 18.

Evaporated Milk—Applications for special coupons for the purchase of evaporated milk for infant feeding or medical cases may be made to Local Ration Boards. All such applications for those over two years of age must be supported by medical certificates.

ZION'S W.M.S.

The February meeting of Zion W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Clifford Ketcheson on Friday, February 16. The President, Mrs. Ralph Sills, opening the devotional with the keyword prayer, Business Period. After the last time, Mrs. Meckin wishing all members to use the library, also ways of raising money to meet the Conference grant discussed.

Mrs. W. J. Tufts was asked to act as treasurer in Mrs. R. Bunnett's absence during illness. A hymn and prayer closed this part of the meeting.

The President then asked a valued and Life Member, Mrs. H. K. Denyes, to take charge of the Program of the World's Day of Prayer, who opened the meeting by stressing the value of private prayers; fifty-one countries meeting today in prayer, spoke briefly of a letter received from an Indian girl at Selkirk, Man., telling of the loyalty to God of herself, her husband and family, how the Wrens on their ships in 1942 observed the World Day of Prayer.

The Church Universal was divided in different parts, first part, Worship taken by Mrs. Ralph Sills, second, Thanksgiving by Mrs. Clifford Ketcheson; third, Confession, Mrs. Percy Ray; Miss Greta Martin read the Scripture lesson and Mrs. D. Cranston sang a beautiful solo in keeping with the day, with Mrs. Cecil Ketcheson at the piano.

Mrs. Ralph Sills gave a reading on Prayer.

Collection and Mrs. L. Brough closed the meeting with prayer.

At the close of the meeting, the hostess, Mrs. O. Ketcheson and Miss Greta Martin served refreshments and a social half hour was spent.

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Facial Weariness Apparent From Tension and Anxiety

By HELEN FOLLETT

FOR MORE than three years now, most of us have been living in a nightmare of weariness. We note the weariness in the faces of our friends and, that ever present companion, the woman in the looking glass.

The stress and anxieties of war have left their marks on us. We have attended to our beauty chores as in the past, because there is no time; but of health and well being, we must be ever mindful.

Nervous System.

A day may bring continuous attacks upon the nervous system. There is the need or hurry to get through necessary duties, and that is wearing. The sound of a bell ringing or the slam of a door may make one jump. If that is happening to you, my friend, you must find time and opportunity to relax. Untie your nervous knots, put yourself together again.

Whenever you sit down, let the body relax and go limp. Withdraw muscle control completely. Close your eyes. Close the doors of your mind. Five minutes of limpness is a help. If possible, snatch a little sleep during the day. And do get to bed early one can always manage to do that, if one tries.

A Comfortable Bed.

Don't forget that the best contribution you can make to your health, beauty and looks is a comfortable bed. The mattress should be soft enough to relieve the pressure of the body, spring enough to give resiliency to your turnings and changes of position.

There should be a current of air in the bedroom, but it should not blow upon you. Covers should be sufficient to provide warmth, but not be heavy.

If you are over-fatigued when you retire, try deep breathing exercises, that often will quiet the nerves. Invite the sand man to hurry along.

Lie on your back, hands at the sides. Take a slow, deep inhalation through the nostrils, exhale slow-

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

Careless shampooing is a menace to your beauty. Be it ever so smooth heads, and beautytorians are short of women among them because shampooing is going on now than ever before. Some girls are attempting this job for the first time, don't know much about it, with the result that tresses are no longer silky but are summed and starched with soap. They look very bad. The hair doesn't like it. It also feels like a greyish look.

Then there is dandruff. This is a curl, is likely to come in flood of tears when it is being arranged into the nifty coiffure.

The wrong soap—any cleansing agent that isn't bland—can raise the mischief. All soaps that are congenial to the complexion may not be suitable for combing and the hair. In one week the feminine head becomes pretty dusty, to put it mildly. There is not only a accumulation of atmospheric filth, but there are dead skin cells and the scalp, deposits left by the sweat glands, and a certain amount of oil exuded by the sebaceous glands. That combination is not easily dislodged; to remove it requires floods of hot water, foaming suds, plenty of elbow grease.

If you have not found a shampoo medium that you like, take a small bar of castile soap and place in a quart mason jar; fill the jar with boiling water, add one half teaspoonful of borax, and let it stand three days before using. The amount will serve for eight or ten shampoos.

Give the hair a thorough rousing brushing. Be sure to have a clean comb to use after the ducking. Brush the hair forward over your face. Hold your head over the bathtub, turn on the spray with a strong current of hot water. It is best to start with a rinsing to remove surface dust.

Half fill a timbler with the clear top liquid of the soup, and add an equal amount of hot water. Pricking the scalp. This first soapy rinsing is not likely to foam up thick-ly. Don't keep on with the rubbing, distributing the soap over the hair. Then spray with water as hot as can be comfortably endured.

The second soaping should be a gentle one, not a scrub. Keep adding a little hot water as it encourages the soap. Another rinsing, another soaping. This is rarely always necessary unless the hair has been very much neglected for a final flourish with the bath spray.

Don't fancy that you can rinse your hair in the wash bowl. A current of water is necessary to remove all traces of dead matter, upon the shafts, your permanent will be in the form of a gorgeous crash, uniform, complete with bandolier and decorations.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

SOLVING A NAME PROBLEM

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

I have a name-problem. Will you please help me? I have recently been granted a divorce, and I am in doubt about what name to use for socially, and when signing business letters. My maiden name, Anne Davis, and my married name was Mrs. John Starr. I have been reading your column, that you are going to tell me that my correct name should now be Mrs. Davis Starr,—but I think that is hardrid! And I definitely do not want to use that.

Please tell me what form of name I can use on my new visiting-cards. Informals, and so forth. And what form of name I should use when I sign my letters.

I would like to add that all the letters I have received recently from friends are addressed to "Mrs. Anne D. Starr", but you have written that this is not correct.

Divorce

I never, in my column, use a reader's "real" name, but in your case I would particularly like to (although I didn't!) for I'm sure that all readers would agree that the new combination of names you now could and should use, is not only correct but also exceptionally harmonious and exceptionally distinguished. By using the correct form of name (I've changed it to Davis Starr), you show that (1) you know what's right; (2) you have a sense of name-rhythm; and (3) you're using the form of name that makes your status entirely clear. So, quite naturally, I wish you had told me why you think this correct and distinguished form of name is "horrid"!

Really "horrid" is for your friends to take for granted that you will of course wish to be addressed as "Mrs. Anne D. Starr"! Socially this is the low in name-forms, for married woman, widow, or divorcee. To combat this social blunder, you must decide immediately about your name-problem, and make this preference clear in no uncertain terms.

The only alternative between the correct form you think is "horrid" and the "Mrs. Anne D. Starr" you think is horrid, is for you to use "Mrs. Davis Starr" for such good form as Mrs. Davis Starr", or "Mrs. D. Starr", which usually and naturally lets people suppose

by through the lips, forcing stale air from the lowest cells of the lungs.

That the "A. D." stands for, for example, "Arthur David."

Let's say that you decide on Mrs. A. David Starr. Then you would use this on your visiting-cards. Informals, and as the name you write in full when signing under your signature to business letters or letters to anyone who must be informed of your formal name. For example:

Yours very truly,
(for Arthur David)
Very sincerely yours,
Anne Davis Starr
Mrs. A. Davis Starr

BIRTHDAY GIFTS

Dear Mrs. Beeckman:

I have been going with a young man for several months, and at Christmas time we gave each other gifts. His birthday comes this month, about three weeks before mine. Do you think it would seem too forward if I gave him a birthday gift?

J. C.

Since you and this young man are such good friends that you give each other Christmas presents, it would be very natural for you to give him a birthday remembrance, too. Just judging by the gifts you mentioned giving each other at Christmas-time (I'm omitting the item of engagement ring for fear of "identification" should the young man read this), I think you and he are giving each other gifts that are too personal and expensive for just a friendship. They are more appropriate for an engaged couple to give to each other!



DOGGIE STYLES

The war has had its influence on fashions for dogs, take it from Antoinette Behrs, who made a career of terrier toggery. Miss Behrs, a niece of Countess Tolstoy, went into the dog haberdashery years ago and is about the leading authority on this subject in America. Above are two of her creations. Top, a miniature French poodle in custom-made raincoat with scrupulous overseas cap. Bottom, a bow to our Russian Allies in the form of a gorgeous Cossack uniform, complete with bandolier and decorations.

The Marry Go Round

What Do You Like Best About Her—Or Him?

What do you like best about your wife? Or your husband?

I don't mean what makes you LOVE him (or her). That is probably because he's handsome and personable or brilliant and because she's beautiful or charming or cute —or "just because." Any old reason will do.

You can "fall in" love blindly but you've got to like her or him with your eyes wide open. And you'd be surprised to see how much more it takes to like a man than to love him. Women have "loved" villains and philanderers and wife-beaters. And men have "loved" selfish gold-diggers and grafters and double-crossers — but they didn't know why.

You nearly always know why you like anybody—even your wife or your husband, if you stop to think. And it's the most important thing to know about the person you plan to spend your life with. More important than the color of her eyes or the size of his bank account—or both.

You may like your husband because he admires you extravagantly, and constantly tells you so. Of course, you do! It's almost impossible not to like anybody who frankly admires you. That's human nature.

Or you may like your wife (or husband) because she (or he) is unsurgical—because you are "on the same wire", because you are kindred spirits—or because you can read each other's thoughts.

Every man likes a wife who's a sympathetic understanding and full of thoughtfulness, who knows just when to say the cheering word —and when to keep quiet. And every woman likes a husband who is thoughtful and tender and keeps up the little attentions of his courting days.

Of course a man likes a wife he can be proud of, who is a good mixer and makes a smart appearance. And naturally every woman likes a husband whose accomplishments and success she can brag about.

You see how many, many things it takes to make two people actually like each other—even when they think they are in love.

Perhaps we'd be astonished to know how many married couples have gone on for years mating a happy life together after that first romance they call "love" has worn off. And we might be surprised to learn how many of those who separated who are still in love—but just can't like each other!

Love, after all, is just a glorified—horse-daddy, seen under the same wire", because you are Kindred spirits of romance.

If Your Nose Fills Up—

Spoils Sleep Tonight

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MARMORA

Swine Course Held at Marmora

Marmora — Two days' Swine Improvement course, sponsored by the Livestock Production Service of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, was held in the Council Chamber in the afternoons and evenings of Monday and Tuesday. The attendance of farmers from Marmora Township at the lectures was very gratifying. The lecturer on Monday was Dr. R. B. Murray, V.S., of Stirling. He spoke in the afternoon on swine diseases and their control, Bang's disease in cattle, calfhood vaccination, and hot fly control in horses. In the evening the speaker chose the following subjects—mastitis in cattle, and control measures, and Warble fly control and mineral deficiencies in cattle. On Tuesday afternoon and evening Dr. Deschenes H.D. of the Livestock Production Service gave lectures and demonstrations under two headings, first, a study in swine carcasses; second, breeding and feeding for market requirements. The carcasses used were in the form of lectures, procured from farmer's hogs, shipped from the Marmora district. R. J. Fab, agricultural representative for Hastings County, presided at these meetings, which were fell by the local farmers to be of a most helpful character.

Personals.

Mrs. Geo. Kerr is visiting relatives in Toronto.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Brownlie spent Tuesday in Belleville.

Mr. Everett McGarvey is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

The Catholic Women's League held a successful Bake Sale in the block occupied by Mrs. Milton Campbell on Tuesday afternoon.

The Women's Institute held a successful bingo and bake sale in the Parish Hall, on Monday afternoon and evening.

Corporal Howard Neal of the Canadian Provost Corps, Kingston, is spending a few days at his home here.

Foxboro

Foxboro.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wicket, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett, of Belleville, attended the Pancake Social on Tuesday evening in St. John's Church, Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gardner, Mr. R. Yorke and Mrs. A. Shaw attended the funeral of the late Sam Way in Belleville on Tuesday.

A large number attended the social in the S.S. rooms on Wednesday evening and greatly enjoyed the program and refreshments.

Mrs. W. Simmons attended the funeral of the late Dr. Carl Brownson, of Picton, and sympathy is extended to the bereaved parents, as Dr. Brownson was well known by many in the village.

Mrs. Harold Ball of Barbara spent Wednesday with Mrs. Earl Whitmore.

A Red Cross meeting was held on Thursday at Miss Ethel Gowsell's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and Ellen, were Sunday evening guests at Mr. Harold Stewart's.

An address was read by Mr. Leon Wilson on Sunday morning on behalf of the S.S. and on behalf of the community, a beautiful gold wrist watch was presented to Mr. Reginald Scott, previous to Mrs. leaving for the Eastern Coast, where she will take a special course.

Miss Doris Scott was a tea hour guest on Sunday of Miss Marion Daniels.

Miss Hazel Dafoe and friend, of Peterborough, spent the weekend at Mr. Otis Dafoe's.

Mrs. Ronald Wicket, returned from overseas to his home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Morton, of Avondale were Monday evening callers at Mr. R. A. Morton's.

Mrs. Eric Reid was called to the home of her father, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Scott, Mrs. W. Scott and Mr. Douglas Scott were Sunday evening guests at Mr. Leon Wilson's.

Mrs. Eric Denyes of Plainfield, spent Monday at Mr. J. G. Sills'.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Scott spent Monday evening at Mr. James Reynolds'.

Rossmore

Rossmore—The weekly euchre was held on Thursday night at the home of Mrs. J. Alyea. The prize winners were ladies' first, Mrs. G. Thompson, men's first, Mr. S. Wilkins, Consolation, Mrs. F. Belnap, Mrs. W. Simmons, lone hand prize, Mrs. G. Thompson. The afternoon at the Seven Up Table were Mrs. Brownell, Mrs. Mary Belnap, Lorne Rose, Mrs. Rose, Mrs. C. Moy, travelling prize, Mrs. Brownell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Elsdes, Norsen and Rosemary, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. Elsdes and Eugene, Roblin's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Moy, Mr. and Mrs. S. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gerow, Mrs. E. Gerow and Mrs. Hoole spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. F. Belnap.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gerow entertained at a birthday party for their daughter, Emma. Cards were played and a very pleasant evening spent. All wished wishing Emma many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. F. Belnap spent Wednesday and Thursday in Trenton, with Mr. and Mrs. F. Dobson and family.

Burrs

Burrs—Mrs. Ralph Preston and Mrs. Clifford Gamble were responsible as convenors for a very successful social evening for the local Red Cross Unit, on Wednesday at Allisonville Hall. Twenty tables of euchre were in play with high scores going to Mrs. Ralph Preston and Mr. Kenneth Wood; Mrs. Albert Webb and Mr. Fred Gough received the consolations. After refreshments were served the gathering was called to order and Mrs. Will Morton was invited forward. Mrs. Ross Burr, on behalf of the members of the Allisonville W.I.G. expressed their appreciation to Mrs. Morton for her faithful and very splendid services lovingly for the past five years over the length of which she is the capable president. Mrs. C. Kinnear then presented her with a pretty vase as a tangible evidence and a pleasant reminder to Mrs. Morton of the appreciation of her co-workers on the Allisonville Red Cross. Standing ovations set this enjoyable evening. Seven dollars was cleared over the evening's expenses. Mrs. Floyd Huffman, Mrs. Kenneth Wood, and Mrs. Don Osterhout are convenors for the next social evening to be held early in March.

Rev. and Mrs. F. Tiller are calling in this community on Tuesday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison (nee Hetta Bracken), who were married Saturday at the home of Mrs. Herb Brason.

Miss Pauline Burr was the overnight guest of Miss Mae Brooks on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burkitt called on Mr. and Mrs. Don Osterhout, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulford entertained at a quilting party on Friday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burr, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Brason were their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clark were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Doxsy.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Harns entertained Mr. and Mrs. Don Osterhout on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Squire and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Purdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Werden entertained Mr. and Mrs. Orval Dick and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wood and Robert on Sunday. Mrs. Dick, Barbara and David, remained until Wednesday.

Mrs. George Huffman called on Mrs. Laura Brason and Reta, on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Val Squire, Lois and Paul called on Mrs. Ross Burr, Tuesday afternoon and on Mrs. Lorne Burr, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. C. Fulford has purchased a new tractor, bringing it to his home on Saturday.

Mr. Gene Maxwell while playing at school received a painful fall on the crown of his head, which left him unconscious for a time. He has been under the doctor's care since and is now believed to be making satisfactory recovery. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Maxwell, Bowerman's.

Mrs. Kenneth Van Cott has had a letter from her son, Gnr. Oliver Edwards stating he is in a convalescing home recovering from severe frost bite on his hands.

Rfm. Arthur Bird is again back on active service in Belgium, after being ill with pneumonia, according to word received by his sister, Mrs. Eric Rivard. He and Oliver were placed in the same hospital for treatment and were happily surprised to meet.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wood were Thursday tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Osterhout.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adams, Ameliasburg, who passed their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary, Sunday, February eleventh. Also congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. C. McElmury and Mr. and Mrs. C. Robinson, who recently reached their Golden Wedding anniversaries.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson, Redmerville were Wednesday tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parks and with them attended the Red Cross social, evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham, Swamp College, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McPaul, Wellington Road, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Young, Gilead, were also in attendance.

Mrs. Durland Morden, Picton, is spending some weeks in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morden, Christian Street. Mrs. A. Morden has been confined to her bed through illness, but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Edwards were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clark.

Master Wayne Vincent and Master Larry Carter, are covering from whooping cough.

Mr. Fraser, who is employed by Mr. Clayton Palmer, had the misfortune to injure his knee while assisting cutting ice on Tuesday, which necessitated him to have his thumb amputated.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Werder, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wood and Robert, with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burr were Sunday tea and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Montgomery, Victoria.

Congratulations to P.O. and Mrs. Omar Diggins (nee Elsie Hall), on the birth of a son, Sunday at Trent Memorial Hospital, Brampton.

AMBASSADOR PRESENTS LETTERS OF CREDENCE

Ottawa, Feb. 22, (CP)— Comte Jean de Hauteclocque, first French ambassador to Canada, on Wednesday presented his letters of credence to the Governor General.

The new ambassador in an address spoke of his part played by Canadians in the liberation of France.

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CROSS or
Short Rib Roast lb. 29¢

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ROUND STEAK or ROAST lb. 39¢

LEAN
BLADE ROAST - lb. 25¢

ROLLED ROAST
Boneless Shoulders lb. 24¢

TASTY COOKED MEATS

SLICED	lb.	BAKED SLICED	lb.
Luncheon Roll -	37¢	Mac. & Cheese -	26¢
BAKED SLICED	lb.	DUTCH STYLE	lb.
Dutch Style Loaf. -	26¢	Salami Sausage	37¢

LIBBY'S

HOMOGENIZED BABY FOODS - - 2 Tins 7¢
LIBBY'S PREPARED MUSTARD - - - 2 Tins 9¢
LIBBY'S SWEET RELISH 16-oz. Jar 24¢
LIBBY'S CONDENSED CREAM OF TOMATO SOUP 10 Tins 8¢
LIBBY'S GREEN TOMATO PICKLE 16 Fl. oz. Bottle 17¢

HARRY HORNE'S GRAVEX BROWNIE 2 Large Pkgs. 19¢
DOILYNE WHEAT HEARTS 2 Pkgs. 10¢
LALLEMAND'S YEAST - - - Cake 4¢

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BUNCH CARROTS lb. 7¢	BUNCH BEETS - lb. 6¢

CALIFORNIA Iceberg Head Lettuce - - - - - - 2 Size 48's 19¢
FLORIDA WHITE or GREEN CELERY STALKS - - - - - - - - 2 Jumbo Size 20¢

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Ontario Apples		Ontario No. 1 Grade	
SPYS Combination Grade, 8-qt. Bskt.	59¢	WASHED BULK CARROTS - - 4 lbs.	25¢
COMBINATION GRADE BALDWINS Quart 4 lbs.	25¢	WASHED PARSNIPS - - 3 lbs.	14¢
MacINTOSH REDS Domestic 8-qt. Bskt.	40¢	WAXED RUTABAGAS - - 3 lbs.	20¢
No. 1 Grade 8-qt. Bskt.	59¢		

CROSSE & BLACKWELL Worcestershire Sauce - 6-oz. Bottle	27¢	ASSORTED SHADES 2 in 1 SHOE POLISH Tin	10¢
RED LABEL—Black Red Rose Tea ½-lb. Pkg.	37¢	CASHMERE 100-sheet roll Toilet Paper 3 for	25¢
DAVIS Gelatine - - - 1-pt. Pkg.	17¢	WATER SOFTENER and CLEANER Charms - - Per Pkg.	9¢
PERFECTION Brand Cowan's Cocoa ½-lb. Tin	24¢	CLEANSER Babbitt's - 2 Tins	9¢
QUICK or REGULAR Quaker Oats - - - 1-pt. Pkg.	19¢	SCRATCH COVER POLISH Old English Bottle	23¢
A Hot Drink for Cold Days Bovril Cubes - - - 2-oz. Tin	23¢	FLOOR PASTE Blue Ribbon Tin	45¢
HEINZ SOUPS 2 10-oz. Tins 25¢ Cream of Vegetable, Celery, Green Pea, Vegetarian Vegetable		FACIAL SOAP Woodbury's 2 Cakes	15¢
		SPEEDCOAT Chan Wax - - Pint	59¢
		TOILET SOAP Camay - - 2 Cakes	11¢
		Oxydol Small 9¢ Large Pkg.	23¢

RASPBERRY JAM 24 FL. OZ. JAR 2-D COUPONS 29¢
ADDED PECTIN

PEAS - - -	BURT Brand STANDARD	20 Fl. oz. Tin	10¢
AYLMER or EASTLAKE TOMATOES	CHOICE QUALITY	28 Fl. oz. Tin	11¢
BENSON'S CHOICE QUALITY PUMPKIN - - - 2		28 Fl. oz. Tins	19¢
STANDARD QUALITY CUT WAX BEANS - 2		28 Fl. oz. Tins	21¢
McLAREN'S INVINCIBLE PURE VANILLA		1½-oz. Bottle	19¢
STOKELY'S or BRIGHT'S TOMATO JUICE 2		20 Fl. oz. Tins	15¢
DELICIOUS PREM, SPORK or KAM		12-oz. Tin	29¢

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CATELLI'S CHEESE-A-RONI - - -	7-oz. Pkg.	17¢
BRUNSWICK CHICKEN HADDIE - - -	½-lb. Tin	25¢
PARAMOUNT PILCHARDS - - -	15½-oz. Tin	14¢
KRAFT VELVEETA CHEESE	½-lb. Pkg.	19¢
INGERSOLL Old Oxford CHEESE	½-lb. Pkg.	25¢
Maple Leaf CHEESE	½-lb. Pkg.	69¢

BIRDS EYE FILLET of COD lb. 34¢

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FO. W. F. Moran Believed Killed

Trenton, Feb. 21 — Missing since last November 4th, Flying Officer Walter Franklin Moran is now reported believed killed according to official information received here by his mother, Mrs. F. Moran.

A message from the R.C.A.F. casualty office reads "Regret to advise International Red Cross quoting German information states young Flying Officer Walter Franklin Moran lost his life November 4th, but does not give particulars. Pending further confirmation your son is to be considered missing, believed killed. Letter following."

Flying Officer Moran enlisted in September 1942, trained at Lachine, Moncton, Wheatville, Que. and No. 4 A.O.S. London, Ont., where he graduated as a Navigator, November 26, 1924, going overseas in February 1944. Previous to enlisting he was taking a medical course at Queen's University, Kingston. He had taken part in several successful bombing operations over Germany before being reported missing.

A twin brother, Wing Commander Charles Moran, D.F.C., with considerable time overseas with a Canadian Mosquito squadron, was on his 35th trip was forced to bail out of a Mosquito, the first to do so from this type of ship, he drifted on his life raft for several hours before being picked up by a rescue launch. He is now stationed on the East Coast in Canada.

Chinese Capture Silver, Lead Mines

Calcutta, Feb. 22 (CP) — Troops of the Chinese 200th Division today captured the rich Baldwin silver and lead mines 22 miles north of Lashio, scoring the greatest Allied victory in Burma since the capture of Myitkyina.

The mines, described by authorities as capable of producing enough lead to supply the entire Japanese war machine, were left intact by the enemy.

The Japanese gave up the mines almost without a fight, although they are among the most valuable in the east.

Advancing elements of the Chinese forces pushed on southward and captured the station at Namtu on a branch railway leading directly to Lashio.

British troops, meanwhile, enlarged their bridgehead on the Irrawaddy at Singu, 40 miles north of Mandalay, capturing the village of Zigon, after an advance of several miles against stiff opposition.

In the Myitmu sector 35 miles southeast of Mandalay, British and Indian forces established a bridgehead on the east bank of the Irrawaddy in a stretch of ten miles and a depth of six.

Whitehall Notebook

By JOHN DAUPHINEE
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 22. (CP) — Five by-elections are pending in the United Kingdom and there are likely to be contests in at least four of them.

As the first general election since 1935 is expected to be held later this year, the "miniature election" provided by the by-elections probably will bring plenty of fireworks, and indicate what will be the main issues of the smaller parties when the National vote comes.

Three by-elections will be the first in which the new, up-to-date voters' register will be used. The vacant seats are:

Conservative — Chelmsford, won in 1935 by the late Col. J. R. Macnamara with majority of 16,654; and Newport, won in 1935 by the late Sir Reginald Clarry with majority of 1,846.

Labor—Neath, won by acclamation in 1935 by Sir William Jenkins who in 1931 had majority was 12,664; and Motherwell, won in 1938 by the late J. Walker with majority of 630.

Liberal — Carnarvon Boroughs, represented by David Lloyd George for more than 50 years before his election to the peerage.

The major parties have decided the electoral truce should be continued until the defeat of Germany but other parties already have registered candidates—Common Wealth, Independent Labor, Revolutionary Communists and Welsh Nationalists.

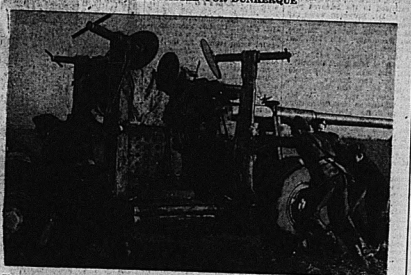
Members of parliament are receiving from service personnel in the Mediterranean area, personal questionnaires asking them to state their views on major political issues.

Sample questions are: "What do you think or the government's plans for Social Security?" and "Will you please send me details of the Social Insurance plan?"

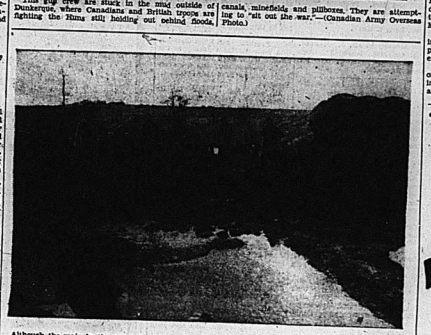
The House of Commons by a vote of 308 to 17 has rejected proportional representation in local government elections. The suggestion was made by Sir Geoffrey Mandeville Liberal member for Wolverhampton East.

Printing the new voters' list is the biggest job British printers have had in wartime. More than 30,000,000 names and addresses have to be set up.

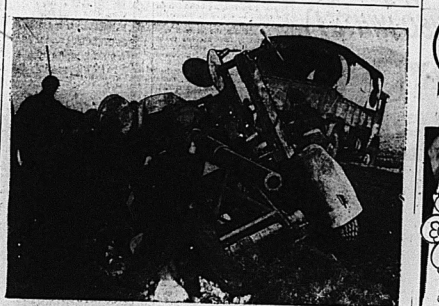
THE BATTLE FOR DUNKERQUE



This gun crew are stuck in the mud outside of Dunkerque, where Canadians and British troops are fighting the Huns still holding out behind floods, canals, minefields and pillboxes. They are attempting to "sit out the war."—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)



Although the main battles are being fought on the Eastern Front, the Siegfried Line and in Italy Canadians have not neglected the sullen little isles of German resistance along the coast of France . . . at Dunkerque, Lorient, St. Nazaire. The noose is slowly closing around these garrisons and daily supplies of ammunition for Canadian and British guns are made. Picture shows ammunition being unloaded at an ammunition dump outside Dunkerque.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)



Canadians are fighting side by side with British troops in routing the Germans out of Dunkerque. The Huns are holding out behind floods, canals, minefields and pillboxes. Here Canadians are pulling a gun onto the road to take up a position to use against the Nazis.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

Pte. Ronald Wickett, Too Young To Fight, Sent Back Home

After having served for a full month in France with the Royal Canadian Artillery, overseas army officers decided that Pte. Ronald A. Wickett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wickett, Foxboro, should be attending school rather than fighting Germans and today he is back in Canada awaiting disposal.

Enlisting when 14 years of age, Pte. Wickett trained for more than a year in Canada and after going overseas last October had served in France before army officers learned his true age. He is still only 18 years old.

Although still a boy in years the Foxboro boy proudly exhibits slight shrapnel wounds in his leg-wounds which were not serious enough to take him out of the line during his action in France. And he also felt the explosive force of German robot bombs, one such blast rendering him unconscious and sending him to hospital.

Born at Belleville he has spent most of his 18 years in the Stirling and Foxboro districts.

Extend Prorogation Of Parliament Till March 31st

Ottawa, Feb. 22 —(CP)— A proclamation formally extending prorogation of parliament to March 31 will be issued later today, The Canadian Press was informed today by a reliable source.

Fixing of this date is a formality and does not clear up doubts as to whether a further session or the present parliament will be held before its life expires April 17. However, it assures members of the Commons and Senate they will not be required in the capital Feb. 26, original date to which parliament was prorogued.

Another proclamation summoning parliament for the "dispatch of business" could be issued later calling parliament into session at a date earlier than March 31.

CHINESE TROOPS . . . . . .

Bonarlaw

Bonarlaw. —On Wednesday evening of last week the Y.P.U. of the United Church Springbrook entertained the members of the Young People's Society of St. Mark's Church, Bonarlaw, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Holden.

The devotional period consisted of an opening hymn, prayer by Rev. Mr. Holden, scripture reading and vocal solo by J. Bonar and a reading by Miss Freida Mclaren.

The meeting was then turned over to the Springbrook Y.P.U. President Roy Thompson who welcomed warmly the visitors and asked Robert Cosbey, president of St. Mark's Y.P.S. to proceed with the recreational activities. Mr. Cosbey thanked the Y.P.U. for the invitation, and the following program was put on via: game led by Marjorie McCoy; spelling contest by Robert Cosbey, dictpture contest by Mrs. Jason Baker; Game, "How, when and where do you live?" by R. Cosbey. Mrs. Jason Baker acted as pianist.

Bountiful refreshments were served by the Springbrook Group and the National Anthem closed a very pleasant evening.

Hotel Beer Quotas Being Re-allocated Says Toronto Report

Toronto, Feb. 22. (CP)—Since the Liquor Authority Control Board of Ontario came into being last November, it has suspended the beer and wine sale authorities of eight Ontario hotels for varying periods and warned more than 100 others to provide restaurant service and live up to the regulations under penalty of losing beer-selling privileges, officials said Tuesday night.

A re-allocation of hotel beer quotas now is being made, it was reported. Officials said it was found some communities have been getting more beer, on a per capita basis, than others and an effort is being made to equalize the supply.

Roslin

Roslin — Mr. Walter Chisholm, R.C.N.V.R. left for Halifax on Sunday after spending a furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Chisholm.

Miss Doris Alexander is progressing favorably after recent appendix operation in Belleville General Hospital on Friday.

Mrs. Harold Hart R.C.N.V.R. left on Monday for Halifax after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hart.

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DR. CHASE'S Nerve Food — Contains three essential minerals and Vitamin B-1. A tonic for blood and nerves — 60 for 60c

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PABISAL, Papain and Bile, 100 tablets 47c
SULPHUR, 8 ounce. Special 8c
TINCTURE OF IODINE, 1 oz. Reg. 20c 14c
LINSEED MEAL, 12 oz. Special 12c
PENCILS, H-B Lead ..... 3 for 10c

IDAFER Vitamin Caps 60s. $1.15
SPARR'S REMEDY 50c, $1.50
POND'S CREAMS 2 SIZES 15c and 33c
EX-LAX 25c

Special Value, "LUSTRAL" TOOTH BRUSHES Reg. 25c 19c
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.CUTEX. HAND CREAM — Buttons, Whitens, Nourishes, Non-Greasy, Delicately Perfumed 43c

THERMOGENE RUB 60c, 75c
Gillette TECK RAZORS Set 69c
ONE-A-DAY VIT. A & D TABS. 44c, 88c, $1.71
I.D.A. MILK OF MAGNESIA TABLETS 100's. Reg. 30c 27c

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23rd Birthday Of Rotary Club Is Observed

Trenton, Feb. 21 — At Trenton Rotary Club luncheon on Monday evening two important events were marked, now the 23rd anniversary of the Rotary International and the other the 23rd birthday of the local club.

For the occasion the guest speaker was J. Owen Hently, past district governor and secretary of Belleville Chamber of Commerce. Over sixty members and guests had a few of them charter members, gathered around the festive board, the head table being centred with a huge birthday cake made by the ladies of the Rebekah Lodge who served the dinner. President E. L. Fraser presided and the program was in charge of Rotarian Jed Simmons, who was the Club's third president and has a record of never having missed a meeting since the Club was chartered.

In his address Mr. Hently congratulated the Trenton Club on its progress and the excellent work it was doing. He noted that in five years the membership had increased over 100 per cent, and said that the Club had an influence for friendship and fellowship, while the children of the town had reason to be glad of the club's existence, particularly those who were crippled. On the international aspect of Rotary Mr. Hently spoke of the organization the fellowship gathering of forty years ago formed by Paul Harris in Chicago, and pointed out that today the club had 225,000 members in many countries of the world. He saw a great opportunity for Rotary service in the future as its members sought to carry out its principles.

Mr. Hartty was introduced by William Ireland. Two vocal numbers were given by J. C. Bill Wilkinson of S.R.D., R.C.A.F., Green Nest Fur Stalpers.

Red Cross work rooms held the usual interest for those faithful workers on Tuesday at the work rooms and much was accomplished in the line of sewing and quilting, etc. There is still a great need for helpers at the rooms and for those who are willing to take either sewing home to be done on their own machines, or knitting to be done during leisure hours.

A donation of $3 was received from Miss Walker's class of College Street school and a donation of cookies from Miss D. Powers was raffled and brought $1.55. Mrs. J. Parker was the lucky winner.

The appointment of a new treasurer for the local branch, Mr. Owen McAvoy, was announced by President B. P. Joyce.

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Allisonville,—The euchre party and dance that was held on Wednesday night in the Orange Hall, Allisonville for the Red Cross, was a successful affair. Sponsors were Mrs. Clifton Gandier and Mrs. Ralph Preston. Another such event will be held early in March Ira.

Miss Marion Mikel and her pupils presented a concert, had a "Valentine party at their school on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Percy Wood spent last Tuesday at her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wood. A small birthday party was given for her and also Mr. Warner McPaul as his birthday falls on the same day. Guests were Mr. Howard Kinnear, Mr. and Mrs. Warner McPaul and Mary Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wood and baby, Robert.

A number of people due to the changeable weather have suffered with influenza in this vicinity.

Mr. Donald Wood was a dinner guest at his brother's on Saturday, Mr. Geo. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Wood and family, Christian Street.

The Red Shirt Orchestra sponsored a dance in the Allisonville Hall last Friday.

Mrs. Percy Ferguson and baby, Laird Douglas, are getting along fine at the Prince Edward County Hospital, Picton.

Mr. Donald Wood was a caller at his sister's on Sunday, also Mr. Neil Wood and family on Saturday.

Tweed

Tweed — On Friday night the Business Girl's Club of Tweed were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Salth of Sulphide.

Mrs. Jennie James had the misfortune to fall on the ice while crossing the river on her way over to the village and broke a bone in her arm. Mrs. James was taken to Belleville hospital for x-ray.

The World's Day of Prayer was held Sunday in the United Church and was well attended. Capt. Viola Hunt of the Salvation Army addressed the meeting in a very capable manner.

Mr. Wm. Austin of Port Hope is spending the weekend with his mother Mrs. Austin and brother, Harry Austin.

Miss Amy Newton of Toronto is visiting her mother, Mrs. P.H. Newton and sister Miss Marian Newton over the weekend.

Mrs. Evart Sills of Foxboro is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. S. H. Connor and Mr. Connor.

Martha, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Elliott had the misfortune to hurt her back while tobogganing down the Consolidated School hill.

Mrs. Irene Benny of Belleville Hospital staff is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. John Reeves.

Mr. Arthur Alexander has returned from Belleville Hospital, much improved in health.

Mrs. George Fisher, (nee Lois Clark) left for Ottawa this week to resume her duties with the Civil Service there. She received a cable on Wednesday informing her of her husband's safe arrival overseas.

Mr. John Scott has been a patient in General Hospital, Kingston, returned to his home on Friday.

Notes

Mr. Harold Emerson put his new ice into service between Tweed and Bellrock on Monday night. He has a Dodge chassis with a superior body and a seating capacity for 24 persons. It was purchased through Mr. K. W. Johnson, local dealer and will be known as the Emerson coach line.

2nd Thurlow

Second Thurlow—Mr and Mrs. A Ornastitz called on Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woods on Saturday night.

Mrs. E Leeming called on Mrs. J. Rowe and Mrs. J. Howe on Monday afternoon.

Messrs. F. Walker and Lee Kellington motored to Wellington on Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Atkins.

Miss Beasie Boldrick and Mr. H. Lee were Sunday tea guests of Mrs Dora Lee.

Mrs. A. Mitchell, Mrs. Moncrief spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Dent's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Donaldson called on Mr. and Mrs. A. Mitchell on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Douglas Atkins entertained about thirty friends and neighbors at a luncheon on Wednesday afternoon in honor of her daughter Doris, bride-to-be. Miss Doris Haight displayed the trousseau. Refreshments were served by the hostess with Mrs. H. Parnell, Mrs. Ivy Grills and Mrs. MacNeil assisting.

Mrs. M. Grills spent a few days with Mrs. Clement, Belleville, who had the misfortune to break her arm.

Old friends and neighbors of Mrs. J. Houston, Shannonville, are sorry to hear she is ill. All hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Irvin, Belleville, are in Kingston for a few days with Mr. S. Rowe's, Sr., called on Mr. D. Atkins on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. D. Whalen and Mrs. J. Lynch have returned home after attending the funeral of the late Mrs. J. Lynch, Toronto, and visited relatives while there.

Miss Alma McPherson, Belleville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. MacNeil.

Miss Lorena Haight attended the formal dance at the high school, Stirling, Friday night with the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chambers.

Mrs. F. Barlow called on Mrs. R. Pritt on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sprague and Amy, Demorestville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Akins and family.

Mrs. R. Milligan and Barry spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Alex Lazarus.

Russell T. Boldrick, R.C.N.V.R., Halifax, is spending a 21-day furlough in Belleville and community.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Vivian, Mrs. Ethel Kerr spent the 24 hour recently with Mr. and Mrs. J. Cousins.

3rd Thurlow

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Several from this line attended the Red Cross quilting and dinner held at the home of Mrs. Raymond Hollinger, 4th line on Thursday.

Sympathy in the community is extended to Mrs. Clinton Casey in the death of her brother, Mr. Sam Way.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Eggleton and family were guests on Sunday last of Mr. and Mrs. Morley Davidson of Massassaga.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sills, Zion, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker, Cecil and Patsy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Grills, 4th of Sidney.

The Bethany Y. P. U. held a successful box social at the school on Wednesday evening. Proceeds amounted to $26.75.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jeffs of Stirling spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Easton and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacPherson have moved to their new home on the Mrs. A. Carscallen farm.

Mohawk Reserve

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Mrs. Albert Lewis was taken suddenly ill with a stroke, while visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob P. Bero.

Miss Elsie Maracle has returned from a visit with relatives in Windsor, Ont.

Relatives of Pte. John Maracle and Pte. Donald Martin, have been informed that they have been wounded in action.

Mrs. Wm. Maracle is ill, at the home of her son, Mr. Amos Maracle.

Miss Sherry Maracle has returned home, after a few weeks' visit with Miss Celia Zachariah.

Mrs. Ira Maracle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herman Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jr. Sero, Miss Celia Zachariah and Mr. Allan Sero were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob P. Sero.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Barnhart and son Clifford, Mr. Wm. Maracle, Mrs. B. Brant and Miss Margarette were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Maracle.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Maracle have recently moved to Mrs. Isaac Green's farm.

Mrs. Wm. Brant has returned home after a few months' visit in Toronto.

Mr. Albert Maracle is now employed at the Chinese Cafe, Frankford.

Mr. Walter Hill underwent an operation in Hamilton recently.

Mrs. Laverne Thompson, who has been ill for the past few days in the Belleville General and Isolation Hospital, Kingston, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Maracle and Mrs Ruth Brant, Belleville, spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brant.

Mrs. Jack Hill has received from her husband, who is with the Canadian Forces, in Italy, three beautiful brocaded satin bedspreads, two large bath towels, and a sea-shell covered trinket box.

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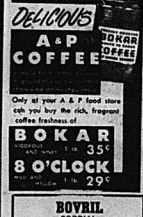
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Mountain View "Bombers" Defeat Flyers 6-4 in Second Game But Lose Round 11-10

Trenton Station Team Meets Camp Borden in Training Command Play-downs Beginning on Friday Here

That three goal lead the Trenton "Flyers" carried into the Quinte R. C. A. F. final game Wednesday night was good enough to win the series as the Mountain View "Bombers" played all-out aggressive hockey to win the game 6 to 4. But, when the final analysis came around the "Flyers" went home district winners by an aggregate score of 11 to 10 on the round. Now the "Flyers" move into the R.C.A.F. Training Command playdowns against the Camp Borden "Airmen" in a goals-to-count round that opens at the Hume Arena Friday night.

Facing a three-goal deficit the "Bombers" went all out and carried the play early to lead 2 to 1 at the end of the initial frame. It was all even in the middle session as each squad registered a goal. To-score the final stanza Trenton scored twice and it looked like curtains for the Bombers, both on the night's game and the series. With little to lose the Bombers moved five to the attack and whipped home three goals in quick succession to lead the night's score 6 to 4 and remain but a single goal from hoisting the series. A strong Trenton checking game halted any further scoring.

Trigon Scores Three Goals

While the Bombers were trying to halt Paul Raymond, Trigon grabbed off three goals in the same Raymond scored and helped lead the to two assists. "Red" Boudreau, who played a bang-up game for the Bombers, scored two goals as did Shackleville Cowley and Dinnie added singletons. When the night's scoring is totalled Raymond scored and helped lead the Bombers, scored two goals as did Shackleville Cowley and Dinnie added singletons. When the night's scoring is totalled Raymond scored and helped lead the Bombers, scored two goals as did Shackleville Cowley and Dinnie added singletons.

Referees: St. Louis and Holway.

SUMMARY

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   Boudreau (Aube) 9.41
2. Flyers—
   Prigon (Raymond) 10.35
3. Bombers—MacMullen
   (Cowley, Wilson) 14.30

2nd Period—

4. Flyers—
   Raymond (Prigon) 6.09
5. Bombers—
   Cowley (Wilson) 16.57

Penalties: Reinhardt, Dinnie, Curtis and Raszinsky and Burtt (Majors).

3rd Period—

6. Flyers—
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8. Bombers—Boudreau 11.09
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   Dinnie (MacMullen) 15.14
10. Bombers—MacMullen
    (Cowley, Wilson) 16.59

Penalties: none.

STEEL SHORTAGE ACUTE

Ottawa, Feb. 22. (CP)—Restrictions on the distribution of warm-zone steel have been tightened to meet requirements of the all-time high in war production, Munitions Minister Howe announced, Wednesday. The steel shortage now is more acute than ever before, he said.

A new steel control order limits the amount of steel which any consumer may buy from warehouse stock for purposes other than war and highly essential civilian production, bolts, nuts, of carbon steel and two tons of alloy steel during any calendar quarter.

FORMER HOCKEY STARS RECAPTURE FOND MEMORIES

Montreal Maroons of 30's Score 6-3 Win Over Leafs of 1932

Toronto, Feb. 22 (CP)—Twenty-four hockey stars of the '30s last night recaptured for 1,000 Toronto fans fond memories of the exploits, while carried them a hockey fame.

They played in a Navy League of Canada benefit game in which the Montreal Maroons of 1935 scored a convincing 6-3 triumph over the Toronto Maple Leafs of 1932. They had the help of four more recent Montreal Hockey League stars and a dashing collection of juniors from the Ontario Hockey Association.

It was the old timers who sent the fans home talking of their pastime again. While time has slowed them down, they showed that they are surprisingly good.

Frederick Martyn (Red) Dutton of the N.H.L. was enthusiastic. "We ought to do this every winter," he explaining he didn't get into the game with the Maroons because he wasn't in shape for it.

Lionel (Big Train) Conacher, who captained the Maroons, said afterwards that "if we had a couple of weeks practise we could take on any of these modern N.H.L. teams."

Hasbrouck Hospital.

There was one casualty among the veterans. George Hainsworth, the Kitchener, Ont., who started in goal for the Maple Leafs suffered a slight muscle injury after eight minutes of play when he dived to save a shot from Eddie Shore. Hainsworth—whose record of 22 shutouts in 44 games with Montreal Canadiens in the 1928-29 season still stands unchallenged—was removed to hospital. It was explained his condition wasn't serious.

Four of the nine goals were scored by the old timers. Russ Blinco, Cy Wentworth and Lionel Conacher tallied for the Maroons. The Toronto goal was the product of the once-famous kid line. Joe Primeau passed to Harvey Jackson and the latter slapped the puck to Charlie Conacher, who drove home one of his old-time scoring shots.

Dave Kerr of Maroons and Hainsworth both fended off all threats in their efforts on the ice. Three goals were scored against Hainsworth old-time net guardian, Roy Worters.

Youngsters Get Three.

Three of the goal-getters were modern players. Neil Colville, recently discharged from the R.C.A.F. at the command of the Boston Bruins' famed Kraut line, got a tally in the air force, but Bobby Bauer, Bruins' other sniper, and Billy Taylor, Toronto Maple Leaf player who is in the army, got one for the Leafs.

Dutch Schaefer of the Cobalt-arities Falcons and Symehy Mayer of the Kirkland Lake Wings were the junior scorers. Defensive play with the Leafs and Mayer with the Maroons.

Even the referees were old timers as Red Storey of Kingston and Bobby Hewitson of Toronto.

BIG YEAR

By Jack Sords



Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER
(CP Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 22 — (CP) — All indications point to a bit of a heated meeting this Saturday when the boys of the Canadian Rugby Union fall together for their annual confab. Discussion is bound to be heated when rules enter the agenda.

The meeting will give the Canadian football fan a glimpse of the shape of things to come—and then again, it may not. Quote a few angles concerning the gridiron and its future are as likely to fall flat when the mighty moguls of football begin round-table discussions.

When it comes to rule changes you can be sure of finding Bill Hughes of the Quebec Union in there punching — but in the end it will be the rules committee that has the power to vote or not. Bill's suggested changes are not very radical but Bill (Ottawa Journal) Westwick ventures to predict that it is doubtful any changes will be made in the little book of "laws" this year.

Among Hughes' suggestions is elimination of the kickoff at the start of the second half. Also that the deadline kick which Hughes seems so against, and others too, are slated to be kicked around a bit.

Fertile Field:

Individual changes in the rule book may all merit consideration by the code carriers. But perhaps the biggest — and maybe most important step the C.R.U. could take would be to standardize Canadian playing rules for senior, junior and high school football.

This is a move that could well be initiated now. There is little doubt that the limited changes toward standardization could not be made in one season. The truth is, such standardization is bound to come, why not start it now?

Thursday Thoughts:

Bouquet are tossed at the Flin-flon Athletic Club of Port Arthur by F. W. (Fort William Times-Journal) Edwards for their efforts in reviving track and field events at the head-of-the-lakes. The club is holding an open meet to-morrow come the middle of March — Jor-dan Smith, of Arthur Rupert, mis-sled laser who entered the Van-couver Sun Golden Gloves tourney in his visit to the "Big City" . . . for Canada's gold claims to two more Canadian skaters in the persons of Marjorie Callaghan, of Timmins, Ont., and Julia Popovich of Sch-lacher. They were the fourth and fifth members of the recruiting Ice Sling Club to turn pro . . . . Ken Henry, manager of Edmonton's Jo-nior Canadians, reports that his sextet-ette team has 11 farm teams in minor hockey.

CANDIENS FEAR RED WINGS MOST IN THE PLAYOFFS

Chicago Hawks Score 5-0 Victory Over Bruins to Help Their Cause

By The Canadian Press

Montreal Canadiens have a healthy respect for Detroit Red Wings, the Hockey League team considered most likely to meet the Montrealers when the Stanley Cup finals get under around about a month from now.

Although Detroit has a less impressive record against the Habitants than Toronto Maple Leafs, Canadiens feel the Wings will be tougher to beat in the finals than any other N.H.L. club. The confidence may reflect their 4-3 week-end victory over Leafs at Toronto.

But Maurice (Rocket) Richard, Montreal's flashy right wing, says Detroit's defence of William (Flash) Hollett, Jack Stewart, Bill Quackenbush and Harold Jackson "are the toughest in the league."

Richard will check young Ted Lindsay, who jumped from junior ranks to a left-wing berth with Detroit this season, "if he's considered able to shake." Lindsay will be one of the players Leafs' Hockey Club of New York Rangers will have their eyes on tonight when they entertain Wings at New York.

Victory for Rangers is signific-ant-ive following the latter's shoot-ing of Chicago Black Hawks who, not content with holding the league leading Canadiens to a scoreless tie last weekend, shut out Boston Bru-ins last night, 5-0.

The triumph, Hawk's ninth of the season, left them a scant two points behind Rangers and within sight of the fourth place play-off slot occupied by Bruins.

Johnny Harms chalked up two goals in the Chicago cause, one in each of the last two periods. Bill Mosienko started the ball rolling with a first-period counter while Clint Smith and Muah Marvin added the others.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

With the turning over of a cheque for $2,500,000 yesterday to a New York trust company, Larry McPhail took over the New York Yankees as president and general manager. Payment of $300,000 was made 10 days ago to Edward Bar-stock and, at a reorganization meeting, Barrow resigned from the presidency to become chairman of the board.

Outfielder Leo Norlkoff of the Chicago Cubs yesterday was purch-ased by Los Angeles of the Pacific Coast International loop. It was a cash transaction but the amount was not disclosed.

The Guelph Curling Club is breaking high school students into their roaring game in a move to build up membership. Members have been collegians have been enrolled and arrangements are proceeding for a series of matches in March, for a junior championship.

Infielder Steve (the Kibosh) of Niagara Falls, Ont., yesterday signed a contract to play with Hamilton in the eastern league next season. He was spotted by George Toporcer, scout of the Boston Red Sox.

Goaltender Turk Broda and Bud Poile, veteran right winger of the N.H.L. Leafs and it. G. (Red) Ham-ill, with Cleveland Indians two seasons ago, were mentioned as pos-sible last night when Toronto sent England, for their service team hockey with hockey teams at the sea-side city.

Sgdn.-Ldr. Doug Annan, who once carried the ball for Queen's in the Canadian intercollegiate grid circuit, yesterday was transferred by R.C.A.F. base in Britain to be a pounding circuit, stations, bridges, trains and road transports with his Mosquito bomber.

President Maurice Podoloff of the American Hockey League last night ruled that goalie Jim Franks of Buffalo was ineligible to play in the team's game with Cleveland on Feb. 18 and a scheduled overtime contest, which had ended in a 2-all tie, to the Barons, 3-0.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



CASUAL COMMENT

by K.J.C.

Lolla Truth.

A teacher was instructing a class of English and called on a small boy, who we will call Junior Brown:

"Tell me Junior Brown, the difference between 'Richard can ride the mule' and 'Richard can ride the mule with a stick.'"

When Junior had finished writing, the teacher continued:

"Now, Junior Brown, you can find a better form for saying that sentence?"

Willie — Yes, ma'am, I think I can. "Richard can ride the mule if the mule wants him to."

Big Job Ahead.

Toots Holway's Belleville juniors aren't out of the woods, yet. Beating the Canadiens in Sunday night's chore, although the locals feel they can, leaves them only one game to turn that little trick tomorrow night. Actually the Combines haven't been trounced in their two ballwick since the night of Jan. 30th when Trenton turned the trick to the tune of 5 to 4. However, since that the Canadiens have won two averages by pushing Trenton out of Belleville. That will get yet Belleville on our smaller ice surfaces where Uman, Wright and Lavender can make things fly around. It'll be a different story Friday night in Bellaview when we intend to force a third game," predicted President Hermidon of the Combines today, as he alleges the Combines just got a bad game out of their system last night.

Frankly Tuesday night it appeared as though the Combines burned themselves out in the middle session trying to overtake the locals, but it was Doug Green's fourth Belleville marker that clinched matters for Belleville. As a defence Green and Holway are just as effective as the Combines' trio even if they have to go the 60 minute route.

Grand Series.

Actually there wasn't much to choose from between the Flyers and the Bombers. Statistics show that in after 360 minutes of hockey, that constitutes six games, the Flyers walked off the ice last night carrying one goal up on the Bombers. Making a three goal deficit the Bombers had to play all-out hockey last night for which they were rewarded with a 6-4 win, but there are are quite an advantage. When the Flyers finally won the series 11 to 10 it ended a two year reign of domination in district. For 1944 for the Bombers. Now the Flyers will carry the Quinte Air Force banner into the No. 1 Command playdowns commencing here on Friday night.

Above statistics prove how evenly matched these two squads really were, but while the Bombers were marring Paul Raymond, a smashing star who helped lead the Flyers to victory, they were also minus the services of Bill Cowley, who was the big gun in the Bombers' attack. Cowley's loss was a severe blow to the Bombers' chances.

Perhaps the outstanding efforts of the series was the work of goal-tenders Curtis and Reinhardt. Besides the latter at least had something of a defence in front of him. Maybe that's why the Flyers won.

Here's an Idea.

Windsor's Doug Vaughan comes up with a new wrinkle for facing off the puck at hockey. It's used in hockey games played in the Big Ten loop of the Canadian West. Before placing the puck for a face-off he skates out on the ice, lies the centres assume their normal face-off positions and then steps back and blows his whistle as the signal for the players to start scrambling for the puck. . . . Many of those who have seen the rule in use say it's a lot better than current method of dropping the puck into play. . . . Doug Boudreau, 1944 batting champion of the American League could only hit .300 under the lights . . . The best night hitter was Al Zarilla of the Browns, who batted .357 under the arcs last season . . . Mike Kreevich was close behind with a .377 average. . . . The Tigers' Dick Wakefield was good both day and night. . . . His day average was .255 and his night average .266. . . . At least there will be no change in the field leadership of the Yankees next season, Manager Joe McCarthy and Coaches Art Fletcher, Johnny Schulte and Johnny Neun have all been signed to contracts for the 1945 campaign. . . . Jerry Quinlan, first in the National Hockey League, Maurice (The Rocket) Richard would rather play for Detroit Olympia. . . . The one he likes: That is Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens.

Remember When.

Norway's Sonia Henie won her 10th and last world figure skating championship nine years ago today. Frenn, from her Olympic triumph in 1936 at Garmisch, performed at Paris and outclassed a field of 36 rivals representing nine nations. Sonia was on her way to fame in the entertainment world as Hollywood's foremost ice ballerina.

No Changes Here.

Capt. Dan Topping, one of the new owners of the Yankees, stopping off in San Francisco last week, between Marine assignments, said he expected to be back here to do with either baseball or football this year. He even, however, the transfer of the Brooklyn Tigers' franchise to the National Football League from Ebbets Field to Yankee Stadium could be completed before the 1945 season gets under way.

SPORTS TRAVEL TO BE REDUCED IN COMING YEAR

U. S Transportation Board Asks for Reduction of 25 Per Cent Basis

Washington, Feb. 22 — (AP) — A lot of where, when and how remained to be answered today in regard to the sports of the government's new sports travel reduction request.

The Office of Defence Transportation had disclosed it is asking all sports to reduce passenger mileage by 25 per cent o na "home field basis," with major league baseball being the first to make the cut. Play on "neutral" fields will be eliminated.

Answering unanswered questions as to how the policy will apply are these:

What will the effect be on tennis and golf tournaments in which individuals instead of teams compete?

Will intercollegiate basketball championships be held there in Kansas City and New York, and major track meets like the Drake and Penn relays be eliminated.

When will the over-all policy go into effect?

The O.D.T. said the answers to such questions are "forthcoming shortly," and a "starting time" for the policy to go into effect probably will be set soon.

However, Tom Frick and Will Harridge, major league presidents, winding up two days of conferences with baseball club officials said:

"It's just what we wanted; now we know where we stand and can get down to the business of going ahead."

Baseball's leaders felt that they now have only one more barrier — the management - labor situation before the game's continuance this spring.

Specifically, this is what is asked of baseball in the mileage cut:

(1) Games will be played only in the home city of one or the other competing teams. Elimination of established games on "neutral" fields except at Army and Navy establishments. Pre-season training will continue to be held at places in or near the home city of each team.

(2) Team rosters, when travelling, will be reduced to 25 minimum.

3. The world series games will be held only if transportation and war conditions at the time permit.

4. All clubs will re-examine their schedules and make such further transportation savings as are possible.

LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Canadian Press)

Standing — Canadiens, won 36, lost 5, tied 4, points 88.

Points — Richard, Canadiens, 44 goals, 32 assists, 76 points; Lach, Canadiens, 29 goals, 46 assists, 75 points.

Goals — Richard, Canadiens, 44; Anderson, Canadiens, 40.

Penalties — Egan, Bruins, 64 minutes.

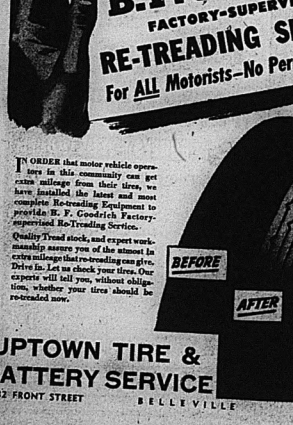
Shutouts — McCool, Toronto, 4; Karakas, Chicago, 4.

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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 611
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

All bridge experts do not sleep in the same way. But most of them are still used to the salile bunk. Like washing the old-fashioned way, some methods of how to count the tricks may take years.

One tells you to learn a table of card combinations known as honor tricks. Then there they tell you to add a half or a plus sign for this or that holding under conditions.

Another tells you to count three points for an ace; two for a king one for a queen; a half for a jack. Then a total of so many or more points, you may for ping or so if you are lucky or there.

Still another tells you to count four points for an ace; three for a king; two for a queen; one for a jack. With a total of so many or more. You may do this or that if you know when.

Such are the forerunners of large pregnancy, the cats of the home and bunny days; the crude oil of its slow engine era; the low octane era of its early biplane period.

You can still get along with them, Many do, plowing or plodding or gliding along. In fact, many refuse to believe that a more streamlined method is better. Until they use the Horses count.

In the Horse Sense count you simply count one trick for each high card (ace or king or queen) and one for each short card (each card short of three in all short suits).

Take a pair of hands like these:

SOUTH	NORTH
♠7 5 3	♠A K 4 2
♥9 3 2	♥A K 7 4
♦A K 7	♦A K 4 2
♣A K 5 3	♣4 3

If the south hand you have four high cards and no short cards; total four tricks. In the north hand you can count four high cards, a short in diamonds, a short in clubs; total six tricks.

You would reach the same result with a cumbersome count. But with hands that are not as simple as these, it would take much longer.

Four Rinks Without Loss in Ont. 'Spiel

Toronto, Feb. 20 (CP)—C. R. Redfern of Toronto Curling Club, 1946 winner of the trophy, has kept advanced into the third round of the Canada Silile-Ryrie trophy when he led his rink to the 21st victory without a loss at the 18th annual Ontario bonspiel.

At the close of play in the second round of the Silile-Ryrie play-downs rinks in the spiel—Redfern, Alex. Gardiner of Barrie, C.W. Wearing of Hamilton Victorias and C. R. Moore of Toronto High Park—had chalked up the Wins Willikin a defeat.

Two other rinks—George R. Farr of Brampton and T. Hewring of Toronto Royal Canadians ran their string of victories to five before losing their silile in the second round of the Birks-Silile-Ryrie.

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MILITARY CROSS WINNER RETURNS



Courage and fine leadership in overcoming casualties in the European theatre won Squadron Leader Jack Denbiggin, private to lieutenant and the award of the Military Cross for Lieut. J. D. Denbigh, R.C.A.M.C., Montreal (in bed) but finally cost him both legs. His father, Captain Louis Denbigh, lost his arm in the last war while a county recently returned with his right arm and both legs missing. With Lieut. Denbigh in their cabin aboard the Lady Nelson is Capt. M. Grawl, Montreal, wounded in Holland.—(Canadian Army Photo.)

4th Belleville Cubs Win From 1st Belleville

4th Belleville made a comeback last Monday by defeating 1st Belleville to the tune of 6-4. Don Barrett, playing his first game scoring four goals for his team, while Teddy Goodier pumped his worth as 8 goals to get by him. When good checking was needed Robert McKenzie and Clarence Jones were "Johnny on the spot" to break up any play. Such Canning scored one each bringing the count up to 6. In 1st. Belleville played hard and proved themselves good sports. The two goals came from Bill Hall and Raymond Harvey and Gerald Starling.

The summary follows:

4th Belleville: Goal, Teddy Goodier; assists, Ron Bishop, Jack Canning; centre, Robert McKenzie; wings, Don Barclay, Clarence Jones, Spencer Ostrom; defence, Bill Chapman, Hugh Barclay, Billy Campbell, Don Barrett.

1st. Belleville: Goal, Bruce Erwin; defence, Raymond Harvey, Glen Blair; centre, Gerald Starling; wings, Ron Eaton, Bill Spencer, Stuart Holway, Bruce Paige, Don Cherry.

Recreation Alleys

Afternoon

Pirates 4 pts. — Marzell 443; E. Storey 378; Wardhaugh 516; Nolan 507; Drumm 369. Total 2210.

Money Savers 0 pts. — Foster 330; Walden 375; Digby 340; Ashley 366; Reid 360. Total 1805.

Dodgers 0 pts. — Hurst 478; Rudford 400; Hook 432; Charlton 374; Haland 449. Total 2130.

Maple Leafs 4 pts. — Wright 451; Moreau 606; Johnston 484; Moore 485; Cross 513. Total 2665.

Reliance Mixed League

Aces — Gradeur 826; Tripp 466; May 479; Gradeur 378; Doe 527. Total 2264.

Morris 466; Mathews 376; Gannon 461; Seams 467; McKenna 508. Total 2208.

Wagner 386; Taylor 477; Lang 378; Meens 462; Wright 406; Vaughan 425. Total 2534.

Spitfires — Rickter 657; Shipley 476; Brown 436; Pollwell 521; Lucola 570; Pepper 433. Total 2726.

Bombers — Phillips 330; Jeff 399; Brooks 370; McNeil 434; Hurd 327; Total 1960.

Head Pins — Connell 433; Frances 407; Anderson 463; Whitmarsh 310; Doe 366. Total 1967.

Mixed League

Black Meat Chickens 0 pts. — C. Bird 814; Williams 466; Barlow 451; McLean 375; J. Black 547; M. Black 971. Total 3718.

Cardinals 4 pts. — W. Moore 508; R. Hendricks 467; G. Hardwick 464; I. Rickwood 428; E. Moore 490; J. Kirkwood 495. Total 2697.

Modrn Power 0 points: E Adams 436; W. Meens 460; S. Symons 539; T. Calnan 540; E. Robinson 372; Handicap 320—2666.

Stores 4 points: Keenan 548; Finnigan 561; Martin 589; Bellis 659; Molloy 496; Handicap 723—3006.

Office 0 points: Yeo 577; S. Bailey 643; L. Frair 606; G. Bishop 585; R. Murray 604; Handicap 140—3056.

Strikers 0 points: J. Randle 362; A. Meens 520; B. Theobald 467; A. Randle 589; J. Doe 468; Handicap 171—2677.

Rollers 0 points: — Clare 553; Young 454; Lanman 500; Calnan 439; J. Doe 360; Handicap 225—2931.

Yard 4 points: Johnston 529; Bustard 431; Mills 466; Ebbier 507; Carson 662; Handicap 253—3005.

Major B League

Miller-Stewart 1 point: J. Semark 567; A. Matthews 598; S. Stewart 605; R. Arnott 622; J. Doe 600; Handicap 63—3784.

Just Us 2 points: T. Wardhaugh 567; E. Whalen 581; J. Noakes 545; M. Hallam 478; B. Donaldson 580; Handicap 336—3097.

Sam O points: Dunlop 800; Hitchcock 423; A. Adams 471; Batchelor 369; Yerex 367; Handicap 141 — 2697.

Chaco 4 points: Plumpton 583; McDonald 546; Johns 522; Knight 617; Donaldson 537; Handicap 307 —3145.

Black's Meat Market 1 point: M. Mendeville 436; M. Black 481; H. Salisbury 504; D. Huffman 460; T. Black 360; Handicap 438—3778.

Curby's 3 points: G. Heyward 446; D. Farquharson 500; C. Downey 464; J. Farrell 515; Lewis 501; Handicap 406—3223.

Hershey Bears Bolster Hold On Second Place

By The Canadian Press

Hershey Bears bolstered their hold on second-place in the eastern division of the American Hockey League, with an 8-3 victory last night over the Cleveland Barons at Hershey. The Bears now are 7 points behind the Buffalo Bisons, eastern division leaders, and six points ahead of the tail-end Providence Reds. The Barons, who actually a failure for the Barons, for President Stanley Dodds, Jr. announced at New Haven that he had awarded Sunday night's game between the Blazers and the Barons, which ended in a 3-3 draw, to Cleveland. He ruled that Jimmy Franks was not eligible to play with Buffalo in that, or any other game this season.

Hal Cooper scored three of the Hershey goals, while Mike Shabaga had two. Bill Goodden, Alex Ritzen and Stanley O'Neil accounted for singles. Lou Trudel, Ed Prokop and Les Cunningham scored for Cleveland.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Montreal	29	8	4	62
Detroit	25	11	4	54
Toronto	21	18	3	45
Boston	16	20	3	35
New York	9	24	3	21
Chicago	8	25	3	19

Wednesday: Chicago 5, Boston 0.
Tonight: Detroit at New York.

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pts.
Buffalo	30	14	5	65
Hershey	30	21	8	48
Providence	18	34	4	42

Western Division

Cleveland	36	12	10	82
Indianapolis	21	17	11	53
Pittsburgh	21	21	6	50
St. Louis	12	27	9	33

Wednesday: Hershey 8, Cleveland 3.

Tonight: Buffalo at Providence. Manitoba vs. North Dakota (Fargo).
Winnipeg Esquires 4, Winnipeg Canadian Ukrainians Club 3.
(Esquires lead best-of-three series, 1-0).

Eastern U.S. Amateur:
Philadelphia Falcons 8, Washington Lions 6.

Interprovincial League
Lachine Rapids 6, Cornwall Flyers 6.

O.H.A. Junior B.

Watford 4, Glencoe 2.
(Best-of-five series, 2-2).
St. Thomas and District League
London Army 6, Aylmer R.C.A.F. 2.

(London wins league championship 3-2).

O.H.A. Juvenile

Woodstock 10, St. Catharines 5.
(First game of two-game total-goal series).

Campbellford 4, Cannanoque 3.
(Campbellford wins group title).
Kingston 5, Belleville 3. (5-3).

First Round

Saint John Juveniles 16, Moncton Black Diamonds 4.
(Saint John wins two-game, total goal series, 24-6).

All-Star Exhibition

Montreal Nationale Stars 6, Toronto Maple Leafs 3.

Exhibition

St. Michael's Majors (Junior) 5, Toronto Nationals 4.

Edmonton Junior Finals

Canadians 8, Edmonton Athletic Club 5.
(Canadians lead best-of-five series, 1-0.)

AT THE BELLE

"Mademoiselle Fifi"

The undying patriotism of a little French girl whose country is occupied by its German foe is the theme of RKO Radio's thrilling new offering, "Mademoiselle Fifi", starring Simone Simon, and one of two feature attractions now on the Belle Theatre screen.

Simone plays a young French peasant girl who by her open defiance has made herself such a thorn in the sides of the Germans in Rouen that they place her aboard a coach for her native village. On her arrival, she continues her campaign of defiance, aided by a young republican patriot and the village parson.

Her chief enemy is a brutal Prussian officer nicknamed by his comrades "Mademoiselle Fifi", whom she so outrages that he becomes almost psychopathic in his desire to humiliate her. One night at a party for German officers which she is forced to attend, he goes too far, and she stabs him. How she is rescued by her young republican patriot and lives to see her village rid of its chief oppressor, forms the climax of this gripping drama of patriotism and romance.

John Emery provides the romance for Simone; Kurt Kreuger is the sadistic Prussian officer, "Mademoiselle Fifi", and Edmund Glover is the village priest. Among others in the supporting cast are Alan Napier, Fay Helm and Jason Robards.

"Fresh Fame Wins", Timely.

Basing its emotionally powerful plot on the British stage and film Juvenile training begins at noon, RKO Radio's drama "Youth Runs Wild", Bert Gordon production on the same program deals mainly with the romance of two youngsters in a defense-industry town.



AT THE CAPITOL — Raymond Hatton who appears with Johnny Mack Brown in the western thriller, "Land Of The Outlaws," at the Capitol Theatre. The added hit, "Make Your Own Bed".

AT THE McCARTHY — Peggy Ryan is one of the top entertainers in Universal's musical production, "Babes on Swing Street," now showing at the McCarthy Theatre, with the added hit, "They Live in Fear."

Both are children of industrial workers and their scant time to devote to their offspring. Inevitably, the Parker and Elmerfield youngsters drift into bad companionship and suffer from its dipsterous influence.

The boy and his friends are caught in an unsuccessful fire theft, while the girl becomes involved with the authorities when a wayward older girl, to whom the young heroine has fled, is accidentally killed.

In a dramatic and fearless manner, the story marches on to its telling conclusion wherein the elders learn belatedly from the bitter lesson meted out to the children. The realism in the picture may be traced to the observations made by Ruth Chatterton—as girl, as wife, originated the now famous "Moline Plan", and who served as Technical adviser to RKO.

Helen Vernon and Tessa Bond, teen-agers, starring with Kent Smith and Sheila Granville who scored a hit in "Hitler's Children".

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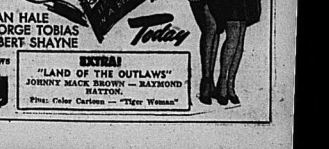
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LACHINE RAPIDS BEATS CORNWALL
Lachine, Que., Feb. 22 — (CP) — Lachine Rapids advanced to within a half-point of the second-place Cornwall Cookies in the Interprovincial Hockey League last night, when they edged out the Cookies 6-5. The Rapids came from behind twice, and won out on Bob Brodrick's goal after 11 minutes of the third frame.
Jean Terrault and Dick Proulx exchanged first-period goals, and in the second, Cornwall were ahead on two goals by Andy Perron and one by Ray Dupuis. Two goals by Jean Armand and one by Tommy Hale restored the deadlock. In the third frame, Bobby Carragher gave the Cookies the lead, only to have Danny Porteous tie up the game a third time.

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Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 22 — (AP)—One of Ray Dumont's pet projects of the post-war baseball is the revival of "town teams" . . . Baseball needs the boys used to pitch in and level off at the pastime for a ball field and nearly everybody turned out for a Sunday afternoon for the big game against a neighboring town" . . . That kind of baseball isn't dead, but Ray figures it will be unless someone takes action so he has formed a National Association of old-time groups to keep baseball rustling . . . Right now Dumont's National Baseball Congress appeals mostly to war plant and army teams, but he expects to have about 200 leagues in the country this summer . . . But the real problem is organizing modern towns where there aren't any commercial sponsors . . . "If it is possible to get over my plan," Ray commends, "every town in the country may be a

Sports Before Your Eyes:
Bill Jurges claims he is going to retire from baseball to open a restaurant. What a year to use that alibi for a comeback.

Add bowling records: In 1940, Ormond Beauchamp, Ottawa, O., was low man in five successive "dirty scores" . . . Which at but one bowler on a team hit strikes. Burt had a split and four spares while the other guys knocked 'em all down.

LAST NIGHT'S STARS

(By The Canadian Press)
Mike Karakas, Chicago, won his fourth shut-out of the season, tieing Bill Durnan for first place, Montreal Boston failed to pierce his sensational net-minding and were trounced 5-0.

Johnny Harms, Chicago, who scored two of his teams five tallies,

BIG SEVEN

By The Canadian Press
Clint Smith of Chicago collected one point last night as Black Hawks trounced Boston Bruins 5-0 but failed to retain the grab and push up an appearance on hockey's big seven. All scoring leaders were held idle still led by Canadiens' Maurice Richard and Elmer Lach.

The Leaders:	G	A	Pts.
Richard, Canadiens	44	21	65
Lach, Canadiens	20	45	65
Cowley, Boston	32	34	66
Blake, Canadiens	32	31	54
Howe, Detroit	32	27	46
Kennedy, Toronto	23	19	43
Demarco, Rangers	18	24	42

CAMPBELLFORD IN PLAYDOWNS
Campbellford, Feb. 22 (CP) — Campbellford earned the right to enter the Ontario Hockey Association's juvenile playdowns when they defeated Cannanoque 4-2 before the largest crowd of the season here last night. Campbellford will meet either Peterborough or the Port Hope Trinity College team for the eastern Ontario juvenile crown.

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By SHEILAH GRAHAM

CHAPTER 20

Bruce raced the car engine. The waiting seemed interminable. At only 4 minutes he had shaped both George appeared.

They kept to the coastline, heading South.

During the fast ride, George explained the mysterious actions that had worried his wife and Livia. She was a member of the Jonas gang. And had been doublecrossed by him when he left the United States for Mexico. He had come back for revenge, nullifying suspicion by a scheme for a race-track deal at Caliente.

"The easiest thing in the world is to fool a smart guy," George said. They were now at San Diego. "And Lola is where you get out."

"Sure you'll be all right the rest of the way?" Bruce said. He was in a hurry to get back to Los Angeles. "That paper Livia signed—" he said to George.

"If you look in my left pocket, you'll find it," he replied. "It's my present to her—mine and Vera's. And now, so long."

He started the car. "Tell Livia we'll back soon—when this blows over."

Bruce watched him drive away. He hired a car to take him back to Los Angeles.

It was 2 A.M. when he arrived at Livia's house. It was in darkness. He decided to let her sleep. His report could wait until morning.

The early newspaper editions carried the account of the killing of Jonas and the discovery of an unsigned document announcing Jonas as the murderer of the dead policeman and exonerating Earl Dixon. There was no mention of Maxwell or Bruce.

Livia's face was pale and there were dark circles under her eyes.

"It's no use," she said as Bruce briskly pulled up the Venetian blinds in her bedroom. "I'm out. I called Charles last night."

"You're going to call him right back now—and tell him you'll be ready to work—and I mean work—at nine this morning."

He gave her the document she had signed for Al Jonas.

"I think I understand it after expression of wonder, "I think we can burn this now. How about a match?" She pointed silently to a box on the table. And watched the paper vanish into a blackened ash.

"Did Jonas—" she began.

"Has died," Bruce told her. Shot by one of his own men." He decided to say nothing about George.

"How do you know—and the paper?" she fiddled her the newspaper.

"What a nightmare," she sighed. "But you still haven't explained about the paper. How—" He looked at his watch.

"You'll be late if you don't hurry. I'll call Verdyce."

What d'ye think a studio is—something that can be pushed around every time a girl changes her mind?" Charles asked over the phone. He was exasperated. Who did Nolan think he was calling him so early in the morning?

"I tell you everything is all right," Bruce said.

There was still Dixon himself to be reckoned with, of course, but this now seemed easy. And whether he lived or died, Livia would now be protected.

"If you don't put Livia back in the picture, I'll marry her today," Bruce said.

"Go ahead," Verdyce said. But Bruce knew he had touched the weak spot in the director's armor. "Let me talk to her," Charles said abruptly.

"I understand you're getting married today," he said to her, Livia laughed. It was the first time that her heart in several weeks. "You sound happy," he said morosely.

"I could never be unhappy," she said.

"You'd better get to the studio before Alice Delavane does."

"I'm on my way," she sang.

She flung a few items around Bruce's neck and kissed him.

"What's happening to me today?" she asked.

"And do Alice Delavane take the picture? No!"

Intuition must have warned Alice that all was not well. She had gone to the studio at 7 A. M. and so missed the director's call to her house. She was sitting in her dressing room when Livia and Bruce arrived, and started without speaking at their happy faces.

Livia and Bruce went outside to discuss the situation.

"Tell me what to do." Livia implored. "I'm afraid."

"No, love," grinned Bruce.

"Why don't we let Smithy handle it in his own inimitable fashion?" Livia suggested.

"I'll call him out." Bruce opened the door and watched while Smithy applied a wide red curve to Allen's thin lips. "You're wanted outside," he said casually to Smithy.

"I'm busy," said the make-up man who leaned lower over the star. "Please open your mouth a little," he supplicated.

"It's the boss," Bruce said casually. Smithy straightened up.

"Excuse me, please," he said to Alice and followed Bruce to where Livia was waiting in the next make-up room.

He looked for Mr. Dunne.

"Where—?" he began.

"He's not here," Bruce grinned.

"Then I must go back—" Bruce barred his way to the door.

"You'll be fired," Bruce said pleasantly.

"What? How?"

"For attending to Miss Delavane when you should be attending to the young lady."

"She's out of the picture—"

"I'm back now, Smithy," Livia said.

"but Miss Delavane—"

"A little make-up won't hurt her," Bruce said. "Get rid of her."

Charles Perdyce spent two hours convincing Alice that a terrible mistake had been made, that she had been hired for the second feminine role and not for "Simoria Lewis." Then she tore her clothes, disregarding the grips, cameramen, electrician, and members of the cast, and had a super attack of hysterics.

"My husband will rush the whole bunch of you," she said, then picked herself up unaided from the floor and rushed from the set.

"I guess we'll all have lunch now," said Perdyce, mopping his forehead and signalling desperately for Livia. he said to Livia, "if you let me down now, my business will be ruined, Miss Alice's."

"Thanks, Charlie," she said softly. "Back at 12, everyone," shouted the assistant director.

Earl Dixon did not die. But for weeks he hung by the merest thread. When he was a little better, Livia visited him. She stayed only a few minutes and very little was said. But just before she left, Dixon said:—

"How's the picture?"

"Only another week to go," she told him.

"I hear you are doing fine," he said.

"Who told you?" she asked eagerly.

"Never mind," he said with a faint smile and then quickly, "No one must know about me. Till face finished, and Livia was alarmed. He looked—terrible.

"We'll see about that later," she said. "Get well, darling, quickly."

The barrage of publicity preceding the "return" of "Simoria Lewis" was the greatest ever known in Hollywood. Newspaper columnists and editors from all over the country were coming by plane and train. A select audience of stars had been hand-picked for the event.

Livia's first scene was reproduced on twelve by twenty-five foot billboards all over town. She gave out so many interviews that her throat and voice were exhausted with the topic of herself. Only one name was excluded Earl Dixon's name in her story. Bruce cautioned her to wait. If and when she was famous, she could be and say anything she liked, and the public would take it.

"Besides," said Bruce shrewdly, "being engaged working for a reconciliation between her father and brother, finally said:—

"All right, I'll go alone."

"What! And have you fall in love with another of those damned actors?" he said harshly.

Livia invited them to stay with her. But the Judge preferred a hotel.

"Where," he said, "I can form my own opinion on this jungle of yours." But Elizabeth stayed with Livia.

There was to be a big party at Livia's on the premiere. Magnificent Pictures had taken over the entire house for the night. They had also taken over Livia. No objection was raised when Livia included Elizabeth and Judge Nolan in the group which, she would see the picture. But, politely, Bruce Samuels objected to Bruce.

"You can do what you like afterward. But tonight we must have you with a big-name star from the studio."

Bruce grinned and said, "Do as they say, Livia."

The meeting between the judge and his son was easier than either of them had expected. It was now more than four years since they had quarrelled. Bruce and Livia called on the Judge at his hotel and remained with him two hours.

"Father and I will never again disagree about anything—until the next time," Bruce told Livia.

"Now back to the house with Elizabeth. . . . An army of hair-dressers and wardrobe girls from the studio surrounded Livia, waiting to dress her up for the premiere.

It was an hour and a half, Livia's protested when Smithy, fidgeting nervously, suggested they should start. Her hair had been washed and was covered with a harsh net showing glints of red-gold.

"Excited, darling?" Elizabeth asked.

"It's a dream," Livia said. "Why is it that when something wonderful is happening, you can't grasp it? You look fresh, rested and back."

"I know," Elizabeth said softly. "Remember how I felt when Terry Davidson — I'm over it now and can't believe he even existed for me. It will be the same."

"We haven't heard anything about him since that awful time with Al Jonas. Bruce tried to find him. But he must have left the country."

Elizabeth was now engaged to the son of a wealthy neighbor ranches in Colorado.

Mrs. Sayles tried to get the two girls to eat something. But neither could do more than nibble at the sandwiches she prepared.

It was time now for Livia to put on the dress of white stiff brocade silvered with gleaming thread. The strapless bodice framed the white flesh of her shoulders. The gown hugged her slim hips and then flowed to the ground in a starched flare.

A white camellia was placed in her carefully-coiled hair. Excitement brightened her cheeks and eyes.

Samuels had made all the arrangements, and Livia merely had to obey orders. But she was nervous as the car inched its way to the long red carpet and the banks of flowers. A corps of publicity men immediately surrounded them. The star with whom she would walk up the carpet to the microphone waited. She had expected to escape unnoticed into the theatre. But she was recognized and the crowd roared her name and her companion's while they walked on the seemingly endless red carpet to the microphone.

"Smile at them," the star whispered. Livia, her heart beating fast, turned her head and smiled at the blurred heads on the bleachers.

How long ago was it that she, too, was a face in the bleachers, dreaming that one day she would walk down the carpet, a star among stars?

And Bruce — where was he now? She thought she saw him in the front row of the bleachers, but wasn't sure. She waved anyway, and was rewarded with a howl of delight from a hundred adolescents.

She stopped when she saw Alice Delaware. Hal Schneider, her husband, and Charles Perdyce were with her. Alice was trying to indicate to Alice that she already spoken over-long at the microphone. She glared at him, then turned with a sugary smile to Nolan and Livia.

"Good-bye, everyone," Alice cooed and displayed her dress.

"And now," shouted the announcer, "I want to introduce you to Hollywood's newest star, and the heroine of our picture tonight."

Livia tried to keep her eyes open as a bombardment of flashlights exploded in her face. She suddenly felt alone, and as if she had cut off her self from human contact. She had been vaguely aware of telling them that she was happy to be there and that she hoped they would not be disappointed with her.

Then somehow she was inside the theatre. People in the aisles, rows and girls and boys passed in a never-ending procession across her autograph. A policeman came to her rescue.

"Later," he told them all. "Later."

Livia had sent a ticket to her father. But she had not expected him to be there. He had just left the hospital and was to go to the Santa Barbara sanatarium the next day. She was fearful for a moment — when she saw him. But he was sober. He was sitting between Vera and George. They had returned from Mexico a month ago. And George, Livia knew, was a detective with a local bureau. Her father smiled and she thought his hands together in the manner of a child applauding. She smiled back; imitating his gesture.

"Good luck, Livia," a voice said in her ear. Charles Perdyce patted her back.

"Good luck," she whispered back.

Then the lights in the house darkened.

The three hours that followed were among the most wretched of Livia's young life. Why had she ever considered herself an actress? She hated herself. Her voice was harsh. And her smile—what had happened to her smile? Every time she was supposed to smile she merely bared her teeth in a terrifying grimace. It was awful. Her cheeks flamed in the darkness.

After the scene where her husband finds her in Jonas' arms, and she pleaded with him to come back, there was such thrill applause. It was for him, of course.

She closed her eyes and wished she could leave the theatre. The theatre was a sudden spurt of laughter. It was spasms in her eyes. The comedian was getting the laughs predicted by Perdyce. You gave people so much drama, then you brought them down with a laugh.

Livia smiled and forgot that this was her picture. She almost enjoyed some of the drama—if she didn't look too closely at herself. And she was fast thinking that if some of the scenes part could be remade, it might not be an awful picture. They came to the last scene and her death.

She lowered her head in embarrassment. Why were she making those ridiculous faces? She was completely deflated of pride. "If only I'd stayed at home," she said miserably to herself.

There was a sudden loud noise in the theatre. They were booing her. It was her first thought, and then she realized it was applause. The lights were on and people were standing.

"You were wonderful, Livia," they said in different ways. Her father nodded his approval. Then she appeared in the crowd which was surrounding her. She cried.

"Livia, darling!" Vera kissed her. She hugged, whispered.

Livia fought her tears. She didn't believe them. Always at a premiere everyone was kind. Everyone was nice. Oh, no, they couldn't fool her, Hadn't she seen the film herself? But here was Charles Perdyce, and he was smiling.

"You were as good as I knew you'd be," he said. "You're the hottest thing in the business."

"But I was terrible," she said to him tearfully.

"Keep thinking that, and you'll keep on improving," Charles said. "I'll see you at Ciro's."

Livia had forgotten about Ciro's. Where was Bruce? She saw him near the door and struggled, holding on to Elizabeth and the Judge to reach him. She had to pass Alice Delaware to get to him. Alice regarded her with cold yes, and Livia braced herself for confrontation.

"How did you do it?" Alice asked. "I mean, how did you give such a good performance? You were wonderful," she gushed. "I don't think I could have done it. I'm not myself." Alice was not a girl to stay outside the limelight in her opinion.

The picture had proved that Livia would be an important star.

Ah, they were here.

He put his arm around her, and she leaned against him.

The judge grinned. "If you think you can get me out of this mob, you're crazy."

"Everything is possible in Hollywood," Bruce said and called a policeman to him and whispered in his ear. A few minutes later, a lane divided the crowd.

"Mr. Bruce Nolan's car," Bruce said to the announcer. Samuels bustled up importantly.

"She'll have to go with Mr. Dunne," he said. Bruce repeated to the announcer.

"Mr. Nolan's car."

"Then and then only," said Samuels, "but she must come with us."

"Be more respectful when you talk to my wife," said Bruce and laughed at the astonished face of the publicity man.

"When?" he ajdultered as Bruce helped Livia into the car.

"This morning," Bruce said calmly. "My father can do all that the details. He married us—Judge Nolan. You'll find him at Ciro's—if you hurry!"

They took the coast road to Northern California. Livia's head had left the town behind them. Livia leaned against Bruce's shoulder. "Let's take the top down. I want the wind in the sea on my face."

After a while she asked, "You saw Charles?"

"Yes."

"How did he take it?"

"He wouldn't believe it if you were giving it all up to be plain Mrs. Nolan of California. He said you'd come back to pictures."

They were silent. Then Livia said: "I never really like the movie business. But I had to tick it."

"You did that splendidly all right," said Bruce. "Sure you haven't changed your mind? We can turn back. . . . Hollywood is still there waiting for you." Livia drew her head from the sea on my face.

"If you dare turn round," she threatened, "I'll . . . I'll—" He stopped the car and pressed her to him fiercely.

"You'll never be sorry, Livia," he breathed into her hair. "This is really, my darling—you and I forever."

"Forever," breathed Livia.

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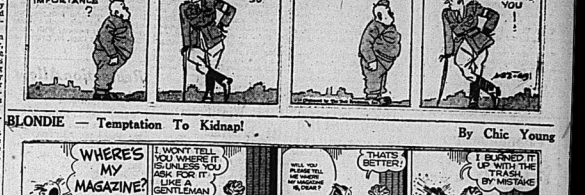
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POLICE COURT

Soldier Convicted Of Entering Charge

Pte. John Ward, alias Whiteside of the Canadian Army, was convicted of a breaking and entering charge when he appeared before Magistrate T. Y. Wills in county police court here today. He was remanded for sentence for detention at the request of Crown Attorney W. C. Denman. "We wish to procure his fingerprint record from Ottawa," explained Mr. Denman in asking for the remand. Sentence will be passed on Monday.

A charge of fraud against William Layton, Foxboro, was enlarged for one week, as was a charge of the breach of the Canadian Law of England preferred against Ernest Grant of Camplford. Provincial Police allege that Post gave false information.

Motorist Gets Penned in in Unusual Manner

Ernie Colborne rodelled a couple of choruses of "Don't Fence Me In," last night—and he wasn't kidding.

It happened like this. Ernie drove his car into his Foster Avenue garage last night, and discovered the doors closed. There is a slight grade at the back of the garage building, and when Ernie jumped out to open the doors he neglected to put on the emergency brake.

Turning he noticed the car slowly rolling backward, and saw the front end of the car starting through the garage like a hot dog through a bun.

In the next house, slippered and at ease, was Ex-Mayor Harry Hollins. Mrs. Colborne telephoned him, and the ex-chief magistrate, who was a boy scout in his younger days, went to Ernie's rescue. He pulled out several boards of his neighbors' prison and extricated the slightly disgruntled motorist.

All the damage was a broken headlight and paint scratches and a disturbed garage wall.

FORMER EDITOR DIES

New York, Feb. 22 (AP)—William B. Nixon, 82, for 25 years an active member of the editorial staff of the New York Times and a well-known playwright, died of pneumonia yesterday at his home.

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8 LEGISLATURES OUT OF 9 MEETING ACROSS DOMINION

Alberta Legislature Opens, P. E. Island House Only Body Not Sitting

Premier Manning today leads his Alberta Social Credit administration into its first session since the 1940 provincial election, bringing to eight the number of provincial legislatures now holding sittings across the Dominion. Prince Edward Island is the only legislature not sitting at present.

Reading of the Throne Speech by Lieutenant-Governor J. C. Bowen is expected to be followed by introduction of special legislation by Attorney-General Lucien Maynard to permit the three recently-elected Communist members-at-large to take their seats in the legislature by acclamation.

Economic matters were under discussion yesterday in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Quebec and Saskatchewan Houses while the Ontario session considered the active service election bill and Quebec debated a motion protesting conscription for overseas service.

Conscription Protested at Quebec

All-Quebec debate on opposition by Rene Chaloult, Quebec Conservative, protesting conscription for overseas service was adjourned after Premier Paul Leduc (L—Laval) said: the Dominion Government "is not governing Sovereignly" in matters of war and Quebec legislation. "cannot "proclaim conscription" in Quebec because they do not know the exact reasons which prompted the Federal Government to impose it."

Premier Duplessis said the Liberal administration at Ottawa had supplied "the most perfidious and distorted kind of information" and supplied in this country."

Public accounts tabled in Nova Scotia showed the province's eighth surplus in the history of the present Liberal administration, a total of only $644,978, below the all-time record established in 1943.

Agriculture Minister Campbell said in the Manitoba legislature that patronage dividends of co-operative should be taxed only in the form of personal income tax when they pass into the hands of individual members, and urged that the present system of taxing private corporations which compete with co-operatives be greatly modified.

Hugh Mackay, opposition leader in the New Brunswick House, opening debate on the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne, said the present position of British is an economic factor of perhaps first importance in the post-war period, and for the province "it is the most important factor in our whole province."

Premier Douglas told the Saskatchewan session that recent debate in the Dominion have shown the need of a new constitutional conference and charged Federal attempts to collect the $7,500,000 seed grain debt from the province is "a determined and ruthless attempt to financially cripple the government and prevent it carrying out its program for the common people."

Accused Put In Witness Box

Welland, Feb. 22 — (CP)—Louis Desjardins 34, now being tried at the Assizes here for the murder of his wife, Anna, was placed in the witness box as Col. Hugh A. Ross, K.C., opened the case for the defence today and the accused, while asserting that he "didn't remember" what happened, proceeded to give his account of the attack upon his wife, and murder, Crown Counsel Randall, 44. Randall is in hospital recovering from his injuries.

Mrs. Desjardins died three days after the attack.

Desjardins said he awakened shortly before 3 a. m. January 4, last to find the bedroom light on and his wife in bed.

"I got mad and lost my head and ran to the kitchen and picked up an axe, the first thing I could get hold of, and ran to her room," the accused related. "I hit Randall twice and I believe I struck my wife once. Randall jumped out of bed and ran to his own room; then took my two children who were in our bedroom, to the kitchen and went out and summoned the police." The accused said he never had any reason to doubt his wife. "I loved her and I love my children, but when I found my wife and the boarder together I had to do it," he said.

Exchange Prisoners Arrive in Montreal

Montreal, Feb. 22 (CP) — Exchange prisoners of war who arrived at New Jersey yesterday, arrived at Montreal today, to be given a great welcome by swarms of relatives who cheered, cried and crowded around the station while a military band played on a flag-draped station platform.

Four young Canadian women who were aboard the sealed train to bring the repats from New Jersey were whisked off under Red Cross surveillance without being permitted to give any interviews.

Majority of the 78 repatriated persons were army personnel, some of whom had been in German prison camps since the Dieppe attack of 1942.

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Chesterville	210
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East Mal.	295
East Crest	560
Francoeur	75½
Gillies Lk.	12
Gunnar	31B
Hollinger	21
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Pamour	165
Perron	139
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TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE

Toronto, Feb. 22 (CP)—The industrial group advanced strongly in the first hour of today's trading for a gain of point .7, at noon and the base metal issues were slightly. Volume was 80,000 shares for the first three hours.

Trading volume jumped to 326 in the early afternoon to show a gain of point .36 cents. Other gainers were Louviscourt, Bear Exploration, Upper Canada, Negus, Wasa Lake, Preston, Tek Hughes and Sylvanite.

In the base metal better prices appeared for Falconbridge, Smelters, Hudson Bay, Noranda and Nickel.

TORONTO LIVESTOCK

Toronto, Feb. 22 — (CP)— Most killers offered sold steady in cattle trade on the Dominion here today with up to mid-session today. Heifers were $10.50-$13.25, butcher steers and heifers $9-$11, butcher cows $7-$9, bulls $7.25-$9 and fed yearlings $11.50-$12.50.

The few calves offered were steady at $15-$16.

Hogs were steady at, dressed, Grade A $18, Grade B1 $17.50, sows $14.50.

No sheep or lambs were offered.

Trade reported by the Dominion Marketing Service were: Cattle receipts 400, hogs 200. Unsold from yesterday were 300 head of cattle.

HOGS

Toronto, Feb. 22 (CP) — Prices were unchanged at noon on-hog market reporting early today. Dressed, Grade A, delivered; Steers $17.50; Heifers $17.50; Hamilton $17.90; Steers $17.50; farmers, $17.50; to truckers $17.45.

PROBLEM HOW TO PAY ESKIMOS CHILD BONUS

Ottawa, Feb. 22 (CP)—Finance Department officials are puzzled as they are stumped for the moment as to how they are going to pay the family allowances of Eskimos in Canada's northland because there are no banks in the Arctic regions, and it would be impossible to deliver their cheques every month.

Cpl. Calbury Only Member of His Company To Survive Shell Blast

Government plans for war veterans learning a trade following active service and the progress of rehabilitation grants are all okay, but what the boys overseas are thinking about is whether there will be jobs for them to earn a decent living when they are returned to civilian life in Canada.

Thus the sentiments of soldiers overseas, expressed by Cpl. John Calbury, of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, following his return from overseas last February after serving with the Mediterranean war theatre. Going overseas with the first contingent of Canadian troops in 1939, Cpl. Calbury saw action with British Commando troops in the Lofoten Islands Adriatic coast on the Italian mainland.

Amnesia Victim for 13 Days

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Calbury, South Front Street, and his wife and young daughter live in England who are expected shortly to arrive in Canada. Cpl. Calbury was seriously wounded when a German howitzer shell exploded almost directly in front of him, killing all members of his company and wounding him in the chest and arms and leaving him an amnesia victim for a period of 13 days.

"The only thing I can remember is a blast flash" related the returned corporal. "After that every-thing is a blank. I woke up in a hospital in North Africa, 13 days later."

Overseas for five years he declared that to be "away from home twelve months too long." Still with his left arm partially numbed as result of his wounds, he expects shortly to be discharged.

Tribute to the Kinsmen Club in their war charity work in aid of the Belleville boy who indicated the regular parcels of cigarettes received overseas were a source of morale builders.

"Those cigarettes really meant something to us," he said. "They indicated that the folks back home were thinking of us. Words cannot express the appreciation of the boys overseas."

But it was the lack of housing accommodation in Canada which was a big point of worry for Cpl. Calbury. "Four years in Canada he has been looking for a place to live with his family bride and their young daughter might set a high price."

"I have not yet been successful," was the comment. "One place I could have rented, but they wanted no children. All said they were sorry."

"But it is not sympathy which we returned men want. We appreciate a welcome, but what is needed is something more tangible and we are looking for non-political organizations and service clubs to lead the way."

American Bombs Sank Jap Prison Ship off Luzon

Washington, Feb. 22 (AP)—American bombs sank a Japanese prison ship loaded with 1,800 American and Philippines last December, and of the fewer than half a dozen survivors who were rescued by a navy plane and a submarine action—have been reported in the Pacific.

Navy officials made the with the apparent loss of all but five of 1,-800 American aboard. In the other, the Japanese sank a 9,000 ton British prisoners survived.

Perrin, 27, of Rockford, Ill., told reporters few of the prisoners in the ship's hold were alive when they reached land as a result of the air attack.

Some already had suffocated and others died of thirst. Each survivor had not the ship been sunk, he asserted.

Elect Trial By Judge; Jury

Hamilton, Feb. 22 (CP) William V. Patterson, 48 year old secretary and buyer of Hamilton, elected before Judge William Schwenger today to be tried by a judge and jury on a charge of murder in connexion with the fact to the coroner's jury of a finding of a body newed at $2,000 until a trial date is set.

He was charged after Wilhelmina McCulloch, Anna Duncan, named him as the father of a baby whose body was found in a snowbank here January 29. Miss Duncan said he had been born to her while she tried unsuccessfully to conceal it. The woman is now awaiting sentence on a charge of concealing the birth.

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U.S. Marines Beat Back Japs' Counter-Blows

By AL DOFKING
(AP War Correspondent)

Guam, Feb. 22 — United States fleet units in the vicinity of Iwo Jima have suffered heavy damage from attacks by Japanese fighters and bombers, Japanese counter-attacks have been beaten back by United States Marine casualties have risen to 4,593 in the desperate battle for the island, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz announced today.

The attack by Japanese planes was the first against the surface units since the battle began for the island 750 miles south of Tokyo. Seven of the enemy planes were shot down. Admiral Nimitz did not elaborate on the extent of damage or the type of ships hit.

The casualties include 365 killed and 4,168 wounded in action up to 5:45 p.m. last night.

Japanese counter-attacks accompanied by numerous attempts at infiltration through American lines were beaten back during the night and the Marines, commanded by the 3rd Marine Division which landed yesterday, launched attacks both to the north and south against the divided forces of the enemy.

POSTED TO MT. VIEW FOR SPECIAL COURSE

Recent graduate of an R.C.A.F. bombing and gunnery school and posted to Mountain View for a special course is Pilot Officer Thomas Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Green, Toronto, and a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. William McDowell of Thurlow Street.

Enlisting in July the young officer took his training at Edmonton, Montreal and received his wings in Gananoque's wing at Mont Joli, Quebec.

He took an armament course and Mountain View in March, 1944, and a later gunnery course at Mount Pleasant, P.E.I., and sails to 10 overseas in the near future.

DIES AFTER BABY BORN DEAD

Nakina, Ont., Feb. 22 (CP)—Mrs. Josephine Bruce, 28, wife of Canadian National Railways section man, died in hospital here shortly after her arrival aboard a special C.N.R. train which rushed her from the isolated Indian village of Long Lake, about 12 miles from here for operation. Nakina is 25 miles northeast of Port Arthur. An expectant mother, she developed complications and was removed on doctor's advice. Before she died shortly after her child was born dead.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

New York, Feb. 22 —(AP)— Security exchanges and major commodity markets throughout the United States, as well as financial institutions were closed today in observance of Washington's birthday.

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PROF. ROGERS CALLED IN
Windsor, Feb. 22 (CP)—Prof. Joseph Rogers, professor of analytical chemistry at University of Toronto and consultant to the Attorney-General's Department, arrived here last night to assist city police investigation of the deaths last weekend of four negro children in a fire here.

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	Max.	Min.
Today	26	21
Year ago	30	22

Snowfall—1½ inches.
Weather—unsettled.

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WESTERN OFFENSIVE OPENS

Russians Mass Along Arc East of Berlin

Moscow Broadcast States "the Zero Hour Has Struck"

Guben Almost Encircled In an 11-Mile Smash

London, Feb. 23 (CP) — Russian troops, having almost encircled forress Guben in an 11-mile smash through reinforced German lines, today were reported massing along an arc 30 to 50 miles east and south east of Berlin for an end-the-war stroke triumphantly heralded by Marshal Stalin.

"Complete victory over the Germans now is near," Marshal Stalin declared last night in a special order of the day which said the great Russian Winter offensive had already cost the Germans more than 1,150,000 killed or captured.

The Moscow radio, early today followed up the Stalin order with a German-language broadcast declaring "the hour has struck," and added that "dissolution of the German army in the east is in full swing."

Now up to German People

"It is up to the German people in the army and factories to stop the war," the broadcast said, "wars will not be negotiated with the generals."

Marshal Stalin yesterday declared that Soviet and Allied armies have co-ordinated their offensive operations and are "successfully completing the rout of German Fascist army."

Final victory will come in "hard battles and persistent labor," he said, warning that "as the doomed enemy hurls his last forces into action he will grasp at the most extreme and desperate means of struggle."

Stalin's proclamation commemorating the 27th anniversary of the Red Army, said the Russians had killed 800,000 Germans and captured 350,000 since January 14, and said the Germans had lost 3,000 planes, 2,500 tanks and self-propelled guns and 12,000 other guns during that time.

All-Out Offensive Soon.

The Berlin radio said a final all-out Soviet offensive was imminent now that Marshal Ivan S. Konev's 1st Ukraine Army has drawn up beside Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's 1st. Zhukov's army on a bridgehead line along the Neisse and Oder Rivers.

Berlin said Zhukov's army was massed "like a colossus" awaiting new attack orders.

Berlin's forces yesterday captured 40 localities south of Guben and reached the Neisse River at many points along its winding course southfront, Moscow declared.

Yesterday's greatest advance of 11 miles through fortified forests toppled a Germany army, two miles south of Guben. Other Soviet forces in the had reached the Neisse eight miles north of the city the day before.

German broadcasts, partially confirmed by Moscow reports, said the Russians already had crossed the Neisse and were completing the encirclement of Guben.

Within 12 Miles of Cottbus.

Soviet troops also drove to within 12 miles of Cottbus, rail hub on the Spree River, last natural defence line before Berlin, and with the capture of Sorau were also only five miles north of Forst.

The Russians captured another section of the big military Autobahn, super-highway leading from Silesia into Berlin, by taking Triebel, 11½ miles southeast of Forst.

Marshal K. K. Rokossovsky's 2nd White Russian Army, striking out for Danzig, gained up to five miles yesterday on a 45-mile front stretching as far west as the Danzig-Berlin railway.

Two more suburbs of, besieged and encircled Breslau, capital of Lower Silesia, fell to the Russians yesterday.

Remnants of German Fleet Forced To Retreat by Russian Armies

By FRANK LOWE
(CP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 23 — (CP) — The German surface fleet has suffered what probably is its final defeat — and by a land force at that.

With the Red Army driving toward the coast of Stettin, Prussia and Poland, the safe sanctuaries there which have sheltered German warships throughout the war have had to be evacuated. True, the fleet that could have stood offshore and fought costly delaying actions, but the warships of the third Reich chose to retreat.

According to Swedish reports, the larger seaworthy craft — including two pocket battleships, two heavy and four light cruisers — have run to seek doubtful refuge in Denmark and Holland. But this probably means they have run to their doom. There, nothing has been but destruction, either by scuttling or bombs. And with the tradition of scuttling which began in the Great War, when the High Sea Fleet was put on the bottom of Scapa Flow by its own men and which was continued in this war by the Graf Spee, Immortelle U-boats and Bismarck, it is likely that at least some of the German ships will ultimately commit suicide.

Just a day or so after the German warships were reported in Copenhagen, Swedish sources reported that explosions had rocked the harbor there and speculated R.A.F. Coastal Command had already begun the task of smashing the skulk-ing remnants of the German fleet.

YANKS INVADE CAPUL ISLAND SOUTH OF LUZON

Only Light Opposition on Controlling Point in the Straits of Manila Bay

Manila, Feb. 23 — (AP)—Soldiers of the American Division, veterans of battles in the Solomons, stepped up Japanese today on little Capul island off the south tip of Luzon after a new invasion aimed at clearing the Philippines of Japanese.

Only light opposition was encountered on the island which lies in San Bernardino Strait between Luzon and occupied Samar island. Capul is a controlling point in the straits through which units of the Imperial Japanese Navy steamed in an attempt to smash the American Leyte beachhead last October.

It lies 260 air miles from Manila, where other American troops are locked in a fierce battle against a bitterly resisting Japanese garrison.

From the shattered southern portion of the capital, Fred Hampson, Associated Press war correspondent, reported infantrymen attired the Manila Hotel, the city hall and all of the general post office except the Hotel Wen.

"The hotel was won," he said, "after a room-to-room and corridor-to-staircase fight through the smouldering floors. The post office was no less difficult."

Bursts and cannon pounded at the heavy walls of the International to prepare tunneled paths for tanks.

Simultaneously the 11th Airborne Division advanced along the west coast of 30-mile Laguna De Bay, southeast of Manila, to cut off the retreat of trapped Japanese by barge. The division reached the town of Muntinlupa.



CANUCKS GO BOATING AS THEY CHASE NAZIS INTO GERMANY

The 1st Canadian Army battles the flood waters of the country east of Nijmegen, Holland, in amphibious vehicles, forcing their way to the Rhine and the Ruhr, after the Germans had flooded the countryside.

20 FREIGHT YARDS BLASTED BY 1,900 AMERICAN PLANES

Gigantic Offensive To Knock Out Nazi Transport System Continues

London, Feb. 23 — (CP) — At least 20 freight yards and other rail targets were blasted today by 1,900 American planes pounding the gigantic offensive to knock out the German transport system that feeds both the eastern and western fronts.

A force of more than 1,250 heavy bombers and 650 fighters followed the same pattern as yesterday's assault and spread out in small formations to smash at widespread targets from the relatively low altitudes of 6,000 to 12,000 feet.

There was every indication that this operation was only part of a free-for-all attack by all seven Allied air commands in this theatre and Italy which probably were putting 5,000 planes into the air following yesterday's blow by 7,000 bombers and fighters.

Not since the 11th day of ruinous attacks on Germany from both west and south in which 20,000 planes probably have been thrown against the enemy in the last three days, Italian Planes Join Attack.

More than 1,100 aircraft from Italy joined in the attack yesterday, hitting 54 separate rail targets in Germany, Austria and Italy, and the R.A.F. kept the offensive going last night with Mosquito bombers hitting Berlin and other objectives.

Eighth Air Force targets today were located in a triangular area stretching from Leipzig to south of Nuremberg.

Among the first places identified as targets were Crailsheim, Kitzingen, southeast of Wurzburg, Aschaebach, Neumarket and Treuchtlingen, all junctions through which German troops and supplies pass on the way to the Russian front.

At 11 a.m. today no radio said that advance elements of a great armada stretching out 400 miles had reached the Brunswick area. Another formation was spotted over Austria, suggesting that U. S. 15th Air Force bombers from Italy also were out.

The attack on Berlin last night was in line with concentrated Allied effort to knock out vital German communications centres, including both the western and eastern fronts and Berlin, said to be hub of a great part of the German railway system.

7,000 Bombers.

Approximately 7,000 Allied bombers and fighters hammering about 100 enemy communications centres yesterday in one of the greatest air assaults in history. Approximately 40,000 airmen took part in the raids, during which more than 7,000 tons of bombs were loaded on targets from Denmark to Austria.

Allied Air Blows, Red Threat, Put German Nerves to Greatest Test

By JERJE GRANBERG
(Swedish Newspaper Correspondent Who Recently Returned to Stockholm from Berlin.)
(Written for The Associated Press; Copyright, 1945, by The Associated Press)

Stockholm, Feb. 23 —(AP)— While the German home front has held together under the Nazis' iron grip, the big question now is whether the nerves of the people—reduced to the barest necessities of life—can continue to stand up under Allied bombings and the threat of the Russian advance.

Berliners nowadays actually are very tough in respect to bombings. Not even the devastating effects of the last large-scale American air attack Feb. 3 could make them forget the still greater and imminent danger outside the eastern gates of Berlin nor long delay the work of erecting barricades in every street.

Last U.S. Attack the Worst.

I was in Berlin during that last great American attack. After experiencing more than 700 alerts and at least half as many raids, I can say that this unquestionably was one of the war's worst bombings.

I sought safety in an underground railway tunnel which is one of Berlin's "safest" shelters. Thousands of people were packed together there. When the first bombs came the ground heaved. Lights flickered. It seemed as though the concrete walls would collapse. People scrambled about like frightened animals.

Girls in a group of Russian laborers began to sing mass. "Shut up," somebody shouted, but the girls sang on.

Then came the next load of bombs—six or seven right about us and a string further away. The lights in the tunnel went out. People kneeled and prayed.

A heavy bomb crashed through the tunnel roof a couple of hundred yards away and a wave of cold air followed by dust swept over us.

In the distance someone yelled for a doctor. The clamor for help was taken up by many voices, which were drowned in the next wave of bombs, more fearful than the first. Shake Concrete Structure.

Explosions shook the concrete structure to its very foundation. By the crash you could tell several bombs had pierced through the street per floor of the elevated railway station.

"For heaven's sake, stop it," a woman screamed somewhere in the darkness.

"Shut up with that," broke in a rough man's voice. A stir ran through the tightly packed people.

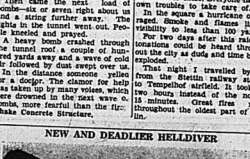
Four more string of bombs tumbled down on us, shaking the ground like a series of earthquakes.

The attack finally came. Above in the railway station there w dead. Hardly any of the crowd gushing out of the tunnel paid any attention to them. Everyone had his own troubles to take care of.

In the square a hurricane of fire raged. Smoke and flames limited visibility to less than 100 yards.

Only two days after this raid detonations could be heard throughout the city as dud and time bombs exploded.

That night I travelled by car from the Stettin railway station to Tempelhof airfield. It took me two hours instead of the normal 15 minutes. Great fires rage, throughout the oldest part of Berlin.



NEW AND DEADLIER HELLDIVER

This is the first picture of the Curtiss SB2C-4 the newest version carrier-based aircraft smash at Tokyo. The plane is "dressed" in the navy's new all-nighttime blue camouflage. It carries a huge load of to the navy, boasts eight five-inch rockets mounted under the wings, wing bomb racks which carry a thousand-pound load in addition to its internal bomb-fuel tank capacity. Enlarged insignia appear on the nose and vertical fin. Red, white and blue diagonal (protected) flags at the trailing edge of the wings.

MOUNT SURIBACHI AT SOUTH TIP OF IWO JIMA TAKEN

Battle for Strategic Air Base Virtually A Stalemate; 5,376 U.S. Casualties

By ELMONT WAITE
(AP War Correspondent)

Guam, Feb. 23 — (AP)—American Marines battered the summit of Mount Suribachi at the southern tip of Iwo Jima today, and began a renewed drive on the central air field after repulsing two Japanese counter-attacks.

The American flag was raised over the volcanic Suribachi fortress 97 hours after the costly invasion began and Marines began cleaning out Japanese still clinging to the crater with flame-throwers.

Little Progress Made

Little progress was made elsewhere in the most costly fight in which the Marines have even been engaged — the fight that cost 5,372 Marines killed or 644 dead, in the first three days.

Japanese marksmen made a hopeless attempt to attack American forces on the western side of the island from the rear last night. They were stopped up on the beach by the Marines.

Carrier aircraft sweeping over the Bonin Islands in protective sweeps to eliminate repeated enemy attacks on American shipping assembled off Iwo shot down three Japanese planes.

Surmounting of Suribachi was the brightest spot in the entire campaign.

Marines won command of the 556-foot height from which the Japanese had cast down a deadly mortar and artillery fire on invading forces spread out over the south third of the embattled island. Its capture eliminated the threat to the rear of three divisions of Marines driving north where the main stretch of the central air field is built.

Yokohama Cove Enclosed

The dormant volcanic cone had been encircled by the 4th Marine Division. For 38 hours the Americans clambered up the 1,000-foot cliffs despite grenades and demolition charges hurled down into their faces by the desperate defenders.

Before that, Mount Suribachi was hammered steadily for more than a week by naval guns and aerial bombs. The defenders fought on until killed in their positions by Marines advancing hole by hole and cave by cave with flame-throwers, grenades and rifles.

An earlier communique reported strong Japanese counter-attacks on both flanks of the American force driving northward from the southern ridge of Iwo's central airfield.

The main offensive to the south already is in American hands.

Germans Report Advance Toward The Ruhr, Rhine

No Allied Confirmation Hours After Broadcast

Paris, Feb. 23 —(AP)— German reports asserted today that Gen. Eisenhower had launched his great offensive toward the Ruhr and Rhine, crossing the Roer river with tanks and infantry on both sides of Linnich, river bastion 28 miles west of Cologne.

Hours after the German broadcast, there was no confirmation at Supreme Headquarters of any new major attack.

The German said the offensive was on a 36-mile front all the way from Roermond to Dueren, the outskirts of which were reached. The enemy communique said the United States 9th Army attacked "after the heaviest artillery fire" and radio reports said the American tanks were striking down the 15 miles toward Dueren, attempting to rod up German lines east of the Roer which have checked the Allies since December.

Good Flying Weather.

The British 2nd. Army, last reported in the Roermond area where the Roer flows into the Maas (Meuse), was said by Berlin to be fighting alongside the Canadians in the Goch-Kleve sector farther north.

Fogs which blotted out parts of the battlefield at dawn gave way to good weather. An early wave of takeoffs indicated the Germans were in for another paralyzing bombing onslaught such as yesterday's.

The German report came as the 1st. Canadian Army to the north of the Roer sector gained up to a mile and a half and slowly invested the fortified road hub of Calcar. Scottish vanguards pushed half mile down the Goch-Wesel road.

South of the Roer sector, in which the Germans said Allied armies were driving toward Dueren, the U.S. 3rd. and 7th. Armies also gained gains. The 3rd. Army advanced up to 2½ miles in the Moselle Valley and to within 4½ miles of ancient Trier (population 58,000), keystone of German defences before the middle Rhine. The 7th. moved to within a mile and a half of the Saar capital of Saarbruecken and won two-thirds of Forbach.

The Saar Crossing.

The 3rd. Army forced a crossing of the Saar River northwest of Saarburg and started fighting in the Siegfried line switch line just east of the Saar River. The 7th. Army sector, the columns squeezing the German salient east of Zweibrucken and Guelach, fought their way into the outskirts of Pirmasens, 17 miles from the Rhine.

At Linnich (population 5,000), the Allies were 16½ miles from the Rhine at Duesseldorf-Uladbach, Ruhr industrial and rail centre, and Munchen and its sister fortress cities of Dueren. Linnich on the Roer were but piles of red brick as the result of months of artillery, mortary and air bombardments.

Dueren (population 39,000) the U.S. 9th. Army was 16 miles from Cologne. The Allies moved up to its western edge last December. Between Linnich and Dueren, the Germans have built a deadly maze on defence lines. The whole Roer-River sector is beyond the Siegfried line which has been breached totally by 35 miles in the Aachen area.

Starts With Drumfire Barrage.

The German said the Roer offensive started with a violent artillery barrage Thursday night with the Allies using phosphorus shells, among other things.

The communique established several small bridgeheads across the Roer between Linnich and Juelich (six miles southeast). Berlin declared, "heroically fighting" Germans have succeeded in sealing off the bridgeheads and frustrated the bringing up of fresh enemy reinforcements.

The stilled grand scale offensive which began this morning with artillery was the signal for resumption of the Russian offensive. The German command has reckoned with "the co-ordinated synchronized attack."

Along the Roer, which the Germans flooded through dams at the beginning of the British 2nd. and American 9th. sat at Roer, fighting been standing in mighty strength

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Ambassador's Wife Reburies Bodies Lifted by Allied Bombings

By HELEN BANNERMAN
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 23 — (CP) — Hairraising descriptions of experiences in the days of German occupation as amateur doctor and nurse to Allied prisoners and French peasants were related firmly here today by Countess Jean Marie Francois de Pierrefeu, wife of liberated France's Pisni Ambassador to Canada.

Most vivid in her memory, she related in an interview, was the time after an Allied air attack on a flying bomb sites near her 900-year-old home at St. Pol-Sur-Ternoise. Bombs struck part of a cemetery and graves and coffins were smashed open.

"The danger of cholera was very great to us as a result and, since no one would go near the cemetery, I went alone with a spade and reburied the bodies. It was dark and the only way I could find them was by the smell.

The Countess shrugged expressively and added:

"It was ordinary work and had to be done."

She and her seven daughters organized an emergency hospital for Allied prisoners after their British evacuation in 1940 and with "only a few bandages they cared for 1,500 in three days."

She said she could hardly believe it when Canadian tanks rolled into the Pas de Calais area last week, as it liberated her family.

The tanks looked like carnival floats — covered with flowers and bottles of wine and with messages written in chalk on their sides: "Merci Aux Canadiens!"

Turkey Declares War on Japan And Germany

London, Feb. 23 (CP)—Ankara announced today the Turkish assembly had voted unanimously to declare war on Germany and Japan as a result of a decision of the Big Three to qualify as "associate nations" all countries which take up arms against the Axis before March 1.

New York, Feb. 23 — The Turkey assembly has approved a declaration of war on Germany and Japan, effective on March 1, BBC as heard by NBC said today.

Coming Events

BELLEVILLE HORTICULTURAL Society open meeting, Friday, February 23rd, at Y.M.C.A. at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome. F23,f23

HEAR AND MEET, RUTH SIMPson, dynamic Youth Forward Movement Speaker, at Holloway Street, Sunday evening. Tune in also Fireside 8.30. F23

City and District News

PURSE IS STOLEN FROM "Y" REST ROOM

Sneak thieves stole a purse containing $180, identification papers and other articles from the rest room at the Y.M.C.A. last evening. The purse belongs to Miss Beatrice Downey, 137 Bridge Street, who reported the theft to city police headquarters last night.

WHEEL OF MOTOR CAR DROPS INTO MANHOLE

When the front wheel of an automobile driven by Mrs. George Ikeson, 318 Bleecker Avenue, dropped into a broken manhole on Pinnacle Street yesterday the auto tire blew out. Mrs. Robson reported the matter to city police, whose investigation revealed the manhole cover had broken. Employees of the Public Works Department were immediately notified and a new manhole cover replaced the broken one.

FLT.-SGT. W. C. WILSON REPORTED KILLED

Previously reported as missing, Flt.-Sergt. Wilfred C. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilson of Bataan, is now reported as having been killed in action according to recent word received by his parents. The parents were advised their son had been killed when the Lancaster bomber, of which he was a crew member, crashed on Feb. 7th, at Oe in Holland.

Born 19 years ago at New Liskeard, Flt.-Sergt. Wilson had lived at Bataan for nearly three years. He attended public school at Harris, Kirkland Lake and at Frankford high school. After enlisting in the R.C.A.F. he had trained as air gunner and served as the rear gunner in a Lancaster bomber squadron based in England.

ROAST OF MEAT LEFT IN OVEN CAUSES BLAZE

For the sake of four bushless girls residing in an upstairs apartment at 147 West Moira Street it is fortunate that "meat rationing" is now a thing of the past or else "meatless Tuesdays" would be in vogue for them for the next few days.

Because Thursday afternoon the girls left a roast of pork in the oven of their electric stove and unwittingly leaving the heat turned on too full went off to their respective jobs. Result was that the roast eventually took fire, filled the apartment with dense cloud of smoke and caused a hurried call for the fire department.

Damage done by the fire was confined to the roast of meat and outside of a bit of grease being spattered on the wall, but little damage was caused.

The four business women desire to remain anonymous.

Minister's Gas Ration Exhausted, No More Services

Due to the minister's gasoline ration coupons being exhausted there will be no church services in the four churches of the Cressy United charge this month until new gasoline ration books are issued by the Ottawa Government. Congregation members have been informed.

An advertisement appearing in Picton papers read: "All services cancelled. Minister's gas ration exhausted. Impossible to visit church. The minister in charge of the circuit which includes churches at Cressy, Wanpoos, Bonga's and Hillier, is Rev. C. G. Tenkey.

So it appears that unless the Oil Controller changes the matter and makes additional gasoline available to Mr. Tenkey, the circuit will be without services until the first of April. The circuit is quite extensive and requires considerable gasoline each Sunday to visit each church.

Three Sons in Active Service, One in Reserve

Included in the number of Belleville young men who have been more representative in the armed forces is that of Mrs. Clem Gardiner of 61 Dundas Street.

The four sons are in Holland with the Canadian army while another is training at Newmarket. A fifth son is a member of a local reserve army unit.

Private Lloyd Gardiner, who fought with a highland regiment in France was wounded in August, 1944, while Private A. Donald Gardiner with an engineer unit in Holland. Lloyd is in training in Canada and Donald is a gunner with the 34th Field Battery, RCA, there.

A daughter, Mrs. John Wood of Napanee, recently graduated as a Red Cross ambulance driver and is ready to report for duty the minute her services are required.

Past-President Badge Presented D. Bradford

Presentation of a past-president's badge featured the regular bi-monthly meeting of the Belleville Branch of the Canadian Legion held in the club rooms last night.

The badge was presented to Past President David Bradford, one of the original members of the local branch by Vice President Leroy Madden who presided in the absence of President Col. H. E. Smith.

Past President Bradford in an address of appreciation recalled the activities of the Legion since its inception nearly seven ago. He told the well attended meeting of the struggles of war veterans for some sort of organization directly following the end of the last war.

Three new candidates for membership were introduced to the meeting, and refreshments were served by members of the Ladies' auxiliary terminated a successful meeting.

HUGE WATER GUSHER

One gusher in Queensland, Australia, produces more than 360,000 gallons of water daily.

Public Meeting On V.D. Control To Be Held Soon

A public meeting on the control of venereal diseases will be held here in the near future it was decided at the regular meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses which was held in the Chamber of Commerce on Thursday evening when public meeting will be sponsored by the V.O.N. in conjunction with the local Board of Health.

Guest speaker for the meeting will be Miss T. Storrs of the V.D. control department of the Toronto Board of Health. In addition to her lecture, two moving pictures on the subject will also be shown to the Belleville audience.

In her monthly report to the local executive, Y.O.N.; nurse Miss Ethel Gordon reported 832 calls having been made during the month. At the present time nurses of the local V.O.N. department are assisting in the chest clinic being conducted for industrial workers at the old Standard Bank building at the corner of Front and Bridge streets.

The newly-elected president, Mr. Norman Edwards, presided over the meeting for the first time since his appointment to his post. A vote of appreciation was tendered to members for retaining him in the position for the current year.

C.G.I.T. Groups In City Hold Annual Banquet

Approximately 250 persons, members of the Canadian Girls-in-Training groups in the city and district, gathered in the Sunday School room at Bridge Street United Church on Wednesday evening for the annual banquet of C.G.I.T. "Mother's and Daughter's Banquet."

Girls from Holloway Church, Tabernacle Church, St. Andrews and Bridge Street United Church were present at the banquet presided over by Miss Dorothy Bennett of middies and skirts, with the room tastefully decorated in C.G. I.T. colors of blue and white.

Guest speaker for the evening was Mrs. Ralph Hall, secretary of the Girls' Work Board in Toronto. She was introduced by Lois Wood of St. Andrews with appreciation being expressed by Marjory Lashbrook of Bridge Street. Miss Marion Hobson of Tabernacle Church and retiral of the Leader's Council acted as chairman for the banquet. Rev. J.O. Hornsby of St. Andrews and Rev. A. H. Colquhoun of the banquet.

What the mothers present was proposed by Lois Greenleaf of Tabernacle Church, and was responded to by Mrs. C. C. Seldon from Bridge Street church. The toast to the church was responded to by Rev. A. J. Dills of Holloway Church. Miss Marion Hobson of Tabernacle led in a period of spiritual communion, singing following the guest speaker's address, with Miss Dobbs acting as piano accompanist.

Floyd McInnes Is Honored By Friends

Residents of the Holloway community and members of the Sidney Baptist Y.P.U. gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mc-Innes on Saturday evening to pay tribute to Floyd McInnes, who recently enlisted in His Majesty's forces and is now stationed at Simcoe.

Mr. B. Mills acted as chairman for the evening after a social period called the meeting to order and Rev. Mr. Bleecker reading an address from the committee following which Ralph Smith presented Floyd with a wrist watch. An address from the Y.P.U. was read by Miss Joan Frost with Douglas Frost on behalf of the Union presenting Floyd with a Waterman's pen and pencil set. In his own address manner Floyd voiced his appreciation to friends and neighbors for the lovely gifts.

The evening was concluded with the serving of refreshments after which "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" was sung in Floyd's honor.

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Obituary

GEORGE FREDERICK ADAMS

The death took place today in the Belleville General Hospital of George Frederick Adams at the age of 70 Chatham Street, Belleville, after an illness of five days' duration. He was a well known engineer of the Canadian National Railways.

The late Mr. Adams was born in this city, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and was in his fifty-third year. He resided in Belleville.

Besides his wife the former Anne Reay, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Andrews Thompson of Borden, and Staff Sergeant Clara Adams, R.C.A.M.C. overseas; three daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Reid of Belleville, Mrs. Jack Dewar of Sarnia and Carolyn at home; one brother, William M. of Belleville, and Robert T. of Deloro, and two sisters Mrs. George Caldwell of Bancroft and Mrs. Ernest Hanmann of Chicago. He was a member of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, a life member of Moira Lodge No. 11 A.F. and A. M., of the Eastern Star, and of the Sons of and of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Resting at the Belleville Burial Rooms. Funeral notice in this edition.

LATE CHARLES A. KINDRED

The funeral of Charles Austin Kindred, late residence 21 Holloway Avenue, took place Thursday afternoon from the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, and the service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. A. J. Williams, pastor of Bridge Street United Church.

Interment took place at Belleville cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. Harold Sanders, Ross Bunnett, Charles Barnett, William Hastie, William Wonnacott and G. F. Lent.

LATE BARTON ALLAN REDDICK

The funeral of Barton Allan Reddick took place from his late residence, Trent Road, Thursday afternoon. The service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. R. W. Hadden of Bridge Street United Church. During the service Mrs. Preston Briggs sang "Crown Pastures", accompanied by Mr. Alec Gordon.

Entombment took place at Belleville cemetery.

The bearers were Messrs. Harvey McFarland, Goldie Fitzgibbon, Harry Cook, Harold Reid, Byron Harder and John Chambers.

Two Years Added To 4-Year Term Already Given

Harold Rimer, alias Wilfred H. Rimer, Toronto, was sentenced to serve two years in the Portsmouth Penitentiary, in addition to a four-year term he is now serving, when he was recently, after he pleaded guilty to two charges of burglary before Magistrate T. W. Wills here today. Rimer admitted to breaking, entering and theft from seven apartments occupied by Mrs. B. Lee, Mrs. Ann St. and Miss Beata Billings, Bridge Street, and also located on Patterson Street.

Magistrate Wills announced Rimer to two years on each Belleville count, to run concurrently. "However, the two years you have been sentence here today is to run consecutively with the four-year term you are serving in a Toronto court, which means you will have to serve six years in all," explained His Worship.

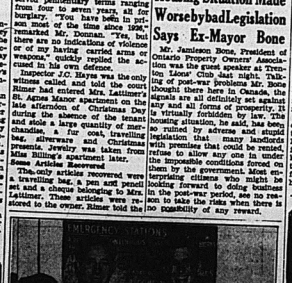
Record Introduced

Crown Attorney B. C. Donnan introduced Rimer's list of previous convictions which dated from 1936. The record indicated he had served penitentiary terms back to from four to seven years, all for burglary. You have been in jail on most of the time since 1936," remarked Mr. Donnan. "Yes, but there are no indications of violence or of my having carried arms or weapons," quickly replied the accused in his own defence.

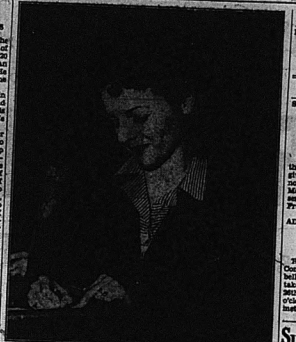
Inspector J.C. Hayes was the only witness called and told the court Rimer had entered Mrs. Latimer's St. Agnes Manor apartment on the late afternoon of Christmas Day during the absence of the tenant and stole a large quantity of men's clothing, a fur coat, travelling bag, silverware and Christmas presents. Jewelry was taken from Miss Billings's apartment later.

Some Articles Recovered

The only articles recovered were a travelling bag, a pen and pencil set and a cheque belonging to Mrs. In the post-war period, see no reLattimer. These articles were re- son to take the risks when there is stored to the owner. Rimer told the no possibility of any reward.



Getting their first glimpses of Canada, from the ship's deck are the following soldiers who returned to Canada from overseas recently. Cpl. T. C. Leslie, 8 Rosney Street, Belleville, is the second from the left, while others pictured are, left to right, Pte. W. J. McClintock, Toronto; Pte. J. Peck, Kingston; Back row, Gnr. F. S. Rows, Toronto; and Gnr. G. A. Davison, Batchelity, Toronto.



One of the many British war brides who recently arrived in Canada, on her way to her home, Cpl. C. G. Cox of Preston, Ont.

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for weeks. The Roer has been flooded and the deepest portion today was reported only from three to five miles an hour, sufficiently slow for engineers to bridge it.

The Roer is also 8:46 A. M.

The German radio said Field Marshal Montgomery also had begun "new heavy attacks" against the northern end of the Allied line, in co-ordination with the American attacks in the south-east, but did not name the exact point of Sir Bernard's attack.

The Eisenhower offensive was begun by Germans and Americans in the wake of yesterday's great aerial assault following gruelling artillery barrages by both sides.

Supreme Headquarters as yet had no official report on the Berlin accounts of the new offensive, but signs pointed to the fact that the push could not be far off if it had not actually begun.

The battering by 15,000 planes in the last 48 hours was extended by Allied air forces today, and the Germans said Gen. Eisenhower struck with his gigantic armies at 8:46 a. m. on the Roer River front on both sides of Linnich, 25 miles west of Cologne on the Ruhr.

The U. S. 9th Army has been arrayed there, balked for weeks by the flood stage of the ' now-swollen Roer and possibly reinforced by the numerous American divisions which the Secretary of War, Henry L. Stimson, said at Washington yesterday had been landed at Antwerp.

The Germans reported the Americans crossed on a river with lands north of Linnich and planted flags south of the town.

Tanks More Toward Duren

The American tank forces began moving southward toward Duren, which straddled 20 miles west of Cologne, and Linnich.

The crossings of the muddy Roer were pressed on by the shifting sea-sawing of Koromig, 1 1/2 miles north of Linnich, with phosphorous missiles, the Germans said.

To the south of the Linnich area the American forces were attacking with tank and infantry formations along the road leading to Birkesdorf, a mile north of Duren, the broadcast said.

It said yet other attacks were believed taking shape south of Duren, where, it was reported, Germans were directed at Niederau and Kreuzau, respectively two and 3 1/2 miles south of Duren.

A hill appeared to have developed on the 12th Canadian Army sector to the north, where the capture of Xanten had placed Canadian forces on the threshold of Calcar, a key city for German defence of the Ruhr. German counter-attacks failed to break the Canadian grip, hold on the Cooch-Deden railway.

Expect 800 Will Pass Through X-ray Clinic

An estimated 800 people, representative of the cross-section of small business, hotels, shops, restaurants will pass through the hands of the X-ray clinic being held in the old Standard Bank building by officials of the Ontario Department of Health.

Approximately 400 people availed themselves of the services yesterday and officials stated that another 400 are expected to visit the clinic today. The clinic closes at 4 p.m.

The clinic is part of the program of the Department in the control of tuberculosis among industrial and other workers of the province.

Dr. G. C. O'Brien, Toronto, director of tuberculosis for the Department of Health is in charge of the clinic. He is assisted by Messrs. R. MacLennan, Belleville, A.W. Russell, and S.M. Sommerval, Toronto Nurse E. Gordon of this city and Edna B. Sheppard.

Officials were well pleased with the reaction of city employees to the service made available to them, and stated that the percentages of the city's population compared favorably with other cities of the province.

No personal record will be made of the X-ray examinations more negative. Figures and other records of the examinations of war plant workers will be available within the next few days, it was learned.

Housing Situation Made Worse by bad Legislation Says Ex-Mayor Bone

Mr. Jamieson Bone, President of Ontario Property Owners' Association was the guest speaker at Trenton Rotary Club tales night. Printing of post-war problems Mr. Bone declared that here in Canada, the signals are all definitely set against any and all forms of prosperity. It is during the absence of the latter that housing situation, he said, has been so ruined by adverse and stupid legislation that many landlords with premises that could be rented, refuse to allow any one in under the impossible conditions forced on them by the government. Most enterprising citizens who might be looking forward to doing business

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SHOP AND SAVE AT LIPSON'S

BIRTH

RYDERMAN — At the Belleville General Hospital on Friday, February 23rd, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ryderman, 178 Dundas St. East, a son.

DEATHS

SLINGERLAND — In Frankford at the home of her son, Mr. E. M. Slingerland, on Wednesday, February 21st., Mrs. Reles (Martin) Slingerland, widow of Rev. Lemuel Slingerland, in her 81st. year.

The funeral will take place from the home of her son at the above given address on Saturday afternoon, February 26th., to the Presbyterian Church, Frankford, for service at 2.30 o'clock. Interment Frankford cemetery.

ADAMS — In the Belleville General Hospital on Friday, February 23rd., George Frederick Adams, 30 Chatham Street, Belleville, in his 59th. year.

Resting at the Belleville Burial Company's Funeral Home, Campbell Street, whence the funeral will take place on Monday afternoon, 26th., service in the chapel at 2.00 o'clock. Interment Belleville Cemetery. P.2-c.

Sunday School Work Courses Are Completed

Approximately fifty-five students registered from the Anglican, Baptist, Presbyterian and United Churches attended courses in Sunday School work which were concluded Wednesday after a full week's session in the class rooms at Victoria Avenue Baptist Church and Tabernacle United Church.

The courses were conducted under the auspices of the inter-denominational committee of the Belleville churches and according to pre-arranged courses in leadership outlined by the Religious Education Council. Certificates will be granted to the successful workers, these to be presented at a rally of Sunday School workers which will be held in the future.

The school of training was conducted under the direction of Chairman who acted as dean; Mr. A. E. Robertson as director, and Mrs. J. W. McKay as registrar. The above men were assisted by Mrs. C. C. Campbell and by Mr. Bert Orr who did much in arranging for details of holding the school.

A class for teachers of scholars under 12 years of age was conducted by Mrs. Miriam Cline of Grimsby Beach, who is a specialist, while the class for teachers in more advanced work was conducted by Miss Margaret J. Robb, girls' work secretary for the O.R.E.C. Rev. Dr. A. J. Williams, Bridge Street United Church delivered a lecture on "Religious Education in the Post-War World."

The courses concluded with a "get-acquainted" rally under the leadership of Mr. Campbell, while Rev. J. A. Dills of Holloway Street United Church, dean of the previous school of training, conducted the dedication service. Presentations were made to Dean Chairman, Mr. Cline, Miss M. Robb, Dr. Myers and Rev. Chairman, in recognition of their services.

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And in mercy took you home to rest.

—Sadly remembered by Father, Mother, sister Hilda, brothers Cfn. K. N. Reid in Italy; Raymond and Lionel at home.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Collins and family wish to express their sincere appreciation to their many friends and neighbors for acts of kindness and messages of sympathy extended to them during their recent bereavement, also for the beautiful floral offerings and use of cars at the funeral.

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1,500 "Medical - Walking" Cases Listed Among the Latest Arrivals

By The Canadian Press

With the happy prospect of a sight of home now almost in view, nearly 2,000 Canadian soldiers arrived in Canada recently from battlefronts of the Mediterranean and Northwest Europe.

Included in the returning veterans were about 1,500 "medical-walking" cases, men who had been wounded in the latter fighting but now were on the road to recovery. Some came back under the "hospital ship" plan that allows them to be posted near their homes.

Aboard the big, grey-clad troopship were members of the Navy and Air Force, some returning Canadian prisoners, the first five Canadian Wrens to return to their home city or vice, as well as C.W.A.C. and R.C.A.F. Overseas Division personnel.

Great Reception With Cheers

The town greeted the familiar North American shore with cheers and tears as the vessel nudged into its berth in the Dartmouth harbor entered over the side. Outside the dock, police trains waited to carry them home or to camps in Canada.

For many of them the war was over, but for others this was just a prelude to more and perhaps even grimmer fighting. According to one of the officers aboard, Capt. G. N. Magny of Montreal, at least 90 per cent of troops he had talked to during his duties as army examiner in France, Holland and Belgium wanted to be back for the Pacific after furloughs at home.

"They feel that as soon as the Nazis are beaten, the Japs will be a cinch," he said.

Three Brigadiers Home

Three Brigadiers were among high-ranking Army officers in the contingent. They were: Brig. C. S. McKee of Toronto, Brig. W. G. G. Colquhoun, Officer Commanding No. 1 Training Brigade at Debert, N.S., and Brig. A. E. Leach, chief officer in charge of Administration at Pacific Command Headquarters in Vancouver. Brigadiers Colquhoun and Leach had been in England on tours of duty.

The Wrens, back after a year on loan, to the Royal Navy in Britain included Leading Wren Eleanor Nicholl of Kamsis, Ont. Company Commander W. Bryce of Winnipeg led a force of 62 Canadian fire-fighters.

Among prominent officers arriving was Col. W. G. Hegarty of London, Ont.

Wounded in Shoulder

Terry Reardon of Winnipeg, former National Hockey League star centre with Montreal Canadiens and Chicago Brushers, was among the medical-walking cases. Reardon, a captain in the Queen's Own Rifles, was wounded in the shoulder by a German sniper in Falaise Gap.

Capt. Donald Grant, former Magdalene II Smiths Falls, Ont., left Italy in September and was injured in a jeep collision in April.

Capt. Bert Oja of Winnipeg, formerly in the Winnipeg Rugby football team, was among those returned.

Nursing Sister Lieut. R. M. Clark of Kearney, Ont., came down the gangplank with her five-months old twins, Patricia Carol and Heather Anne. Her husband, Sgt. R. M. Clarke, is in Italy.

Other Nursing Sisters included K. L. Crites and H. M. Thomas of Petrolia, Ont.

Red Army Major Talks by Phone With Nazi Secretary in Berlin

Moscow, Feb. 23 — (AP) — Interpreting reported with glee today that a Red Army major had talked by telephone with a top secretary in Berlin city hall.

"Everything is true in this story," said the announcer.

"Not long ago one of our detachments, after successfully completing a small German town, entered it so suddenly the inhabitants did not know what had happened.

"Surprised, the German garrison had not had time to disrupt communications and at the telephone station the girl switchboard operator placed a call to Berlin for one of our officers, Maj. Sergeiev, who knows German.

"What Berlin wherewith he asked for the Burgomeister. He was informed the Burgomeister was absent, but the latter's secretary, Sabisch, answered.

"Sabisch, Burgomeister of ——," said the major. "How are things in Berlin?"

"Badly. The people say they've come quite close already." was the Burgomeister's reply.

"Oh fine. One hour ago the Soviet Information Bureau said:

"Don't joke so foolishly. I'll complain to the Burgomeister," the Berlin official replied.

"You're welcome to complain to Hitler himself," said the major. "This is a Soviet officer, See you soon, Herr Sabisch."

Canadian Signals Unit Has Arrived In Australia

Ottawa, Feb. 23 (CP)—A Canadian signals unit has arrived in Australia for duty with Australian military forces, Defence Headquarters announced today.

The statement did not elaborate but previous announcements in the last year indicated the Canadian army was building up a specialist and observers in the Pacific theatre.

It was estimated there now were nearly 1,000 army men of all ranks serving with Indian, Australian, New Zealand and other Empire forces—ready to form the nucleus of the contemplated Canadian Pacific expedition.

While there have been no official announcements, it has been learned from reliable sources that this expedition would be made up of some mixed division with another division in reserve.

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Corregidor Shaken By Mighty Blast Set Off by Japs

By JAMES HUTCHESON

Correspondent, Canadian Press (Delayed)

(AP)—All Corregidor shuddered like a living thing, a mighty blast set off by the departing Japs.

Flame shot from three openings in the fortified mountain fortress of the rock. A great chunk of Malinta Hill—the solid rock island was blasted loose. The resulting avalanche buried several American soldiers alive. Several others, who tripped out the road encircling the island.

Rocks and boulders showered the harbor below in giant hailstones, causing additional lesser injuries. Hundreds of stunned soldiers dashed wildly into the comparative safety of the bay.

"It was like a blast from fifty flame-throwers," said one officer. Another said Malinta Hill "seemed to shake like an apple on a tree."

Some occupants of the bomb-wrecked concrete barracks on the island bearer the skeleton buildings would collapse around them.

Whether the Japanese were motivated by a desire to destroy the significance while they (Japanese) took refuge in the tunnels, or whether it was a grandiose suicidal plan, remains a mystery.

Col. George M. Jones, American commander on Corregidor, declared the concussion must have killed hundreds of Japanese.

Junior Game At Stirling Is Postponed

The second game of the Junior "B" playoffs between Belleville Redmen and the Stirling-Marmora Combines, scheduled for tonight at Stirling has been postponed till Monday, league officials announced this afternoon. Rising temperatures and rain have contributed to the slushy condition of the ice. Remember, only Campbell Flours offer limited items.

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Beer Coupons 17, 18, 19, and 20 Valid March 1

Toronto, Feb. 23—(CP)—The Ontario Liquor Control Board announced that beer ration coupons 17, 18, 19 and 20 will become valid at midnight Sunday, February 28, and Monday, March 1 and will continue valid until March 31.

Coupon 16 has been the practice of the board to make valid two months in advance for any one month several days ahead of the beginning of each.

The board announced coupons 13 to 16 will not be valid after Feb. 28.

BAN MIDNIGHT SHOWS

Toronto, Feb. 23—(CP)—Toronto Police Commission yesterday passed a by-law banning midnight shows and setting 12:30 a.m. as the closing time on week-nights.

Japanese Soldiers Suicide In Volcano

By MORRIE LANDSBERG

Associated Press War Correspondent

Aboard a U.S. Warship off Iwo, Volcano Islands, Feb. 23 (AP)—American Marines watched Japanese soldiers filing themselves from the crater of Mount Suribachi yesterday as the invaders drew up the steep and treacherous mountain's caldera formation on the southern tip of Iwo Island.

A "number" of enemy troops close to the summit of the mountain hunted down in caves of the 550-foot height mountains while others defiantly hurled grenades at Marines moving into position to assault the isolated fortress of Lav Rock.

There was no tally leading to the crater rim from which the Japanese jumped. Possibly the Japanese realized they had no choice except being killed or surrender, or they may have been stunned or crazed by the terrific bombardment of naval warships and carrier planes.

U.S. Army About Ready To Close Down Canol

By JACK BELL

(Associated Press Staff Writer)

Washington, Feb. 23 (AP)—The U.S. Army is about ready to close down its Canadian oil development and write off much of the $134,000,000 investment there as a strategic war experiment that proved of exceptional sources said today.

War department congressmen were reported to have told the Senate War Investigating Committee recently that unless the chief of staff overrule the move, the Canol operation will be shut down after a recovery of its portentialities this Spring.

A decline in the needs for petroleum supplies in Alaska probably will be given as the immediate reason for abandoning the development, these sources said. Reportedly criticized the project as a waste of money has been Ickes, the Interior Harold Ickes told Congress last year it "ought to be junked now."

Committee members were said to have made it plain that the war department comes to Congress for additional appropriations, as it would have to do to keep the controversial development operating. they would fight the move.

The pipeline was built through 600 miles of northern wilderness to carry crude oil from Norman Wells, N.W.T., to Whitehorse, where a refinery was set up.

American Airlines Plane is Overdue

Kingsport, Tenn., Feb. 23 —(AP) —Officials of American Airlines reported a radio message from an Airlines pilot said the wreckage of a missing DC-3 plane carrying 20 persons had been sighted four miles south west of Rural Retreat, Va.

New York, Feb. 23 —(AP)— American Airlines announced today that a search continued for passenger plane with 18 passengers and three of the crew missing since Monday long overdue on a flight between Washington and Knoxville, Tenn.

The plane left La Guardia Field at 9:47 p.m. E.D.T. Thursday with its destination Lee Field, Augusta, Ga. Damon, vice president and general manager of the airline, announced.

The plane left Washington at 12:18 a.m. E.D.T. today for Knoxville, At 12:05 a.m. a radio report from the airliner said it was on course. running on schedule and was over Pulaski, Va. From that time until 1:30 a.m. nothing had been heard from or concerning the plane, the company said.

At Tri Cities Airport, about 14 miles from Bristol, Va., a spokesman said that the transcontinental passenger plane missing between Washington and Knoxville has been reported, at 2:05 a.m. E.D.T. that it was having engine trouble.

The plane was due to reach the airport at 2:40 a.m.

Jacques Doriot Killed in Raid

London, Feb. 23 (Reuters) — Jacques Doriot, French Fascist leader, has been killed in an air raid in southwestern Germany, the German D.N.B. news agency said today.

Doriot, styled "President of the French Liberation Committee and leader of the French People's Party," was killed instantly when direct bombers attacked his car, D.N.B. said.

Doriot, leader of the Parti Populaire Francais, was reported last month to be taking part in a conference in Berlin of Quisling leaders of ten countries with the object of forming exile governments in Germany.

After the liberation of France last year the French Committee of the Interior demanded his arrest and trial, but he escaped to Germany.

Cooler Weather Is Predicted

Toronto, Feb. 23 — (CP) — Lower temperatures were forecast for Ontario today and tonight, following a Spring-like weather and rains in the past 24 hours threatened some centres in the province with serious floods.

Moderating temperatures following rain and sleet in the southern portion of the province yesterday had endangered motorists and pedestrians and melted snow ran over ice-coated roads in many areas. Dropping temperatures and light snowflurries throughout the province promised a less hazardous weekend on the roads, however.

In Toronto, where light snow fell during the morning, colder weather prevailed throughout the day on the streets. In other Ontario centres the danger of swelling rivers subsided as the mercury dropped.

Brantford reported light drifting on side roads, although traffic was not blocked. Melting snow was absorbed into dry ground during the night. Snow fell in Woodstock last night after yesterday's rains had removed previous snow accumulation from city streets. Kingston reported dropping temperatures with snow and a freeze-over of slushy covered streets. Temperatures in centres of Sudbury and North Bay reported colder weather with light snow.

Family Allowances Issue Causes Heated Exchange in Legislature

Toronto, Feb. 23 — (CP) — The Federal Family Allowances issue was the storm centre in the Ontario Legislature yesterday, and the attendant heated ruffles of temperament.

Premier Drew declared that the Family Allowances, effective next July 1, was "an intrusion by the federal field of jurisdiction" and demanded that the money be paid to Provincial Governments to register and Voluntary Services to register and conscription those who get the allowances.

Opposition was immediately attacked by Federal Leader Mitchell F. Hepburn and A. A. MacLeod, Labor-Progressive member for Toronto Nelwood.

Mr. Hepburn recalled that the Family Allowances bill had passed in the Commons by a unanimous vote and said he had no doubt of the Dominion's legal right "to spend this amount of money for this purpose."

Premier's Aug. 4 Speech

The Premier's Aug. 4 radio address, in which he said the "unjustifiable bill" would be resisted by Ontario, was referred to by Mr. Hepburn. He asked if Mr. Drew's "real" objective was not that these family money might go to Quebec under the bill.

A heated exchange followed, closing with Premier Drew's caustic remark that members "should not take the Eighth member seriously."

Mr. Drew called the argument a "red herring" and said "if he is to so think-almost I am prepared to withdraw my remark and leave it to his imagination as to what I will say in the future."

Non-Discrimination

A near-division occurred when Mr. MacLeod attempted to speak and was ruled out of order. He appealed from Mr. Stewart's ruling and requests that he be given the floor were acceded to. Mr. MacLeod asked the Premier to give a definition after saying the Legislature to support his attacks on the Family Allowances bill, declaring that such a motion would be disposed of and dismissed "in 30 minutes."

In his statement Premier Drew said: "The Minister of Health, Dominion Health and Welfare Mitchell Hepburn stated that it is 'part of a broad system of social security.'

"If that is so . . . then this Act is an intrusion upon a province's field of jurisdiction without any shadow of legal authority."

As a Social Security Measure, said the Premier, it is within the exclusive constitutional jurisdiction of the province and the provinces must be consulted if there is to be any effective administration of family allowances."

Requests for Conference Ignored

He repeated requests for a Dominion-Provincial conference to iron out this and other matters had been unheeded, said Premier Drew. There had been no reply from Prime Minister Mackenzie King to his latest request, on Jan. 14.

Mr. Drew said the effect of having the women's voluntary services of the Red Cross, Salvation Army, and other organizations "in the handling of forms required for payment of the family allowances would be to "destroy the sanctity of the home by introducing the third party."

Persons without training in welfare work could not be allowed to interrogate persons on their private affairs.

Opposition leader E. B. Jolliffe, speaking in the Throne Speech debate, charged the government had failed to implement fully its 22-point election program. He cited Dominion-Provincial co-operation, encouragement of private initiative, agriculture, labor and mining as fields in which the government's performance had fallen short of its pledges.

There was no evidence that the government had encouraged private initiative to the point where it "really counts," said Mr. Jolliffe, in the employment needs of returning servicemen and civilians. Referring to the C.C.F. leader, "To say that we have a definite program for our veterans is to lean heavily on a broken reed."

Stable Farm Prices Needed.

Respecting agriculture, Mr. Jolliffe declared that, "by no recommendations of the agricultural committee, which has been published in the Throne Speech legislation forecast and if the government's policy of stabilizing agricultural prices, Queen's Park implied that the fluctuating prices of agriculture were a stable prices, Queen's Park implied that the fluctuating system and guaranteed security of income to safeguard against possible deflation in the future."

Mining development in Ontario had not been helped, he said, by gold and base metals because of the uncertainties which have made sufficient capital for exploration and development. Gold mining was highly developed because of the relatively small capital outlay required. The removal of base metals was under-developed.

He disagreed with the Premier's demand for a Dominion-Provincial conference, and said Mr. Drew's opposition to the Family Allowances Act was indicative of an attitude which "could lead to the destruction of Confederation."

"to resist social security legislation on constitutional grounds or on the basis of provincial rights."

Furthermore in passing the Act the Premier had "attacked another province in a manner that constituted a threat to national unity."

Mr. Jolliffe will continue his address when the House meets again on debate resumes Monday. Private bills will be considered today.

Yesterday At Queen's Park

By The Canadian Press

The Federal Family Allowances Act became an issue in the Legislature yesterday when Premier Drew declared the measure was "an intrusion upon the provincial field of jurisdiction."

On the insistence of Liberal Leader Mitchell F. Hepburn, the Premier withdrew a remark that members should not take the Eight-member seriously."

A. A. MacLeod (Lab.-Prog. — Toronto Bellwoods) asked Premier Drew to put a resolution asking the Legislature to support this stand on the Family Allowances Act.

C.C.F. Opposition leader E. B. Jolliffe charged the government with failure to implement fully its 22-point election program.

Today: Private bills will be introduced.

12 New Awards For Gallantry

Ottawa, Feb. 23 (CP)—Defence headquarters last night announced 12 new awards for gallantry in action to Canadian soldiers serving overseas.

The list includes the award of the Distinguished Service Order to an infantry corps major, three awards of the Military Medal and two Commendations for Gallant Conduct. Citations covering the awards were not given.

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Brazilian Troops Take Monte Costello

Rome, Feb. 23 — (Reuters) — Brazilian troops fighting to clear the Germans from the Apennine Heights in the Upper Reno Valley southwest of Bologna have captured Monte Costello, a 3,500-foot peak overlooking the Pistoia-Bologna road.

Other 5th Army troops broke through elaborate German trench systems in the Apennines overlooking Porretta Terme, a watering place about 28 miles southwest of Bologna.

Clearance of the Apennine peaks in the Upper Reno Valley would expedite the German of observation posts and facilitate Allied traffic through the valley.

There was no word of activity on the 8th Army sector.

TWO-DAY STRIKE ENDED

Pittsburgh, Feb. 23 — (AP) — A two-day strike affecting 8,500 workers at the big Pittsburgh works of the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation ended yesterday. Employees began returning to their jobs on the afternoon shift. The issue, giving work at the plant to an "outside contractor," is to be negotiated.

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Area Between Berlin, Oder Front Remains Immune From Air Attacks

By JOHN KIMCHE
(Reuters Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 23 — (Reuters) — A great battle is developing today in the Berlin front, Scene of the action is the area between Berlin and the Oder front, the area statistically district of Germany that has remained immune from Allied air attacks.

There can be only one explanation for the cold storage attitude of Russian plan. Its outlines are becoming clear.

For days the Germans have reported that Marshal Zhukov's concentrations of attack have been completed. Yet only ominous silence has been all along his front with the one exception of the steady encirclement of the Russian bridgehead at Kienitz midway between Berlin and Kustrin on the Berlin side of the Oder. This the Germans admit.

Now they are frankly worried by the absence of Allied air attacks on their capital. Clearly the Russian commander does not intend to interrupt the German positions from the front without the first softening often by bombing.

The Secret of Stalingrad.

Zhukov has succeeded in his plan before. He kept quiet during the German High Command on the eve of a great Russian offensive. Gen. Heinz Guderian can choose to stay put opposite Zhukov's concentrations, but he still expects the attack this area. But if he does that he has the key to the whole of position on this entire army trapped by Marshal Konev's drive to the south of Zhukov's right flank to destruction. The risk for the German Command in Berlin is clear, stalking this Berlin army it is in fact staking Berlin.

The gradual manoeuvring of the Red Army armies has placed the German High command before the alternative of risking the Army and future unless it takes the risk of leaving the older defences of Berlin and the Oder unmanned.

Will Lead to Clashes

The decision over the decision is bound once again to lead to clashes between the Stalingrad school of thought and the Hitler school of thought. They are bound to urge preserving the army and abandoning the dangerous ring before Berlin.

It looks almost as if Zhukov is anticipating something of this kind and is insisting on keeping the road unencumbered by the debris of bombing. It would be hard to conceive a greater moral blow for the German high command were it to abandon the defence of Berlin without a fight. Yet the struggle is clearly on inside the highest circles in Germany. The dilemma of Berlin marks one of the dramatic phases of the war. The German high command and the Nazi leaders are faced by another Stalingrad decision.

Seaman's Story Described As 'Arrant Nonsense'

London Feb. 23—(CP)—An American merchant seaman's story that British escort ships abandoned a Murmansk-bound convoy in April, 1942, was described coldly by the Admiralty last night but not officially. Naval Officers described it as "arrant nonsense."

The rigid admiralty policy is based on confirmed official reports of convoy operations.

However, officers noted informally that the Germans frequently circulate stories of inaction at the time.

In a case like that, the practice is to ignore them, but when it appears the convoy while escort vessels left the convoy to its own devices was what happening elsewhere, efforts to evade and break up the attack.

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Red Cross Campaign

In March the national campaign of the Canadian Red Cross Society to raise ten million dollars will be launched. Ontario will have as its objective five million dollars. Every organization is aware of the work which this organization is carrying on at home and abroad and it is expected will give support to this cause at this time of the war. These objectives are required to be reached in order to meet the commitments for the year 1942.

The ten million dollars will be expended as follows, food parcels for prisoners of war in Europe and the Far East $3.25 per cent, Allied relief 21.27 per cent, hospital supplies, comforts for armed forces and civilians, grants and contingencies (including budget of St. John Ambulance Association) and other war services 15.50 per cent, blood donor service 2.66 per cent —making total war expenditures of 92.68 per cent. Other expenditures are administration in Canada and overseas 1.60 per cent, campaign and publicity 5.72 per cent, and peace requirements, including Red Cross lodges at military hospitals in Canada 4.98 per cent, making the total of 100 per cent.

There is a tremendous budget for the year 1942, no less than $37,600,000 all inclusive. Canadian Red Cross hopes to give large quantities of clothing and supplies to the Allied Nations and to the sufferers in Europe. The generosity of the Canadian public in years past has given a reserve of war cloths. These will be used for war work but the answer to the appeal for the ten million dollars is necessary to meet the commitments for 1945.

The Publicity Chairman of the Ontario Division, Major James Baxter, M.C., has this to say of the needs, "You think it has been a hard winter. Think how much more severe it has been in the battle grounds of Europe and in the prison camps. Then think how fortunate we are who are at home, putting up with minor discomforts, and who can put forth that extra effort in the name of the Red Cross to help our fighting men and the destitute millions in Europe. Let's forget the weather—we can't do anything about it—but we can do a hard job for the Red Cross."

Belleville branch of the Red Cross Society has done very effective work during the past year as its reports recently indicated.

When the campaign opens in Belleville it is confidently expected that the people of this city will support the humanitarian work of this society with the same loyalty and generosity it has done in the past years. The need was never so great. The cause is one that really needs no publicity for it speaks so well in every action it performs for distressed and suffering humanity.

Returned men are most eloquent in their tributes to the devoted spirit of the Red Cross.

In Britain at the end of 1944, 900,000 women were doing part-time work in industry, and 350,000 were doing part-time Civil Defence work. Large numbers of married women are members of the Women's Voluntary Services and many perform 48 hours a month. Fire Guard duties in addition to industrial work.

That Speck of Iwo

The island known as Iwo Jima which would never have been heard of by the average man but for its strategic position and rugged surface which are admirably fitted for defence action, is deeply in the news this week. Containing but an area of eight square miles, a volcano and a mountain, it is one of those spots that a traveller would pass by. Yet in war this insignificant island becomes of great importance in the drive on Tokyo from which it is 750 miles away. Many Japanese are on the island in hiding places with hidden guns, thousands of thousands of Americans have landed and warships have taken part while the air has been dotted with planes. Here the Japanese lost no fewer than five bombers in their own day.

This little spot had all to itself an amphibious operation carried out by large numbers of ships—all because Iwo has a meaning in war. With fanatical fury the Japanese are defending this speck or dot in the sea.

Here is being decided one part of the war. This tiny mound in the sea will witness in its outcome the Allied victory which will go that much farther to bring about the triumph of the freedom-loving nations of the earth over the tyrant and tyranny. Here weapons of all kinds used in great battles are being used, artillery, tanks, rifles, planes, flame-throwers and so on in this great fight in a little space, a miniature of modern warfare.

Sky Pilots

(Canadian Churchman)

Looking here, there and about this week, I see a news release stating that the Roman Catholic Church is planning to train its missionary priests as air-pilots and mechanics in readiness for great expansion of missionary activity after the war; not passengers in planes but men who fly them.

We must do it too. Even while the war continues, young Canadian churchmen fully trained as pilots, mechanics, navigators, are coming back into civilian life, many parish life.

Missionaries in the Canadian North and West should be given the opportunity of learning how to fly a plane, given mechanical training. They, using all this effort, a fund should be started to purchase small airplanes—the helicopter type would seem indicated—and a propaganda drive to ensure full success.

This is no fantasy. It is something that should be done—and quickly. Already several of our frontier bishops travel (as passengers) in airplanes, on diocesan visitation. Our clergy do fly. It's time they flew as pilots. The dog team, the slow summer-season freight-ship, the railway railroad train, even the locomotive is outdated. The air age is on us, and it is the flying missionary who will count in the future.

The Beast at Large

(Detroit Free Press)

Shocked as we are at the accounts of atrocities committed in Manila, we cannot be surprised at the inhuman, indecent conduct of these savages.

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He also is shedding something else. He is discarding every reason for being treated as a human being when he is at last disarmed and caged. The American people will not forget.

Scots Names

(Niagara Falls Review)

In Scotland, in many areas, there are many men and boys with exactly the same names, so that there may be a dozen John MacDonalds in one community and sixteen Mary Johnstones in given to them so that they may be more easily identified. Thus there may be a John "Red" Donald or "Mary's John" or something else along that line. Something similar has been found in Prince Edward Island, where a large number of the people have names beginning with "Mac." Indeed, the problem has become so acute in some localities that, in connection with the new family allowances, a boy or girl may be known by his own and his mother's name, so that one may hear of Donald "Sheila" MacPherson or Donald "Margaret" MacDonald, so that a way will be found to distinguish them in Prince Edward Island as in Scotland.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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"THE GOOD OLD DAYS!"

"The good old days" men talk about,
Like these, were filled with many a doubt
And problem tangled.
From Rome's beginning to its fall
The tribes of Egypt, Italy, Gaul
Both warred and wrangled,
And common folks, and scholars lettered,
Told how conditions could be bettered.

Back in those early days they had
A run of rulers, good to bad,
And times unpleasant.
All ancient peoples used to cry
That taxes had gone much too high,
That as it present.
Who studies history must admit
Man's troubles haven't changed a bit.
It little difference makes who rules:
There will be wise men here and fools
And faithful workers;
Poets and priests and soldiers, too,
And in good times a motley crew
Of duty shirkers.
Change comes to law and nomenclature,
But scarcely scratches human nature.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Read



"If the doctor told you to come back again in a week I'd advise you to get in line now!"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 22, 1925

Danger of a flood from the Moira River at Belleville is feared this afternoon until the rain showed signs of slackening. Until 3:15 there o'clock the downpour continued and the thawing effect of the ice by the water pouring out of the land from the rain, melting snow and ice, was very active in the middle of the afternoon the ice near the new bridge gave indication of breaking up. The water rose rapidly and soon cakes of ice were floating over the ice pool. Some cellar along Front Street were flooded.

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Dr. and Mrs. Leonard of Napanee, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dafoe, Dundas street, yesterday.

Dr. Newton and Mr. A. A. Richardson of Deseronto, were in town today.

Mr. J. H. Porte of Picton, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. O. A. Marshall, Bridge St. east.

Mr. John Martin, of Chicago, Ill., son of the late Charles Martin of this city, is visiting friends here after many years absence.

Mr. T. Holgate, of Napanee, was a visitor in town today.

Mr. Frank Pearce, of Marmora, was in town today.

Mr. J. McGee, of Stirling, was in town today.

Mr. L. E. Terwilliger, of this city, is spending a few days in Brockville in connection with the Patterson Company.

50 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 22, 1895

A gold cure club has been organized in Napanee.

Mr. John Snell has returned home from Western Ontario. He has purchased a fine lot of cedar pile which arrived here today.

Prof. Paul Denyes of the D. and D. Conservatory, entertained his class at a sleigh drive party yesterday and later had the party over to them at the Hub Hotel.

Messrs. Matthew Benson, Picton; James (Gaga) Picton, and Robert Kelly of Cherry Valley, have been appointed License Commissioners for Prince Edward County.

Mr. Alex. LaPalm has arranged to hold a dress carnival at the open air rink on the hospital lot this afternoon. Ticket holders (junior) ten cents, and seniors fifteen cents; non-ticket holders twenty-five cents.

Mr. Martin Wims has purchased the old Bickford property on the Fitzpatrick Estate and will take possession on the 26th. inst.

Covering Pacific War Gives New Conception of Distances Pyle Thinks

(By ERNIE PYLE)

Honolulu—Covering this Pacific war is, for me, a new life, with the learning to live in a new city.

The methods of war, the attitude toward it, the homesickness, the distances, the climate— everything is different from what we have known in the European war.

Here in the beginning, I can't seem to get my mind around it, or get my fingers on the story. I don't mean distance from America so much, for one flies in Europe to be a long way from home too. I mean distances after you get right on the battlefield.

For the whole Western Pacific is our battlefield now, and whereas distances in Europe are hundreds of miles at most our Pacific ones are thousands. And there's nothing in between but water.

You can be on an island battlefield, and the next thing you know you is a thousand miles away. One soldier told me the worst lonesome feeling he ever had was when they had landed on an island and were fighting, and on the morning of the 3rd he looked out to sea — and it was completely empty. Our great armada had unloaded and left for more, and boy, did it have my guts in a lonesome and deserted feeling.

As one Admiral said, discussing this war is like watching a slow-motion picture. You see something for months, and then finally the great day comes when you launch your plan, and then it is days or weeks before the attack happens, because it takes that long to get there.

As an example of how they feel, the Navy gives you a slick sheet of paper as you go through here, entitled "Airline Distances in Pacific". And at the bottom of it is printed "Our Enemy, Geography". Logistics is the name of the game out here, a nightmare.

Here's another example of their attitude toward distances in the Pacific.

At Anako in Italy, the Third Division set up a rest camp for its exhausted infantrymen. Their rest camp was less than five miles from the front line, within constant enemy artillery range.

But in the Pacific, they bring men clear back from the western islands to Pearl Harbor to rest camps—the equivalent of bringing an Anako boy from the fighter all the way back to Kansas City for his two weeks' rest.

It's 2,500 miles from Pearl Harbor to the Marianas, all over water. Yet Japanese planes have flown it daily by air as casually as you'd go to work in the morning.

And there is another enemy out here that we don't know so well in Europe—and that is monotony. I'm sure, war everywhere is monotonous to the individual soldier, but here even the niceness of life gets monotonous.

The days are warm and on our established island bases the food is good and the mail service is fast and timely. We are free from the enemy and the days go by in their endless calmness and they drive you nuts. Some Marines call it going "pineapple crazy".

Our high rate of returning mental cases is discussed frankly in the island and service newspapers. A man doesn't have to be under fire in the front line finally to have more than he can take without relief.

He can when isolated and homesick, have more than he can take of nothing but warmth and sunshine and good food and safety, when there's nothing else to fill it, and no prospect of anything else.

And another adjustment I'll have to make is the attitude toward the enemy. Europe is full of our comfortable horrible and deadly as they are, but they're impersonal.

But out here I've already gotten the feeling that the Japanese are looked upon as something more than man and squirmy—like some people look upon cockroaches and lizards.

I've seen one group of Japanese soldiers on Guadalcanal surrender and they were wrestling and laughing and talking just as happily as anybody. And yet they gave me a creepy feeling and I felt in need of a mental bath after looking at them.

I've not yet got to the front, or anywhere near it, to find out how I'll react toward the war or how anyone feels about the thing he's fighting. But I'll bet, he doesn't feel the same way our men in Europe feel.

Poor Democracy It's Always Got The Death Rattles

(Ottawa Journal Editorial)

From the indignant tone of numerous recent letters I infer that some readers did not like what I said here recently about having children when you are young and fit and happy.

Mr. C. O. hopes the time will come when social security (and what social living means I am not sure unless it means the state) will guarantee couples like herself and her husband two babies, no more, no less, the health and education of every child will be the responsibility of the state, no stigma will be attached to any child, childbirth will be painless, and doctors who cherish the pagan notion that a reasonable amount of suffering is good for a wife or mother — and that includes Mrs. C's view interesting is that fact that she is the mother of two children, all paid for, she says. Her husband and she take her husband and herself a few years to get out of debt, but they are paying as they go and they are now getting a taste of happiness. I don't see what that has to do with happiness. Having a baby is no fair basis, and youth — that lets a good deal more in with happiness.

Oh, I've departed from the argument because of a physical deficiency. I'm 39 and have never had the need to bubble down and raise a baby, say. Since girls don't propose to

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Grace McGee of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Thomas-field, was a weekend guest at the home of Miss Joan Ketchabaw, Foshore.

Mrs. Mis Goodmurphy has returned to Lotta Cod, after spending six weeks with her sisters in Toronto.

Mr. Arthur K. Cole is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital.

Mrs. Norman MacFayden and little daughter, Margaret, of Colbaw, returned to their home today after being the guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Hornsby, George Street.

Mrs. W. D. Adam has returned to Shelburne, Nova Scotia, after a six weeks' holiday spent with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Hornsby, George Street.

Mrs. J. C. Campbell, Charlotte Street entertained at a tea last Monday in honor of Miss Margaret Robb of the Girls' Work Board, Toronto. C.G.I.T. leaders of this city were present at the enjoyable gathering.

Miss Joyce Morton, who is attending Cornell University at Ithaca, N.Y. is Home for mid-term holiday.

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They rest upon the benches green,
The folk, both old and young,
And bask beneath the welcome rays
Of the glorious southern sun.
With migrant birds from northern lands,
Who sought a tropic clime,
And thus escape the storm and cold
Of a northern winter time.

And so upon the benches green
They spend their day to day
The sprightly maiden and the dame
And grandma, old and gray,
With eye alert the bachelor
Awaits a good beauty.
A young and winsome widow,
In whom he would confide.

'Tis true that could herein
About these benches green
The ardent youth of sixty years
And something sweet is seen.
And women of uncertain age
Relieve their loneliness,
Capture again the smiles and wiles
They long had lost, forsooth.

The southern sun gives healing power,
To all the aged and ill,
And spirits crushed in sorrow's hour
With peace again are filled.

The Southland is a refuge rare
When winter winds do blow
But would it be one half so fair
Without the green benches?

Helen B. Anderson.

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Couple Honored On Golden Anniversary

40th Con. Tyendinaga.—A number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Power, 4th Concession of Tyendinaga recently to honor them on the occasion of their Golden Wedding anniversary. When all had assembled, the bride and groom of fifty years were given seats of honor while an address was read by their nephew, Rev. W. J. Bockley, P.P., Milton, Ont., at which time they were presented with a beautiful davenport on behalf of their friends and neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Power graciously replied and thanked their many friends for their kindness.

Delicious refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent in cards and dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Power were married fifty years ago at St. Charles' Church at Read, and have resided in this community practically all their lives.

MORE PROPAGANDA

London, Feb. 23 — (Reuters) Propaganda leaflets dropped in his latest attempt to curdle Allied relations, wrote in this week's issue of "Das Reich" that a third world war would begin in 1942, the D.N.B. agency reported today. D. N. B. quoted him as saying that in that year Japan would be fighting first Britain and then the United States.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

ON INTRODUCTIONS

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

I have been invited to meet the family of a co-worker of mine, and what is the proper help on the introductions?

Now are the introductions made? Who is presented to whom? How do I acknowledge the introductions?

2. Would it be correct for me to take a gift of candy to the children?

J. M. W.

1. If you are going to her home your co-worker would introduce you to the members of her family. First to her mother, for instance, she is Miss Miller, or perhaps with the friendly informality of "Mother, this is Marie Miller." Then, "Miss Miller, my father." (Your co-worker would introduce you to her mother; therefore your name is mentioned last. But since a man is introduced to a woman, your name is mentioned first when she introduces her father to you.) Then the children would be introduced to you, perhaps not with the formation of your name. . . this is my sister, Grace' . . . and my brother, Tom.

Say your nicest "How do you do" to acknowledge each introduction, with the addition of the name of each. I suggest too that after your introduction to the mother, add some gracious remark; for example "How do you do, Mrs. Carter. I'm so happy to meet you at last. Peggy has told me such grand things about you and her family!"

2. Yes, delightfully correct, and "you'll be popular with the children!"

Help for a Bride-to-Be

Dear Mrs. Beeckman.

I'm another bride-to-be coming to you for help! I'm to be married this Spring, but I would like to ask you several questions.

1. In view of the times, and the fact that I probably will be in the Rectory, I think a pretty white suit perhaps of a silk material) and accessories would be nice. If you would tell me of this, what would you suggest that the groom wear?

Ard have you any other suggestions for me?

2. Do you agree that since my wedding is to be informal, it would be best to have it in the morning, say about eleven, and have a wedding breakfast after the service for approximately twenty-five guests?

3. Don't you think notes of invitation would be most appropriate?

4. How soon before the ceremony should one get the marriage license?

5. Have you ever seen a bride holding a lighted candle instead of a bouquet or Prayer Book?

1. You could very properly abide somewhat by the "bridal tradition" and wear a white suit, with white accessories at your wedding in the Rectory; or you might wear a white suit with accessories, including your hat. The customary attire for the bride at this type of wedding is, however, a street costume of some white but of the bride's favorite darker shade, very often her traveling costume.

2. If this hour is in your judgment the most convenient hour for the majority of your guests, and fits in with your going-away plans it's a good choice. In other words, convenience is not the fact that your wedding is to be informal is the deciding factor.

3. For such an informal wedding with so few guests, your invitations may properly be given verbally, or by telephone, or by notes.

4. Since regulations about getting the marriage license differ from states, you (or better, your fiancé, if you're engaged for him) should get in touch with the Marriage License Bureau of your state and get definite information about blood tests regulations and the required time lapse after these.

5. Yes I once went to a wedding where the bride carried a candle . . . and I certainly can't say I was impressed or enthused about it. Infinitely more lovely and meaningful to lay my wedding bouquet on the reverential effect of a bride's carrying a white prayer Book.

Fashion Flashes

THE VERY BEST suit accessory we have seen is a navy-and-white or black-and-white striped satin swatch blouse. Marvelous with a suit of red and black or navy and red.

CHECKS ARE ENDORSED again for Spring. A very trim double-breasted redingote is of black and white checked woolen with velvet collar and velvet bands on the slanting flaps of hip pockets. Very fitted through the midriff.

A GOOD COMPANION with either slacks or a separate skirt is a blouse of white rayon jersey with a print of huge fuchsia and green flowers. Long loose sleeves caught into a tight wristband and a very low, drawstring neckline.

A CHANGE from the usual fishtail is a new boxy model cut on Mandarin lines—straight with a very slight flare. The fabric is black duratwill with the reverse shiny surface of fabric for collar and cuffs, which are open, shiny side makes tuxedo front.

BEST BUY this year will be the simple little cotton dress that is as nice outdoors as it is for general wear in the house. A typically smart design is in a chintz-finished gingham plaided in gay brown and white. Narrowing squared neckline is low cut and dress is sleeveless with extended shoulders.

HIGH STYLE is a feature of some of the new rayon knit lingerie. A pretty gown in pale blue or pale pink has a fitted, gathered midriff bound with matching satin bands that form a tie in back. Armholes are satin-piped and extend to satin shoulder straps.



TRINITY WOMEN'S CLUB

Madoc, — Trinity Women's Club met on Monday evening, February 12th, in the church parlors which were tastefully decorated with hearts and silhouettes.

The meeting opened with the singing of hymn "Will Your Anchor Hold." A brief business period was conducted by the President, Mrs. Beatty, who welcomed the men guests of the evening.

The program prepared by Mrs. Wheal proved to be very entertaining. Mrs. Wheal introduced the pantomime which depicted the very weird life of "Solomon Grundy." It was cleverly acted by the students of Grade XIII under the direction of Miss MacDermid.

On behalf of the club, Mrs. Beatty thanked those who had spent time and effort in presenting such a fine entertainment. Then Mrs. Beatty, on behalf of the members, spoke words of appreciation to Miss Winnie Ferguson, who is leaving Madoc to take a position in Belleville. The splendid help she had so willingly given to the club and of regret at losing her. Mrs. O. White presented the gift, a lovely floral pin. Miss Ferguson, although taken by surprise, ably expressed her thanks to the club.

Mrs. Wheal gave a most interesting account of "The Origin of St. Valentine's Day."

Mrs. Jack took charge of the devotional period choosing as the theme, "The Beauty of God's World". Hymn "For the Beauty of the Earth," was sung. The Scripture, Psalm 104, was repeated responsively. Readings were given by Miss H. Mutton and Mrs. Rankin. Mrs. Jack concluded with a poem "Some Things There Are".

Words of thanks and appreciation on behalf of the men were expressed to the ladies by Mr. O. White. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

Refreshments and a social time followed.



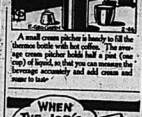
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Grecian Swim Dress



Such colors in combination as scarlet, gold and brown, in rayon jersey, make this bathing dress with the Grecian drape effect.

By PRUN ELLA WOOD

The trend in beachwear is largely toward the leggy, bra-top type of design. . . but it's true that not everyone swims that well, or looks that well, when it comes to wearing such briefness. For the other type of mermaid there are plenty of bathing dresses far more flattering, and really just as practical for aquatics unless one is timing for a champion streak.

Two colors harmonious tio the sun (and sunian) in rayon jersey, combine to make this California swim dress with its attached panties and masterful backing for the under-bra top. The self fabric sash ties in front, at once safe and automatically flitting.

Crofton

Crofton—Mrs. B. Jones called on Mrs. Andrew Munro on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. S. Crook and Ronald called on Mr. and Mrs. W. Salisbury and Janet, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rorabeck suffered painful bruises on Monday afternoon, when their car was struck by a Burford Transport truck on Highway No. 14, as they were about to make the turn up the hill at Crofton Corners. The front wheel on the car was broken and fender damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Jones spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rorabeck.

Mr. Ted Eley and AB. Albert Eley were Sunday tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Eley.

6th Sidney

6th Sidney—Mrs. R. W. Goodacre and baby, are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. Martin, Baptiste.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wood of Frankford, have purchased a house and lot in this neighborhood and expect to move in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Copeland and sons, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Copeland at Melrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dafoe and sons, spent Sunday on the 6th Line guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Martyn were Thursday supper guests at the home of Mr. Clarence Copeland.

A number of ladies met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Lott on Tuesday and quilted a Red Cross quilt.

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

Artifice Has Its Good Points

You are an observant social psychologist, let us say. You have an open mind. And you have an open mind. And you have to decide whether women look more presentable with make-up than without it. You'll get a big laugh out of the way those boy you look with your before-breakfast face when you haven't had time to use the lipstick and the powder pad.

Let us say that you are in a public conveyance. The passengers are women, girls, career girls, high school leaders, grandmothers in the regular run. Look them over, one by one, then up. Don't miss a detail.

You will see some fast-looking gals who have overdone their facial decorating. Too much foundation, cosmetic, too much bright rouge, like candy and whitened. They look brittle, but far from drab. You realize the purpose back of their lavishness. They're trying to defeat the havoc wrought by the old gent with the scythe.

There's no virtue in a shining nose. When a woman doesn't bother to ply the calcimine pad, life has her down, fate has a foot on her neck.

Heavily-painted lips may horrify the old-timers with conservative ideas, though goodness knows they should be used to them by now, now, in some ways.

Let them regard their own pale or rough lips. Surely a light coating of artifice wouldn't do a bit of harm. It would make them feel that they belong in the modern parade, that they aren't Invalids-sitters.

Consider everyone—those that are expressive to the old school of beauty thought, and those of 1940 style. We'll confess that some of the up-to-date artifice is a bit frenzied, take its quirks and slants, but there's more than having heavy forehead lamberquins with stray hairs roaming middle the corral, and that make you think of Elizabeth Eliz and his contentions.

Take cottrues! . They're classic and there's no artifice about them. When grannie was a young lady, she blistered her skull with demoniacable tresses. She wore a heavy fringe under her pompadour. Thirty-six inch, three-and-one-half ounce coronet braid, and a mass of switches all of which set the check book back for more than the modern woman spends for wavy sets and permanents in a year. It's not up to the old girls to pan 'em. They had their beauty maintenance among which were hobble skirts, straight-front corsets, bonnet collars that choked them, face bleaching treatments that put them in sanitary confinement for weeks. It's terrific to be now, in some ways.

PLAINFIELD W.M.S.

The regular meeting of the Plainfield W.M.S. was held on Feb. 21st in the home of Mrs. Norman Hall with an attendance of 20 members and 3 children. Mrs. Fred Hall, president, opened the meeting. The worship service was conducted by Mrs. Horace Palmer (Theme) "The Kingdom of God in Nations." This part of meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Mrs. Dempsey. Solo by Mrs. Arthur Hall. Minutes were read, and adopted. Roll call was answered by paying of membership fees, 28 members joined.

Treasurer's report was read by Mrs. Clayton Hall. A donation was handed in from Mrs. A. Parks. Collection amounted to $4.92. Group leader Mrs. Charles Beatty took charge of the meeting and gave a chapter of the Study Book, assisted by Mrs. A. Meeks, Mrs. Sid. Emerson. Mrs. Fred Hall.

The president closed meeting with prayer and Mizpah Benediction. The hostess and her assistants served refreshments and a social half hour was spent.

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N.Y. RANGERS BEAT RED WINGS BY 5-3 COUNT

Score Four Goals in First Period ;Sweeping Wings Off Their Feet

By The Canadian Press

The show of power currently featuring the play of New York Rangers and Chicago Black Hawks, respectively the fifth and sixth teams in the National Hockey League, contains a threat to the Stanley Cup hopes of Montreal Canadiens and Detroit Red Wings, riding firmly at the other end of the league standings.

And it is an even stronger threat to the play-off hopes of Boston Bruins, holding fourth place a scant game ahead of Rangers and two games ahead of Chicago, and Toronto Maple Leafs in third place.

Should either of the teams make the finals, it wouldn't be the first time a team had edged into the play-offs and taken home the silverware.

Leafs haven't won it their last four starts and on paper, at least, still could be bumped out of the N.H.L. finals. Rangers last night chalked up their third win in four games by trouncing Detroit 5-3 which compares favorably with Chicago showing for the same number of starts of three wins and a tie.

The New Yorkers, tuning up for their contest with Leafs next Saturday, polished victory by notching four first period goals, two from the stick of defenceman Guy Lafleur, then switched to the defensive and fighting off a determined Detroit rally.

Walter (Ants) Atanas set the Blueshirts on their way with a goal in the first three minutes. He passed to Jack Mann's neat pass into the Detroit zone. Atanas added his goal when Mann beat Harry Lumley in the Detroit nets for a play with Fred Thurlier. Ab Demairo added the final goal late in the third period.

Detroit failed to pierce the Ranger defence until the third period was more than one-quarter gone and Murray Armstrong caged a rebound on a hard shot from Earl Seibert. A minute later Jud McAtee scored and Carl Liscombe sank one late in the period.

LAST NIGHT'S STARS

By The Canadian Press

JACK (DOUBLEHEADER) MANN, New York, who scored one goal and made the play for two others, paving the Rangers' way to victory over Detroit Red Wings 6-3.

GUY LAFLEUR, RANGERS — who accounted for two of his team's five goals.

What's Doing in Sport

(By The Canadian Press)

Because there is doubt about their manpower status, big league baseball players have been slow in returning their 1945 contracts, it was reported by club owners in New York yesterday. Many ballplayers believed to be holding off until the U.S. Congress deals with war labor legislation.

Meanwhile President Ford Frick of the National League estimated the major loops would effect a savings of 3,000,000 passenger-miles of rail travel through elimination of the annual all-star game at Boston, scheduled for July, and a reduction of trip schedules, with a reduction in player squads.

Manager Art Ross of Boston Bruins reported last night defenseman Johnny Crawford would return to the team for Sunday night's N.H.L. fixture with Rangers in New York, the player having recovered from a torn ligament in his left knee cap to replace Frank Mario at centre while the latter is undergoing a military medical examination at Montreal.

The Jockey Club announced at London last night the British racing season would open April 21 at Ascot and Pontefract, Yorkshire, May 1. Chukkas will be staged May 5, the 2,000 Guineas May 9, the Oaks and Derby June 8 and 13 respectively at Epsom Downs, it's stated.

Doug Grimston of New Westminster, B.C., British Columbia representative to the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, said yesterday he has voted to cancel all Allan Cup play-offs. Grimston claims the eastern finals are played for and won by Quebec, Ontario and the west. Grimston is one of 10 C.A.H.A. district representatives who voted yesterday on whether to cancel competition in view of the announcement that only two of nine teams in Quebec are willing to contest the final. Result of yesterday's poll will be announced Feb. 28.

With a line-up which includes a number of former N.H.L. players, Saskatoon Royals yesterday claimed entry in the Allan Cup senior series representing Saskatchewan, providing senior competitions are restaged this year. Their stars include Doug Bentley, former Chicago Black Hawk; Charlie Mason who played for New York Rangers and New York Americans and Bun Scharfe of the Pacific Coast league.

Eighth straight win for Montreal Canadiens last night took a fall out of the high-flying Detroit Olympics five, 50-43, at Buffalo, N.Y. It's the seventh straight winning for the U. S. C.Y.O. league in long months. Steve Pysz, one of the winners, was high man with 15 points followed by his team-mate, Coulthard, with 11.

The O.H.A. sub-committee last night disallowed a protest of the Kitchener Greenshirts in the play-off series over the using of an over-age player, Ken Mackell, by Stratford in their group semi-finals and the latter game would stand as played although Rohfritsch, in the Stratford first dash ended in a draw and the second was won by Stratford.

QUARTER-FINALS IN MANY EVENTS REACHED AT 'SPIEL

Ken Miles Puts End to 9-Game Winning Streak of Gardiner of Sarnia

Toronto, Feb. 23—(CP)—Ken A. Miles of Toronto High Park Jr. A. night put an end to A. C. Gardiner, of Sarnia's nine-game winning streak when he won 9-6 in a quarter-final match of the Ricks-Billsbrough Trophy event at the Ontario Bonspiel here.

W. Henderson of Kitchener and A. E. Walker of Hamilton Victoria also won their quarter-final matches and will enter the semi-finals along with Miles. The fourth semi-finalist will be known today after C. L. Eaton and R. Earl of Green Bush of Toronto High Park meet in quarter-final tilt.

Five quarter-finalists were decided by last night's games in the third round of the North American Life Trophy event. They were Ivan Brown of Thornbury and Alex Gray and his left-handers from Port Arthur; Jack Reive of Churchill, R. F. Garrett of Barrie and Dr. J. Arndt of Maitland, Results of games today between Ed Young of Toronto, Hy Chandlass and Dave Walker of Port Williams, W.A. Watson of Sarnia and J. W. Currie of Ayr, and J. D. Kinsella of London and A. Ross Tarlton of Hamilton Thistles will determine the other three quarter-finalists.

Alex Gardiner of Sarnia, C. W. Meaking of Hamilton Victoria, C. R. Redfern of Toronto Curling Club and H. Young of Toronto Royal Canadians will be the semi-finalists in the Royal York Trophy event.

Last year's winner, P. H. Stitch of Lindsay, will lead a field of eight in the quarter-finals of the Seibering Trophy event as a result of his 13-5 win yesterday over Bert Kennedy of Toronto Royal Canadians.

Other rinks in the quarter-final will be Dr. J. A. Wrighs and Frank Wilson of London, T. Bernard of Toronto Elevators, W. J. MacNeill of Wauwaiosa, Wis., Dr. Ross Ulleruer of Detroit, Peter Gilbert of Chatham and W. A. Watson of Sarnia.

Last night saw completion of play in the second-round matches in the Waterloo Trophy event.

Miss Helen Lee President Ladies Section of Club

Miss Helen Lee was elected president of the ladies section of the Tuesday Golf Club at the annual meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce this week. The ladies' section of the Tuesday Club golf club anticipate a banner season in 1945 following the splendid reports presented at the 1944 officers, the earlier resigning president Mrs. C. F. Ball.

The officers elected for 1945 were as follows:

Hon. Pres.—Mrs. Stewart Robertson. President, Miss Helen Lee; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Grace Spicer; Secretary, Miss Peggy Doolittle; Senior Captain, Mrs. Ethel Phillips, Burrows; Junior games captain, Mrs. Ian Drew; Tennis chairman, Sheila Burrows; Membership chairman, Joan Morgan; Chairman of the entertainment committee, Mary Trussach; Assisting, Shirley McIntosh, Peggy Blakiee, Mrs. C. F. Lyall, Jean Timmerman and Mrs. Bruce Graham.

THEATRES SUFFERED

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Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER

(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 23 — (CP) — Add two more plugs for Maurice (Rocket) Richard. One comes from none other than the National Hockey League's prexy, Red Frederson and No. 2 is a bouquet tossed at the Canadian Comet by teammate Ray Getliffe — who's no slouch himself.

Getliffe made a little statement to Elmer (Montreal Herald) Ferguson. Said Red to Elmer the Great, "Yes, I've been playing on the Richard-Moreau comparison argument." But that was not all Reticent Red said. For the record, he added his belief that Richard was an all-time great.

"Any player who can get 44 goals, is great . . . . no matter what time he's playing." And those are the words of the man at the top.

Getliffe proved a little more reticent in being drawn in to the "complicated discussion." But in the course of his little armchair confab with Bill (Niagara Falls Review) Guyon, he was heard to say he was convinced that the Rocket rated a place among hockey's greats. That wasn't an idle statement either, for he backed it up with this:

"Maurice can score more goals from more difficult positions than any player I ever knew — there's no question in my mind that he would fit on any line-up that ever was assembled."

Convincing talk, huh?

Twins Win

You can't tell them apart — unless they're in swim suits and you notice the little scar at the bottom of Rhoda's foot . . . . or is it Rhoda? Well, regardless, they're Joye, the Wurtele twins of Montreal, and there's no denying it.

The charming Wurtele's have shared everything from skiing honors, to swimming honors, to mumps . . . . with tennis, badminton, horseback riding and a number of other athletic pastimes thrown in. Now they gain top recognition — together — for their outstanding women athletes, by winning the Rose Bowl.

They usually end up one-two at the end of a downhill or slalom run, or at the far end of the tank after a record-shattering swim. But in Women's Amateur Athletic Federation's books — it was a dead heat. And well deserved.

Things and Such:

Dave Greseberg, former Winnipeg hoop ace, was top scoring honors in the Montreal Senior League. Playing for Combines, the western boy ended up with 82 points . . . . a close second to Dave was former Queen's University player, Leo Rosenitzky, now with McGill University . . . . fifteen winners and runners-up of the Vancouver Sun's Golden Glove tourney will hop over to Seattle for the Pacific Northwest titles . Last year the B. C. boys copped seven of the eight crowns . . . Veteran pro puckster Eddie Shore man jacks Mickey MacKay as the greatest Boston Bruin he's ever seen . . . . Bill Ingram and Ronnie Young Edmonton pals and rivals, are now dropping gently from the skies with the paratroops.

Hockey Results

By The Canadian Press

National Hockey League

	W	L	T	Pts
Montreal	32	5	6	66
Detroit	29	13	4	62
Toronto	19	19	5	43
Boston	18	21	4	40
New York	14	23	3	30
Chicago	12	25	6	30
Chicago	12	26	6	34

Thursday: New York 5, Detroit 3
Tonight: no games.

American Hockey League
Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pts
Buffalo	34	18	8	76
Hershey	26	21	8	60
Providence	21	25	6	52

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pts
Cleveland	36	12	10	82
Indianapolis	31	17	11	73
Pittsburgh	22	22	6	50
St. Louis	12	27	7	31

Thursday: Buffalo 6, Providence 2
Tonight: Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

Eastern United States Amateur League

	W	L	T	Pts
Baltimore Blades 6; New York Rovers 4.				

Interprovincial League
Valleyfield Braves 10; Shawinigan Falls Cataracts 2.

O.H.A. Intermediate
Centralia Flyers 7; Mount Hope Bombers 2.
(First game in two-game, total-goals series)

O.H.A. Junior B Exhibition
Chatham 5, Alvinston 4.

Southern Sask. Jr. Final
Moose Jaw Canucks 14; Regina Commandos 1.
(Moose Jaw leads best-of-seven series, 2-0)

Thunder Bay Jr. Finals
Port Arthur Flyers 8; Port Arthur West Ends 2
(Flyers lead best-of-three series, 1-0)

Manitoba Inter-Services Sr. Hockey: R.C.A.F. 7; Winnipeg Navy 4.

BUFFALO BISONS EDGE OUT REDS

By The Canadian Press

Buffalo Bisons edged out Providence Reds 6-5 last night to build up a nine-point lead in the eastern division of the American Hockey League, and dulled the Reds' chance of making a play-off berth. The second-place Hershey Bears moved ahead of Providence.

The Bisons were forced right to the limit to hold the Reds who twice tied the count. Jerry Lynch's late first-period goal was matched a minute from George Patterson early in the second frame. Kenny Quinn set Ab Aubuchon and Paul Mundrick added other Buffalo goals, but counters by Bill Hudson, Stan Kemp and Roger Bedard forced a 4-4 deadlock by the end of the second.

George Pargeter restored the lead to Buffalo after five minutes of the third period, and Leger's second goal of the night proved to be the winning tally, Patterson also ranked as a two-goal marksman, and his second goal helped to reduce the margin.

REVIVE "FLOW MONDAY"

Chichester, England, (CP) — After a lapse of 200 years the old rural custom of "Flow Monday" was revived here recently when a prize was towed into Chichester Cathedral to receive blessing from Bishop Dr. G. K. Bell.

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CASUAL COMMENTS by R.J.C.

A Good Answer.

The Irishman was put in charge of the Irish number company office by the boss who wanted to have a joke on the son of Erin:

"Remember," warning the Irishman, hiding a smile as he dashed out the door, "Take all orde's you get, no matter what they are."

The manager went to a nearby telephone and called the office. The Irishman answered the phone:

"Manager's office, Irishman speaking. Please send me 5,000 knot holes.

Irishman—Sorry, sir. We can't do that.

Manager—Why not?

Irishman—We just sold all of them to the brewery.

Manager—To the brewery? What for?

Irishman—To make bungholes for the beer barrels.

Around the Town.

Local hockey fans are indebted to the Air Force league for a splendid season of hockey at the Hume Arena....A number of Front Street merchants expressed that feeling to this department and stated that competition extended to the players and league alike....It's especially that play-off series was a treat. We saw cross-ice passes that means play clean fast hockey and that's the kind we like to see three times either side," remarked one merchant....However, combined with sitting in the north end still contending that the puck should be played in the centre ice zone with a fast pass to the wing and out of the net like a flash.... That's the kind of hockey that unfortunate things that go to make up sport and prove, officially as human, the same as players....To-night's game will be the opportunity to judge the calibre of hockey played in the Quinte district with players drawn from Belleville, Stirling and Trenton. Both the Combines still played hockey in the days of today.

And at climax of the day Trenton was defeated and as they are today.

You tried to build them up alright

And made us all look small

But what really made the final game

IS HOCKEY AFTER ALL.

LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Canadian Press)

Standings: Canadiens, 32, 5, tied 6, points 68.

Goals: Richard, Canadiens, 44 goals, 31 assits, 65 points; Lach, Canadiens, 30 goals, 46 assist, 66 points

Assists: Richard, Canadiens 44. Assists: Lach, Canadiens 46.

Penalties: Egan, Boston 64 minutes.

Shutouts: McCool, Toronto 4; Karakas, Chicago 4.

HONORED FOR BRAVERY

London, (CP)—The bronze medal of the Royal Humane Society in Canada for humane acts has been awarded to Lieutenant-Commander Cary Conover Ajpuder, Devon, for his part in rescuing during a gale, 16 men from two of the 18 merchantmen which were used in building the Normandy "Mulberry" ports.

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LESSON NO. 614
BY SAM GORDON
The History

When first you go bridging, you think you are a shark. Because the experts who make it look tough. But when you find out it is just common sense, you get back your confidence quickly enough.

In bridge, a player sells with bids what his hand contains. There is no mystery to what a bid says. If you do not let an expert confuse you, common sense will tell you what it means.

Each of the four players is entitled to one-fourth (average) of everything in a deal; three of the 13 tricks, three of the 13 cards in each suit, three of the 13 highest cards, one of the four aces.

The first (opening) bid simply shows better than average in all items; how than three tricks, more than three cards in the bid suit, more than three high cards, more than one ace for equivalent.

It is likely that partner may not have his average of three tricks. To provide for such a contingency, the opener should have an extra trick as a measure of safety.

Thus, when a player opens with a bid of One in a suit, he says, he can take five tricks, has four high cards, two sure tricks (aces or their equivalent), and better-than-average (bidable) suit.

When you know that, no expert can fool you with snooty terms and complex, unreasoning sticks. Even when you do not know what it is talking about, you already know what he is trying to say.

Not only that. It warns you when an expert is wrong. It guides you against with partners who use an incorrect basis for their bids.

Take a hand like this:

♠ A 10 7 6 5
♥ A 9 8 6
♦ K 9 8 5
♣ K 7 4

Some players may tell you to open that hand because it has two and a half something or other. Right then you have no openings are not sound. Because he does not wait for better-than-average.

When you recognize the cause you can neutralize the flaws.

"T" ALLEYS

Afternoon League

Happy Gang (5 points): Handicap 36: R. Charlton 400; A. J. Fisher 317; R. Lent 327; J. Quiney 336; J. Doe 300—2280.

Y Ladies 4 points: A. Calnan 337; M. Cole 384; E. Clifford 366; F. Kyle 366; T. Short 366—1794.

Evening League

Just Us 3 points: P. Richards 409; G. Ramsey 465; L. Holdsworth 437; M. Smith 465; E. Kaucher 367—2178.

Bluebirds 1 point: Woodcock 396; N. Gladney 342; T. Bell 407; J. Gladney 451; J. Doe 300—1940.

Alley Cats 3 points; D. Scott 375; M. Daniels 366; J. Ellis 413; D. Hammett 388; M. Tummon 420—2360.

Amateurs 1 point: A. Hayes 370; F. MacFarlane 376; L. Savage 368; L. Drummey 370; W. Johnston 345—1721.

Recreation Alleys

SACO LEAGUE

Carriers 2 points: Hitchon 561; Saunders 336; Hopping 535; Dickens 450; Lamberton 466; Thomas 378—2666.

Elevators 2 points: O. Owen 572; A. Mellar 401; W. Jewell 402; C. Bovay 415; R. Cooney 389; S. Hatlick 470; M. Fralick 416—2965.

Crushers 2 points: Deleeuw 506; Quinney 482; Lamphie 418; Pogger 445; Dunlop 532; Spencer 506—2689.

Rippers 1 point: Z. Dixon 402; M. Donovan 361; C. Walmsley 352; R. Peoples 391; R. Crosby 441; J. Train 131; T. Grills 146; Handicap 865—3823.

Reducers 1 point: M. Peoples 339; D. Dixon 542; H. Brooks 432; B. Bily 402; J. Bennett 396; R. Dawson 412; R. Mazzie 329—2850.

Sailors 2 points: Adams 396; J. Evans 300; F. Lang 575; W. Harden 506; A. Jones 502; T. Thompson 564; J. Bunnett 331—2907.

Major A League

Corbins 4 points: O. Smith 631; R. Graham 519; T. Graham 396; C. Jenkinson 602; J. Wills 632; Handicap 230—3246.

C.N.R. 0 points: Kiser 561; Mooth 504; Bailey 551; Hardwick 567; Jackson 561; Handicap 159—3006.

Bell Cleaners 2 points: A. Cruik 546; W. Lee 558; J. Whaley 462; E. Colebourne 516; G. Anderson 603; Handicap 180—3004.

Kinsmen 1 point: W. Berry 563; A. MacMullen 580; B. Dennis 613; S. Saunders 630; A. Holway 518; Handicap 114—3015.

The Bowlers 0 points: W. Price 534; O. Pauley 469; W. McLaughlin 554; Handicap 246—2803.

C. Argue 150; Handicap 267—2771.

Belleville Golf 4 points: J. Kirkwood 573; R. Bell 586; P. Drumm 666; E. Barlow 600; J. Legault 618; Handicap 99—3324.

West Huntingdon

West Huntingdon — The regular monthly meeting of the Endeavors Sunday School Class was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Elliott with a good attendance. Those assisting in the worship service were Mr. Wm. Bray, offering prayer; Mr. Kenneth Stewart, conducting the reading of the scripture lesson.

Mrs. William Shaw of Ivanhoe, was the special speaker for the evening and she brought a helpful message, choosing as her subject "Christ Us Servants."

Mrs. Gardiner Welsh and Mrs. Milton Shaw contributed a duet. Readings were given by Miss Marion Hammond and Mrs. Sandy McCurdy. Miss Mary Elliott gave a solo. Mr. Sandy McCurdy voiced the appreciation of the class to the visiting members who assisted in the program.

Mr. Clifford Green conducted a Bible quiz for the roll call.

Following the business period and benediction Mrs. Elliott served refreshments. Mrs. Melville Dunnett and Mrs. Clifford Green prepared the program.

Kenneth Thompson and Bride Are Honored.

Friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clay on Tuesday evening in honor of their daughter, Norma, and her husband, P.A. Kenneth Thompson, on their recent marriage.

Mr. Alger Post was chairman for the evening's entertainment which consisted of community singing, guitar selections by Mr. Harold Wright, readings by Miss Marion Kellar and Miss Della McMaster.

Miss Helen Kerby read the address and Mr. Maxwell Sills presented the newlyweds with a purse of money. Both Norma and Verna replied and appreciated very much the kindness of their many friends.

Mrs. Joyce Parker, Mrs. John Wallace opened her home on Friday afternoon for the meeting of the Women's Day of Prayer when members of the Rev. Mr. Bridge's charge, Ardtrea and West Huntingdon met and observed the Day of Prayer for the day. Mrs. (Rev.) Wager and Mrs. Bridge each gave addresses on the theme "Prayer."

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cosby and son, of Bonarlaw, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Perry.

Mrs. Sandy McCurdy spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee of Belleville.

Mrs. Melville Dunnett spent the weekend with her sister, Miss Edith Moorcroft, nurse-in-training at Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Donnan and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bunk, Hungerford Corners.

Mrs. Richard Haggerty is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Ken Day of Stirling.

Friends were shocked to hear of the sudden passing of Mr. Floyd Sheffield of Zion, Mrs. Sheffield and children have the sympathy of many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parney, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parney attended the Rockrick-Stubbs wedding at Belleville on Wednesday.

Mr. Skinnath was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wannamaker for dinner at Eggleton on Friday evening.

Mrs. Aaron Ashley has returned home after spending two weeks with her brother and his wife Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood of Ivanhoe.

Mrs. Hester Lee and Miss Lorna Keene were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood of Stirling.

Mrs. Kenneth Thompson of Moira was the guest this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Elliott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McCurdy, Mr. Kenneth Stewart were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Elliott on Monday evening.

Mrs. R. T. Earles and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Earles were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Earles of Ridge Road.

Mr. John McCurdy or Belleville was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McCurdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson of Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Keating his buildings wired for Hydro power this week. Mr. Harold Wilson is the contractor.

Mrs. Foster Wilson spent a couple of days in Belleville last week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Haggerty, Jean and Jack, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Hook of Shannonville.

Mrs. Phillip Clary and Elvin were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Brummell of Norwood.

ISSUE STATEMENT

Toronto, Feb. 23. (CP) — Toronto Real Estate Board in a statement yesterday declared the housing shortage in greater Toronto is not great enough to justify the emergency shelter administrator's order requiring residents to obtain an authorization to find new quarters and preventing outsiders from renting shelter without authorization.

STATE OF EMERGENCY

Stockholm, Feb. 22 — (CP)—The German military has declared a state of emergency in all Denmark with a curfew from 8 p. m. to 5 a.m. daily, the Free Danish Press service reported yesterday.



AT THE BELLE — Gil Lamb and Eddie Bracken spot an island in Paramount's Technicolor musical, "Rainbow Island," featuring Dorothy Lamour and Barry Sullivan, coming this weekend.



AT THE CAPITOL — A "bad man" (Charles King) attempts to convince Man Holliday that she should doubt the sincerity of Johnny Mack Brown, undercover U.S. marshal in "Land of the Outlaws," Your Own Bed," starring Jack Carson.

Canadians Prominent In Invasion Book

By FRANK LOWE
(Canadian Press Staff Writer.)

London, Feb. 27 (CP)—It's like reading about the people in your home town, this reading Gordon Holman's "Stand By To Beach," because you meet so many familiar names.

A straight-forward account of the part-by-part played in the invasion of Normandy, the book was created when Holman, naval correspondent for the London Evening Standard, was attached to the United British and Canadian force which stormed the beaches of France and every chapter contains the name of a Canadian unit which saw service.

Part is an attempt at fine writing in this chronicle and no tricks are used to build up interest. It starts at the beginning of the invasion operation and carries through to the day when Prime Minister Churchill announced that "all this and more" had been part of a feat of organization and efficiency which would excite the wonder and deserve the admiration of military students.

It is when the invasion gets going that the "old home week" atmosphere sets in.

Shooting across the pages are the big Canadian destroyers Haida and Huron; Holman tells of their deeds briefly and impartially as he tells of those performed by British and United States craft. Beside the writer's ship, H.M.S. Hilary, which was the Canadian Army Headquarters ship, is H.M.C.S. Prince David, and in this connection the professional reporter tells of some amateur reporters.

"The David Prince"

Aboard the Canadian landing ship an invasion paper called "The David Prince" was put out and Holman says that the eye-witness account appearing in that paper were better than those appearing in many of the regular papers' towns.

ashore.

"At the invasion crew office, became a fact-rather than a hope, more and more casualties appear in the book. There is the navigating officer, F. pilot who, in an emergency, took over command for H.M.S. Ramilles and confused the English gunnery officer with his "Damned close but a bit short.... pitch 'em a little higher....that's it, got them." And there are the gallant Canadian minesweepers at work, the Fort Erie, Fort Cape, Harold Grant of Halifax slammed the big gun on H.M.S. Enterprise against the port of Cherbourg.

Ashore, Holman tells of the Canadian fight — where Gen. Charles de Gaulle first touched French soil — and four years of exile a rifle was stuck in the ground and on the wood were scratched the words, "Here lies a Canadian soldier."

That is the story—a chronicle of war that is dull in spots because it is so interlaced with technical data; how many men landing craft carry, how they operate, the part in the invasion and the like.

WANTS HIGHER SUBSIDY

Toronto, Feb. 26 (CP)—Harry J. Scott, president of the Ontario Cooperative Milk Producers, in an address to the annual convention of the convention in conjunction with the Ontario Whole Milk Producers Association, Wednesday demanded a higher subsidy to milk producers and an end of rationing of milk products.

CIVIL USE FOR "DUCKS"

London (CP)—Shipping interests are considering the possibility that the many amphibious "ducks" used by the army—might unload ships in London port after the war and the converted landing-craft might provide water transport service to riverside and coastal towns.

Superfortresses Reconnoitre Japan

San Francisco, Feb. 23 (AP) — American Superfortresses reconnoitered five major cities of Japan and more than half the western coast of Korea, Tokyo radio reported in broadcasts intercepted by the Federal communications commission.

Tokyo said no bombs were dropped in the pilotless scouting industrial areas in daylight over Tokyo, Yokohama, Nagoya, Osaka and Kobe.

The Japanese Domei agency said an American fleet unit was shelled Paramushiro island in the northern Kuriles Sunday Monday night.

BOLIVIA'S AREA

Bolivia, third largest South American republic, has an area of more than 510,000 square miles.

Seaman Claims 34 Russian-Bound Ships Sunk When Escort Ships Left

New York, Feb. 23. (AP)—A merchant seaman repatriated on the Swedish liner Gripsholm asserted today that British escort ships abandoned a Murmansk-bound convoy in the North Atlantic in July, 1942, and that the crews made "thrilling pickings" of the 36 merchant vessels.

The seaman, Walter Stankievicz, 36, of Baltimore, said he had been on the freighter Carlton, which Berlin and Vichy identified at the time as the last of 36 ships Berlin claimed were sunk in the convoy.

Stankievicz put the number of ships sunk at 34, including the 8,197-ton Carlton.

United States and British Navy Public Relations officers in New York and Washington offered no objection to publication of his story but said they could not vouch for its authenticity.

Stankievicz said the convoy was attacked a few days before July 4 by submarines, on July 4 by 24 torpedo bombers and again on July 5 by submarines.

Just before the first attack, he said, the British Admiral in charge of some 14 destroyers, six corvettes, four heavy cruisers and several small vessels ordered the convoy to leave the convoy, telling the merchant ships they would have to make their own way to port.

Stankievicz said he understood the British ships left to engage in battle with German warships and that the battleships Scharnhorst and the Gneisenau lured them away.

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By KATHLEEN NORRIS

Chapter 1

That's the child—that's Cherry, Sister Seraphine said in her serene voice. Her hands were crossed and hidden within her wide sleeves, but a motion of her caped and colled head indicated a certain girl among the milling masses; and the man who was her companion looked at the girl intently.

The tableaux and the play was over, but many of the girls still wore their make-up and a theatrical excitement possessed the hall. crowded hall. It was not a large hall; just now it was filled with spectators, nuns, and performers mixed indiscriminately.

Bright lights flooded auditorium and stage; groups formed and reformed. The man watched the girl he had identified for a few minutes and thought that she was a vital young creature, anyway; she was not a bed-looking young creature, anyway; she seemed pretty enough, anyway. Obviously she was the centre of everything that went on.

As the daughter of an Indian chief she had taken the leading part in the play that had concluded the program, and had appeared also in more than one of the tableaux that preceded it. The man Marshbanks saw her questioned, kissed and congratulated; saw her drop her proudly feathered head more than once in a deprecating fashion, as if she were embarrassed by praise.

After some fifteen minutes of this post-performance bedlam when some of the audience were already drifting away a nun drew her quietly aside. The girl's laughing expression changed, as she glanced in his direction. She joined him immediately.

"Cherry, this is Judge Marshbanks," said Sister Seraphine, when the judge watched her dark eyes brighten suddenly, and felt the touch of her warm, young, quickly extended hand.

All she said was a somewhat shy how-do-you-do, but her look added what she did not say: "I know you name! I know something about you."

"Well, so you led the pioneers out of danger!" Judson Marshbanks asked amiably. Color showed under her Indian brown and he thought with satisfaction that she was a handsome, glowing sort of girl who need not be afraid too much trouble getting along. Eyes with fine eyes and a nice smile on painted lips, and with a fine young body to which the brown-fringed skin and beaded feathered her costume were infinitely becoming.

"It was a silly sort of play," the girl said quickly. He remembered that she had written it, and smiled.

Cherry over here and sit down, Cherry; I want to talk to you a minute," he said. "I'll not keep you long. I'm joining a friend in Chicago flying his plane down to San Francisco tonight."

Cherry looked dazed with excitement and surprise. A man coming to see her who had not averaged a caller a year in all her twenty years, and coming just now, when she was still flushed and breathless from the evening's thrills, created a situation that silenced her. She sank down, and looked at her companion expectantly and was quiet, speechless.

"I thought it was a very good play," said the judge. "I understand that you wrote it? It was sort of allegory—pageant kind of it?"

"Well, they all have to be pageants, because of having to get all the girls in," Cherry answered in a shy voice. But her dark blue eyes, very hot dry, and they shone with curiosity and friendliness, and eagerness as for companion. Pres's eyes, she thought, how like him she was?

"Oh, you have to get all the girls in!" he asked aloud.

"Oh, yes. Last Hallowe'en we had only fifteen girls, so that wasn't so hard. I could have used more! But now we have twenty-four girls from the house in Victor Street that burned down!"

"I see. And do you always write the plays?"

"Well, usually. Yes, I guess always."

"And who wrote the song?"

"That Madeleine sang? Didn't she sing that beautifully? Sister Claude," Cherry went on, suddenly warming to confidence, "went to opera once. You know, real opera."

"I didn't think Sisters did."

"Oh, but this was before she entered the order!" the girl reassured him. And for the first time they heard his resonant joyous laugh.

"You wrote the words to the song, too?"

"Oh, well yes," Cherry said carelessly. "And she said—Sister Claude did, that Madeleine sang like the prima donnas she said so, really! Not soprano, of course, but—"

"You acted the leading part, too," he said.

"Yes, I had to! Miriam Pontrr was ill, and so she had to go home. We thought she'd be here in time for Christmas, but her mother sent for her. So I took her part."

Some of the girls here have mothers then, Cherry?" His tone had changed. It no longer seemed to a casual note of something like pity and tenderness, and he saw her flush brightly again as she faced him, realizing perhaps with a little fear that they reached their real affairs now.

"Yes; some have," she said almost inaudibly.

"And you know that you lost yours when you were very much younger, dear?"

"Father," she said unsteadily, "I remember her, and living in the convent."

"You came here at seven. Thirteen years," he said. "Have you been unhappy years, have they been happy years? They've been—heavenly years!" she said loyally, after a moment. "But, of course—of course they've wondered sometimes of my own—"

Her head went suddenly down on the table, she covered her face with her hands. The judge cleared his throat.

"Of course you have, of course you have. You had a little thinking. It was an immense relief to him to see that she really had self-control that she could straighten up, and wipe her eyes and smile at him, not on the handkerchief that he offered her, and even laugh a little to see how crumpled and orange-that she streaked it.

"I'm very sorry, she said composedly in the voice and manner of a much older woman. "I don't cry much. I don't know what started me. We've been decorating and rehearsing and everyone I'm tired. But of course, they haven't been thinking much," she said sensibly. "I've loved the Sisters, and they've all liked me—at least I think they have..."

Sister Seraphine said that you were the most influential girl in the school," the man put in.

"Oh, that couldn't have been Sister Seraphine; she never praises anyone!" Cherry smiled, with wet eyes.

"It was, though. She said they would be sorry to lose you, Sorrier than ever losing almost any other girl."

"Did she say that?" Cherry had pushed off her headdress now and he saw that her hair was a warm tawny mixture of tan and brown. The significance of his last phrase came to her suddenly. "Sorry to lose me? she said, with a new note in her face. "You mean I'm going home?"

"You're twenty, aren't you? Isn't that long ago when girls are launched from Sister Seraphine's care, but—yes, but—" she whispered desperately.

"Don't you want to? Don't you want to look at something besides those four walls?" the judge questioned.

"Why, yes; the others have. But I never thought of it as my turn!" she got out. "I've always been out, you know," she reminded him. "In the city, I mean. I taught the last three terms at the kindergarten. We have our Sisters have a free kindergarten in the poorer part of the city, and if you take the kindergarten course you practice there, and then we go every summer to the summer place. We have a boat there, and woodcraft and wienie roasts. People sort of pity us because the building's are so old, and we haven't much garden since they built the north wing, but—but we're all so happy, actually," but we're all so busy that we don't mind a little soot."

Her own face was streaked with soot as she spoke, her eyebrows had smiled and her cheeks were pale. But she was giving no thought, he perceived, to her appearance; she was absorbed in the stunning news of the approaching change in her life.

"Would it be to go to San Francisco?" she asked eagerly, like a child.

"I don't suppose you would rather take it somewhere else?" he asked in return. "What I had to propose was a secretarial position in San Francisco."

"A secretarial position?" she asked flatteringly. "I don't think I could take a position. That is except in a kindergarten! I can type well enough, and I'm getting better at stenography, and I speak a little French and some Spanish. We have two sisters here from Belgium and two from Madrid. But would that be enough?"

"Plenty at first, Leier, if you wanted to study anything specifical-ly," the judge said, "anything like —well, library work or nursing or going on with kindergarten work, we could find out what the requirements are, and I don't think you'd have any trouble."

"But—her pale, tear-streaked and paint-streaked face reddened suddenly, "But have I any money?" she asked haughtily. And then, with a little trembling return to emotion, "You see, I don't know much about myself. I know my mother's dead, and I suppose my father. And some of the girls here have told me about themselves, and I've thought—I've suspected, that that was true of me, too—I mean that perhaps I haven't any right to my father's name, perhaps you could tell me that?"

Her heart fluttered, but she held it as firm as she could, and looked straight into his eyes.

"I can't tell you very much, Cherry," said the judge, with a straightforwardness as simple as her own, and with a great ache at his heart for the child. We had in our family for many years a fine housekeeper named Emma. She was a trained nurse, took care of my self and me, when we were boys, and afterward of my father. She was a silent creature, but very capable and reliable. Some years ago—well, perhaps almost twenty—Emma brought her baby here with a Mrs. Rawlings who was ill."

He looked at Cherry, with a brightening face. "I remember her! She took care of my mother and me."

"Yes; that same Emma. After your mother's death quite a sum of money was left for you. Emma came to me about it. You were to be sent here she said. Well, you were sent here! Your own mother chose the place."

"She would know about my mo-ther?" the girl said, "she could tell me."

"She couldn't tell you. She has another position now, house-keeper to a very lovely old lady. I don't see Emma often. But during these thirteen years, when you've been—you were ill once, weren't you?" the judge broke off to say, speaking quickly, as even if the subject presented no difficulties, and nothing with the question.

"I had scarlet fever and then broke my leg falling out of a tree" Cherry answered.

"Well, about things like that she would consult me. Your mother made me your joint guardian with Emma."

"Guardian for what?" the girl asked quickly.

"A sum of money for all your expenses, for your education."

But Emma, the girl said quickly, and proudly, "wasn't paying for me? She was only my mother's nurse!"

"It had been left with her for you, dear, to be held in my hands. Through Emma that account was handled, and I, all those years. And even now I know there is enough left to help you into any profession you choose."

Cherry considered this, bright-eyed and thoughtful.

"Emma got in touch with me ten days ago," she said, "to remind me that you would be twenty-one. She took me the one to get you this position."

"You didn't know my mother?" the girl asked with a steady look.

"I never saw her."

"Emma never said anything of my father?"

"I know that he is dead."

"I think," Cherry said, "I've always thought that I was an unwanted baby, and that I caused my mother great trouble, and that Emma was a friend who came to stand by her at the end."

"Your mother didn't think that your mother had been widowed," he said. "She was happy in having you as any other mother."

Cherry's face lighted suddenly and doubtfully. "I want that way. I was only seven, but I knew that something was wrong. Nothing was left for me, no pictures of father, no letters, no names. This school, you know, isn't just an orphanage. We know we aren't either. Other girls here has some strange history—no letters, no photographs, no holidays, no presents and surprises. They tell about what they make our own happiness when we go out into life, and try to be as busy and content and useful as we can. I've never been to any other school," she finished, "but they're not like this. We girls of course we talk to one another, and I'm sure I'm one of the girls who I knew—I wish I knew something about myself!"

"No; this isn't a regular school," he conceded. "But according to Emma it was the best thing to do. And you seem to have flourished," he added with a smile, "you've gone along here more as if it were home."

"With a capital letter!" she put in, as he paused.

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"Not so—oh, yes, all right," she conceded, not interested. An inexpatient jerk of her head took him back to the point where he had interrupted himself.

"And are you taught good professions," he finished.

"Dressmaking, beauty - parlor work, stenography, bookkeeping," she supplied. "But," she added, "those aren't what they teach girls in other schools. But that's all right, that's all right!" Cherry said, in a tone that apologized for her unreason. "I didn't mean — really I didn't—to complain about it. It's only that it gives you—it gives you a strange feeling not to know anything about yourself. But that won't keep me from trying terribly hard to make good. And some-thing about a position? What am I to do?"

"You are not to do anything until you finish school," the judge said, "so," he said, his graying hair and his fifty years making it possible for him to use a father's kindly tone, "But for the time being it is a secretarial position with the same old lady—a very rich old woman named Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Porteous Porter, for whom Emma works. Answering the telephone, and correspondence, and reading—that sort of thing."

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CBL—News. Farm Market.
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—6.46 p.m.
CFRB—Wes McKnight, Sportview.
—6.45 p.m.
CBC—BBC News From London.
WBEN—Lowell Thomas.
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WGR-B—Ed. Sullivan Show.
—7.15 p.m.
CFRB—Musical Review.
WBEN, WGN-N—Vandercook news.
—7.30 p.m.
CFRB—Name It.
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WGR-Blue—Stars of the Future.
—8.30 p.m.
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CBL-NBC—Waltz Time.
CKEY-Blue—Famous Jury Trials.
WKBW-C—It Pays to be Ignorant.
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CFRB-CBS—That Brewster Boy.
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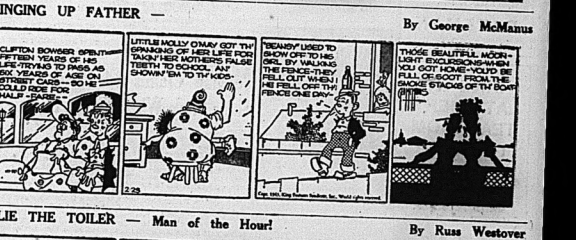


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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE of ANNIE MARIA E. HOLMES, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, Widow, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 56, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Annie Maria Holmes, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, who died on or about the 12th day of March, 1945, are required to forward their claims, duly proved, to the undersigned on or before the 31th. day of March, 1945.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have notice.

DATED at Belleville, Ontario, this 8th day of February, A.D. 1945.

EDWARD P. POLLWEX,
Barrister, Etc.,
Belleville, Ontario.
Solicitor for the Executors
F9,16,23

AUCTION SALE

Farm stock, crop, implements, lumber and household effects, 1½ miles south of Belleville village near Marysville church, on Highway No. 2, Wednesday, February 28 at 12 o'clock sharp. 7 horses, all young; 27 choice Holstein cows, 3 to 6 years old; 9 heifers in freshening season; 4 Holstein heifers, 2 years old; 2 bred sows; 100 year-ling hens; 4 geese; 2 ganders; 6 ducks; 2 drakes; 3 turkeys; 1 gobbler. Many good; full line farm machinery, including, 2 grain discs, M.H. binder, 7' cut; 16,000 feet of pine, hemlock and spruce lumber; 13,000 cedar posts; 80 tons hay; 200 bus. oats; all household effects and other articles. Terms cash. Come early as this sale will have to start on time. Frank and Lorne Weeks, proprietors.

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Auctioneer.
Tainworth. Phone 2r1-2. F22-2t

AUCTION SALE

1.00 p.m., Wednesday, March 7th, at 101 Bridge Street west, Belleville, Mrs. Harold Harder owner, (sale will be held in the house). Very choice furniture, consisting of new and used; chesterfield suite, upholstered with cover; 4 hole Preddent range with electric zunar; electric heater; complete breakfast suite; large quantity of canned fruit; 3-piece chesterfield suite; antique occasional upholstered chairs; mantel clock; several reading lamps; centre table; smoking cabinet; chesterfield; bed; springs and Marshall mattresses; chairs and stands; bathroom cabinet and dressers; ice box; coal stustic stove; chest of drawers; verapdah mat; set; folding chairs; folding tables and garden tools; lawn mower; screens; marble top table; Quaker heater; linoleum; magazine rack; telephone table; congoleum rugs; 1 ball rug; beds; and Marshall mattresses; chairs and stands; bathroom cabinet and dressers; ice box; coal;

HITLER GANG WILL BE HUNTED DOWN AND TRIED



Germany's war lords will be hunted down and brought to justice. Many of them have retreats near Hitler's Berchtesgaden fortress.

Queensboro

Queensboro—The funeral of the late Mr. Patrick Sexsmith of Actonville was held at St. Henry's Church, Queensboro, on Saturday morning. The deceased who was in his eighty-first year passed away at his home on Thursday after a short illness.

Mrs. Murray Rollins of Roseburn, Manitoba, spent a few days during the past week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Rollins.

Sgt. R. Lapalm is spending a month's leave at his home. Sgt. Lapalm who came from Italy has been overseas for the past five years and his many friends here are pleased to see him again.

Mr. R. Sager, Miss Bernice Sager, Mr. Bruce Leslie and Mrs. Thos. Leslie, spent last Saturday in Belleville.

Mrs. Peter Conryea of Tweed, has been visiting her son, Mr. Stafford Conryea.

Mrs. Fred Rollins, Mrs. Murray Rollins and Mrs. Ernest Rollins spent Friday evening with Mrs. Hazel Thompson, Belleville.

Mrs. Charles Thompson and Miss Hazel Thompson, Belleville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson.

Gnr. Roy Gordon and Mrs. Gordon, of the East Coast, who were recently married are spending some time with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon.

Rev. W. W. Patterson spent the past week in Belleville General Hospital, recovering from an operation for appendicitis on Wednesday last.

Mr. Alan Thompson spent Sunday in Picton. Mrs. Thompson returned with him after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, Hallowby.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rollins, Mr. Fred Rollins and Mrs. Murray Rollins, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sager.

Mrs. W. W. Patterson spent Tuesday in Belleville visiting Rev. W. W. Patterson in the General Hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and family, Mrs. Charles Thompson and Miss Hazel Thompson, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Anderson and family, Pineview, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rollins.

Mr. Tom Derry is spending a few days at Gilmour, owing to his father's illness. All wish him speedy recovery.

A number from here spent Saturday evening in Marmora.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blakely and Lillian, Alec Mr. and Mrs. James Bateman, of Eldorado, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly and little son, Gerry, spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Fox.

Master Gerald Fox spent Saturday evening and Sunday in Marmora.

Mr. and Mrs. Chambers and Lorne, Hilton, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ford Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Long and Mrs. H. Perry spent one evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. Dan McGrimgon and Mrs. Trotter.

Mrs. Walter Lowery, Stella, Myrtle and Donna called on Mrs. George McCrimmon one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dafoe, Bessie, Doris and Jean, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. M. Wesse.

Rawdon

Rawdon.— Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Bailey and Marilyn, were recent guests of Mrs. Minnie MacMullen.

Mrs. Edgar McKeown represented Bethel, at the World's Day of Prayer" in the Anglican Church, Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sine recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen.

A heavy electric storm passed over this district Thursday evening and folks predict this is a first runner of more cold weather.

Born—At Trenton, on Saturday, February 17th., to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hubbs, Mount Pleasant, Rawdon Township, the gift of a daughter, a sister for Fern and Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Brooks, Sgt. and Mrs. Harry Brooks and Master of Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Andrews.

Mrs. Emma Shaw and Mrs. Ellen Sharp are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. James Sharp at Hoard's.

Mrs. Sid Demorest was a weekend guest of Gilbert and Mrs. Neil Sine.

Mrs. Forde Stapley, Madoc Junction, spent a few days last week with her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers.

Play at Rawdon Town Hall.

The Red Cross presented a play entitled "Here Comes Charlie", by White of the Intermediate Red Cross Principal Hall on Monday evening, under the auspices of that body and around forty dollars were realized at the door. The whole community was well represented.

Rev. Oscar Wagar introduced the caste as follows:—

Norah Malone, the cook—Colleen Haggerty.

Officer Magill—Ernest Wood.

Mrs. Parnham—Mrs. Cecil Wood

Larry Elliott—Alvin Holland.

Larry's College Pal—Burton Holland.

Mrs. Smyth Piercy—Mrs. Ernest Holland.

Vivian Smyth Piercy — Vivian Wood.

Mortimer Smyth Piercy—Ray-mond Downey.

Uncle Alec—Ernest Holland.

Miss Charlotte Hobbs — Mrs. Cameron Mullen.

Act at one was in two scenes and took place in the living room of the Elliott home.

The time was late Summer.

The last act portrayed a scene eleven months later when everything ended happily for all concerned.

The play was well received and was filled with humor, pathos and a good moral.

Mrs. Harold Elliott contributed piano selections between acts and Mrs. Don Heath sang "Keep the Home Fires Burning".

Latta

Latta — Mrs. W. Elliott visited her mother, Mrs. Walter Hall and aunt Mrs. Shane on Thursday at Napanee.

Mr. Harry McCreary motored to Kingston on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilder and David Stanley Wilder are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Wennamaker and family at Centreville.

Mr. Gerald Meeks and Mr. Douglas Meeks spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Meeks and family.

The roads are again passable and banks mop than 10 feet high exist between the 7th and 8th of Thurlow from Plainfield corner past Mr. Ostwaite's and Mr. Jas. Cook's.

Mrs. Frank Parks returned home on Friday after spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Wood.

Mrs. E. Denyes and Mrs. Parks called on Mrs. W. Hamilton and Mrs. R. Wilder on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Jas. McCreary, Mr. and Mrs. John Rollins and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rollins and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Rollins and family.

Mrs. E. Denyes and Mrs. O. Parks called on Mrs. W. Elliott on Monday afternoon.

There was Sunday School and Church on Sunday morning, wood being furnished by the parson.

Mr. Douglas Meeks is wearing the King's uniform.

Mrs. M. Wilder opened her home on Tuesday to a dinner and quilting for the war work.

People in this community were shocked to hear of the death of Mr. Floyd Shuttleid who met with an accident in the barn on his farm on Sunday evening.

The World's Day of Prayer was held at Mrs. N. Wilder's on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Erle Denyes spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Sills, Foxboro.

The supper for the Women's Institute was held on Thursday evening in the Orange Hall.

The W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Norman Hall on Wednesday afternoon.

Schoharie

Schoharie. —Mr. and Mrs. Will McGee were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Burford of Picton, on Thursday evening.

Mr. Arthur Baxter R.C.O.C. and Mrs. Baxter left for their home in Montreal on Friday.

Mrs. Walter Taylor and Joan spent the weekend in Picton with Mrs. Margaret Christensen.

Mrs. Norman Lewitt entertained a delightful party on Friday in honor of the birthday of her young daughter Anne. Mrs. Walter Taylor assisted the hostess in serving.

Pte. Dawson Hennessey of Newmarket spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Hennessey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster visited the former's brother, Mr. Herb Foster, who is ill at the home of Miss Mabel Foster Reg. N., Belleville on Monday. Friends join in wishing he may soon be restored to his usual good health.

Mrs. Douglas Taylor and Lynds spent a couple of days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McConnell of Picton, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Carman Hobson.

Eldorado

Eldorado.—The Eldorado and Redneckburn Women's Institute met for their February meeting at the home of Mrs. Chas. D. McCann. The president opened the meeting with the Ode and Creed and a hymn with Mrs. Bert McCarey at the organ. The scripture was well responded too. There were two letters read from local boys overseas, who had received parcels at Christmas; Mrs. Jas. Palmer volunteered to knit a sweater for Mrs. Ross Palmer, who is at present at Camp Borden. Mrs. Ira Bird had to buy underwear for some children, which is a big item. There was a discussion on how to improve the appearance of the farm. It was also decided to send a bale of quilts and clothing to the Russian Relief Fund.

Mrs. Harry Blakely gave a splendid talk on the motto.

Mrs. Kenneth Bateman then sang "Somebody Cares" with organ accompaniment by Mrs. Bert McCarey. Roll call was answered by "What peace means to me". Reading was given by Mrs. Bert McCarey gave the current events. Papers were given on Reconstruction and Neighborliness. Mrs. Wm. Chambers gave a reading. A quilt was then put up and Mrs. Bateman was much enjoyed by all. Mrs. Murray Bird is the convener of the Lord's Prayer in unison. Remarkets were sold by the hostesses and assistants and a social hour was enjoyed by all before leaving for their several homes by horses and sleigh.

The Happy War Workers held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Jas. Bateman on Thursday evening. A fair attendance. Two quilts were quilted.

Mrs. J. Bird of Belleville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. McCann.

A number from here attended the hockey match held in Madoc, on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Clarence Vancleek and children of Plum Hollow County, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Auburn and Mrs. Gerald Blackburn.

Mrs. Bert McCoy spent Thursday with Mrs. Jas. McCann.

Mrs. Robt. Blakely was the tea hour guest of Mrs. Lorne Carman, on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCann and Clayton, Mrs. Clayton Blackburn and Harley, also Mrs. Paget, spent Saturday with Mrs. Ernest Peterboro. Mrs. Chas. Carman spent the past week with her sister Mrs. Ernest Peterboro

Probabilities
Lower Lake Region: Partly cloudy today and Sunday with scattered snowflurries and not much change in temperature.

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BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1945

Temperatures
Max. Min.
Today ..... 31 | 23
One Year Ago ..... 31 | 22
Weather: Clearing, somewhat colder.

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19 MILES FROM COLOGNE

Konev Increases Pressure on Breslau

Russians Break Through Southern Defences of City

23,000 Germans Captured When Poznan Is Taken

London, Feb. 24. (AP)—Russian troops cleared supply lines for their frontal assault are on Berlin today by wiping out the last German resistance in long encircled Poznan and Gniezden.

Simultaneously the Russians stepped up pressure on besieged Breslau in an effort to reduce that German Silesian stronghold and free additional Soviet units for Marshal Ivan S. Konev's flanking drive on Berlin from the southeast.

(The Paris radio, not always reliable, said today the Germans had evacuated the besieged East Prussian capital of Koenigsberg, abandoning the civilian population "to its fate", that Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's 1st White Russian troops had crossed the Oder river in force. Last German reports insisted Koenigsberg still was in their hands despite a Russian breach just south of the city.)

44,000 Killed, Captured

Poznan (Posen), German stronghold in Western Poland which was by-passed by Marshal G. K. Zhukov's 2nd White Russian Army in its drive to the Oder river, fell yesterday after a month's siege. The Germans lost 44,000 killed or captured.

Further north, the German garrison in Arnswalde, a smaller fortress which formidably dominates the main highway through Pomerania toward Stettin, also fell. Arnswalde is a seven-way road junction 28 miles northeast of Stettin, Baltic port for Berlin. It had been encircled since Feb. 11.

Moscow announced that a total of 23,000 Germans, including the commander of his garrison, were captured at Poznan and 25,000 were killed. Soviet booty included hundreds of planes, guns and freight cars.

In capturing the city, Soviet tank and infantry troops blasted their way through six huge underground forts.

An official Russian war communique said Soviet units, after three fighting broke through the southern defences of Breslau, captured the populous town and a motor car works and cleared the Germans from the southern park area.

The great industrial Oder river city of 630,000 bristles with fortifications, but Moscow said Marshal Konev's assault groups were pressing the Germans "from one block house after another."

Berlin said other units of Marshal Konev's forces had broken into Guben and Forst, 70 and 77 miles south-east of Berlin in the Neisse River area where the Russians have laid down terrific artillery barrages in the last few days, suggesting the imminence of a new push off for the German capital.

The German accounts said the Russians had crossed the Neisse River, establishing bridgeheads less than 10 miles from the Spree, last main

City and District News

FLT. LIEUT. FLOYD TO TAKE SERVICES

Owing to the inability of Rev. A. Beauchamp Payne to take his regular Sunday services at St. Thomas' Church as result of injuries sustained in his motor accident Thursday morning on the 5th, both morning and evening services at St. Thomas' Church will be conducted by Flight Lieut. Floyd, padre at Trenton Air Station. Rain or snow or high winds will not stop Flt. Lieut. Floyd, padre at Trenton Air Station. Rain or snow or high winds will not stop Mr. Payne's plan to be present. Notice made in this to be announced in the morning and evening services.

Although still a patient at the hospital Mr. Payne's condition is favorable.

EMERSON COACH LINES PURCHASE NEW BUS

Highway communication between Belleville and Tweed will show marked improvement with the replacing into service by the Emerson Coach Lines of a new bus of modern bus. The bus line is operated by Mr. Harold Emerson.

Modern in detail the bus recently placed into service between the two centres is one of 25-passenger capacity. The body is painted in a smart red shade with cream gold lining, and is equipped with luggage racks and compartment at the rear. It is a Superior body built on a Dodge chassis. It is understood Mr. Emerson will retain the bus he has been in service over this route for many years and will sell the small vehicle which formerly had been used on rush nights.

JEWELRY BURGLARS ACTIVE IN PICTON

Burglars entered the home of Mrs. Thomas Waring, Picton, and stole jewelry valued at approximately two hundred dollars from where articles had been carefully placed by the thieves. The Waring home was entered during the absence of the family and a diamond ring, a gold ring, a gold locket and brooch, as well as other jewelry of lesser value were reported missing.

SNEAK THIEVES STEAL MILK, MONEY

Complaints that sneak thieves have been pilfering money left in the bottles for collection were being investigated by city police today. The reports came from the Avondale district area where several families reported the incident. The trouble, it was believed to be the work of juveniles who rise early and steal the money from the bottles before the deliveryman arrive.

R.C.A.F. OFFICIALS EXPRESS APPRECIATION OF COURTESIES SHOWN

Royal Canadian Air Force officials today expressed their appreciation of courtesies shown the air force personnel by Belleville Armoury officials last Saturday night when the airmen, all stationed at Trenton, were driven from the air station to their homes.

The stranded personnel had to take "pot luck" insofar as accommodation was concerned but were made as comfortable as possible under the circumstances.

The W.D.'s were taken to the sergeants' mess where they slept on chairs, while other personnel spent the night in orderly rooms and lecture rooms. It was "solid comfort, but appreciated by the young men and women who were unable to return to their own quarters.

CONDITION OF C. DOLAN SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

Slight improvement is reported in the condition of Mr. Charles Dolan, who has been confined to his home in Consecon for the past week. At Consecon's Hospital, Toronto, for the past two weeks. A patient was Ronald Dolan, is in attendance and Mrs. Dolan is also at the bedside of her husband.

SIX TONS PAPER SALVAGE COLLECTED IN EAST BELLEVILLE

Slightly over six tons of paper were donated to the City Salvage Committee by residents of the East Hill in the paper pick-up by boy workers, Salvage Chairman Alderman Clarence Clapp announced yesterday. The district covered, however, included the business sec-

It Pays to Shop At the Rexall Store.

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New Floors Sanded and Finished Old Floors Resurfaced and Made Like New

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Two Barn Roofs In Roblin Area Collapsed by Snow

Heavy weight of snow on barn roofs in the Roblin area has caused two such buildings to collapse with total destruction. Damage, it is reported from that section, is light as both collapsed were owned by Mr. Donald Vance.

Mr. Vance had just completed his evening's chores last Saturday night and had gone to the house, when he was startled by the crashing of breaking lumber and beams. Rushing to the barn the roof of it had been had collapsed. Doors to the cattle barn were blocked and a number of the cattle were not released until Monday evening.

The roof on Mr. Welz's barn collapsed late the same night, but the stock, though, badly frightened were not trapped as the haymow over the stable floor was new and formed in both instances and the debris cleared away.

Each Urban, Rural School To Be Given Royal Oak Tree

Each of the rural schools and public schools in the urban centres of the Bay of Quinte district shortly will be presented with a Royal Oak tree to commemorate the signing of peace by Great Britain, it was announced today by Lorne Greene, national secretary of the Belleville Y.M.C.A. on Friday evening.

Mr. Greene was speaking at the local horticultural society at the Memorial Centre Recreation hall in 1937 but have remained in the nursery since. Members of the Board of Education, Mr. J. E. Macklem, public school inspector for the South Hastings district were in attendance at the meeting with the latter accepting the trees on behalf of the rural public school boards.

Mr. A. R. Symons was re-elected president of the society for another term, he being the unanimous choice for the position. Mr. David Parrell was chosen as chairman of the planting committee. The treasurer's report showed the current balance of approximately $60.

Activities of the past year were reviewed particularly their program of getting out flowers at the many points of interest in the city. The local organization was also responsible during the past year in assisting to re-organize the horticultural society at Batawa. Programs for the ensuing year were also discussed but no definite decisions reached.

Mrs. George Bonisteel was appointed as a delegate to the Ontario Horticultural Association convention which is being held in Toronto March 1st and 2nd.

Saturday Market

Country roads which in many cases were almost impassable to motorists on account of the winter conditions caused by the recent heavy fall of snowstorms, did not reproduce market to a minimum on Saturday morning with only a few vendors appearing in the inside market. Farmers claimed that as result of the heavy wheels had dropped through the soft snow to the ice underneath with the rising atmospheric temperatures, leaving roads impassable.

Eggs brought from 45 to 50 cents per dozen from farm at 36 cents for firsts and 36 and 30 cents for dozens for medium and pullets. The fowl offerings in small quantities prices holding at from 25 to 32 cents the pound.

On the outside market apples sold at $2.50 per bushel for the first grade of Spy, McIntosh and Delicious, the latter being in going for 70 and 75 cents. Russets were 50 cents the peck with Indian Sweets bringing the same figure.

Potatoes held at $2 the bag with winter vegetables also bringing the usual figure of 25 cents the half peck.

One vendor offered beef by the quarter with hinds bringing 20 cents the pound.

Mixed green wood was offered at $10 per cord.

tion of Front-Street.

Recently residents of the other side of the city provided some 7,101 pounds of paper for the committee. The chairman expressed his appreciation for the co-operation given his committee and workmen by residents in all parts of the city.

GEEN'S

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L. Cpl. W. Hatch Lost His Life In Road Accident

Lance Corporal Wesley Hatch, who lost his life in a road accident while serving with the Kings and Country in Belgium on November 26th, 1940, was a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hatch of Oshawa. He was born in Belleville twenty-five years ago. On July 5th, 1939 he was married to Miss Vera Belch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Belch, who resided on Front Road for many years. His mother lived in Oshawa and was married and attended Pine Street School and the Trinity Anglican Sunday School. For the past twenty-four years she has lived in Oshawa.

The following letter which was received by Mr. and Mrs. Hatch from the unit's sergeant in the Belgian army is of interest to many of the friends and relatives of the young soldier who was killed in action:

"Dear Mrs. Hatch: It has been my painful duty to speak to write you in this, my sad capacity. Your son, Lance Corporal Hatch, was killed in action on November 26th, 1940, at 2.30 p.m. by a direct hit from a shell. Death was instantaneous and he suffered no pain. He was buried in the cemetery of Ecaussinnes-Lalaing, Belgium, on November 28th, 1940, at 2.30 p.m. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Father Lemaire, assisted by the Rev. Father Lefebvre. The funeral was attended by a large number of the section.

"Many letters of the Provost Corps, many of our working days are spent writing traffic duty, and as a sergeant I can say that I have never met your son was in the forefront of his duties. He was always on the alert to report any possible signals to all vehicles, and his comrades were paid him and his duties.

"Christmas Day the boys planned a little music, and the members of the party was missing. Your son was on duty that day and the rest of us helped him in making some of the Xmas cards ago I formed my opinion of your son, for he was one of our ambitions than the rest of us put together. He would like to express my sincere regrets and sympathy in your sorrow.

Yours sincerely,
Sgt. C. H. McKnight."

Seventeen Killed In Plane Crash, Five Survivors

Cedar Springs, Va., Feb. 14—(AP) Five injured persons, including a young woman who walked barefoot a mile and a half through snow today following the crash of a Pan American Airlines plane in which 17 were killed on a desolate mountain area of southern Virginia.

The survivors, taken to a hospital at Martinsville, were Frances Ulen, of Washington; Sally Padgett, Kansas City, Mo.; Pilot Robert Morgan; Leonard J. Ricci of Meriden, Conn., and Washington; Marine Lt. Erwin, Jacksonville, Fla., Navy and Ensign F. L. Middaugh, Los Angeles.

Discovery of the wrecked plane on the side of Clade Mountain late yesterday afternoon came after a search by more than 500 persons starting yesterday when it had reported to the emergency landing field at Chilhowie, Va., that he was having motor trouble.

But it was more than 12 hours after the plane crashed that a farmer, one of the searchers, met Miss Ulen. She was without coat and barefooted at daybreak to summon companions lying within sight on the bleak mountainside.

Even as the farmer proceeded to telephoning for help, it was several hours before stretcher-bearing State Police and Forest Rangers were able to ascend the almost perpendicular slope and reach the plane.

Virginia officials said so far they have not determined the cause of the crash of the twin-engined plane on a New York to Los Angeles flight.

A doctor at the Marion Hospital quoted one of the injured as saying that the plane "hit a terrific storm" shortly before it plunged to earth. Of those aboard only three were civilians.

Police Blotter

Peterborough police reported the theft of a 1942 model Pontiac coach bearing Ontario 1942 license plate number L-7-186 last night.

Mrs. Evelyn Bleecker, 39 Pine St., reported the theft of $14 from her billfold at the Trianon Ballroom last night. Papers in the billfold were left untouched as the thieves merely took Mrs Bleecker's billfold from her coat pocket and stole only the cash available.

An inebriate and a transient were the only occupants of the cell block at the police station last night.

ABUNDANCE OF FISH

Colombo, (CP) — Between 25,000 and 30,000 lbs. of fish are now being supplied daily to the Colombo market in Ceylon, by the Fisheries Department. Steps are now being taken to instal ice plants to preserve the catch on shore. Prior to the Department of Fisheries has been introduced by lack of ice.

Energetic Club Hears J.O.Herity Speak On Mexico

On Friday evening the Energetic Club of Holloway St. Church held their regular meeting. The president, Mr. Wm. Martin presided. Mr. Wm. Martin and opened with singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" followed with the scripture reading from Matth. 5 verses 13-16 and prayer by Mrs. Ted Poste. Hymn 514 was sung after which hymn 316 was read in unison as a prayer followed by the Lord's prayer.

The president then thanked each and everyone who had a part in making the concert of last Tuesday evening a success.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Hopkins and approved.

Letters and Cards

A report of the church attendance contest was given by Mrs. Slavin; with Mr. and Mrs. Daniels group being high with 1,000 points.

The Energetic Club is publishing a paper and at the meeting night the news gathered from it was read before is read at the meeting. Mr. Slavin was the editor of the paper and a good one too. If the members don't watch out they will be hear something at the next meeting that is not too palatable to the ear. The name of the paper is called "Tattler".

Other items of business were discussed before the meeting was turned over to the capable leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Poste and their group.

Ronald Elmy Soloist

As vocalist Ronald Elmy, in his own pleasing manner sang "Sweethearts" and Oh What a Beautiful morning" and "Stouthearted Men" and "Mother of Mine," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Slavin.

Mr. Ted Poste then introduced the guest speaker for the evening in the person of Mr. J. O. Herity. Mr. Herity's address took the form of a travelogue to Mexico stopping at various points of interest en route, pointing out picturesque spots and scenic beauty. One of the most interesting features of Mr. Herity's address was the souvenirs which he had brought back and passed among the crowd for inspection such as a highly painted Mexican horn, volcanic stone and extremely interesting pieces of wood and others.

As well as these, the club was shown books and cards, the latter pictures taken from portions of scenery and buildings of Mexico.

Mr. Mc Short on behalf of the club moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Herity for his fine and interesting and educational travelogue.

During the social hour that followed Mr. Ted Poste, in a few well chosen words thanked Mr. Herity for coming out and giving such an interesting talk.

Mr. Casement then rendered Schubert's Impromptu" on the piano which was heartily enjoyed by all.

Following a contest, card tables were set up and a delicious lunch of sandwiches coffee, pumpkin and apple pie, with whipped cream was served.

Mr. Stan Hightwarder moved a vote of thanks to the Ted Poste and their group for the very delightful evening which everyone one greatly enjoyed. The meeting closed with the "Friendship Circle" and "Mizpah Benediction.

Louis Desjardins Convicted On Murder Charge

Welland, Feb. 14. (CP)—Louis Desjardins, 24, today was found guilty and will be hanged next May 11 following conviction last night in the Supreme Court petit jury on a charge of murder of 44-year-old Anna.

Mr. Justice E. R. E. Chevrier passed sentence about one-half hour after the verdict was delivered after 2 3-4 hours after the jury retired at 5.46 p.m. E.W.T.

Mrs. Desjardins died in hospital four days after being found badly slumped against a bedroom wall, bleeding from lacerations, in her Crowland, Ont., home near Welland. Clarence Randall, a boarder, lay wounded on a bloodstained bed in the same room and still is in the hospital.

Desjardins testified at the four-day trial he had struggled with Randall and his wife in bed beside him.

"I got mad and lost my head and ran to the kitchen and picked up an axe," he said. "I struck twice — and I believe I struck my wife once."

Mr. Justice Chevrier told the jury in his address they must bring in verdicts of murder, manslaughter or not guilty. He did not believe the man guilty of murder because he had awakened to find his wife and the boarder in a compromising position beside him. Crown Prosecutor A. L. Brooks suggested in summing up that Desjardins might have struck his wife in her own bed and Randall in his, later dragging the woman into the boarder's room.

Defence counsel Col. Hugh A. Ross said Desjardins had been forced to do what he did while temporarily insane and "irresistibly impelled" by passion.

Belleville Dispatch Rider Severely Injured in 88-Shell Blast in Italy

In position somewhere along No. 6 highway, the "Road to Rome" Pte. Lloyd Tate, Anti-Tank Battery, Ahead by the External Affairs Department of the enemy as Allied bombers flowed overhead to attack German lines of communication.

At regimental headquarters, Dispatch Rider Corporal Fraser, 27, Front Street, Belleville stood by his motorcycle and discussed with a friend the time he later his bike raced forward with important information for the battery commander.

But at this moment, Fate, and the German artillery stepped into the picture. At 88-millimetre bellowed started flaying down down along the highway. There came a deafening roar, and a crash, and the Canadian dispatch rider lay, in an inert heap in the ditch, a leg and arm broken, his face badly disfigured, but knowing at that time, an eye serious ly affected. His motorcycle lay a few yards away, in flames.

Sight of Eye Almost Gone.

The sight of the eye has been partially restored, but he was wounded and is now admitted to the Canadian Base Hospital, Overseas.

He is a member of the 3-9th Field Battery going overseas with the unit in November 1939 and England prior to being transferred to the fighting anti aircraft unit. He was attached to the Canadian Forces Base Pay Office at Trenton for a short time.

Mrs. Fraser is also a member of the C.W.A.C. Corps in England and while there was attached to the Canadian Infantry Corps in England with the rank of Corporal.

Right now he is wondering where his unit is and how he has been promoted since he was last seen. He has been returned overseas and his parents are hoping. "I haven't been able to get any letters from him yet, but perhaps something will turn up some of these days."

Canada Looks Good to Sgt. McGaurin After Four Years of Globe-Trotting

"Wherever they roll, we go," said the husky young RCAF sergeant, Ernie McGaurin, assistant transport section of the Air Force station here that returned to Canada after four years of globe-trotting, looking after the "innards and oilers" of many an Air Force equipment.

He is Sergeant McGaurin, D. McCaurin, of Toronto, now stationed at No. 6 Repair Depot.

Leaving England three years ago, he has returned to Canada, only on that island last 79 days later after having been ordered and convoyed to approximately twelve countries.

Two years on the famous island of Malta, Sergeant McGaurin said, "You can have your tea plantations, Ceylonese maidens and what not, but this Canada is good enough for me."

He has seen service in Capetown and Egypt. He has sailed through the Suez Canal and seen the sky sent his transports over the sand dunes of Libya, Egypt and Greece, hedged byways of rural England, and he is back to his regimental depot in Canada, attempting to the life of Canadian equipment in Canadian air stations.

It is surprising what one can do in an emergency he said, even in the Middle East during the first year when the Italian air forces were in the majority of parts. What we were short of, was ammunition, sometimes makes me wonder. One thing I will tell that will all that was necessary.

Sergt. McGaurin has a fine collection he has brought back with him countries he has been stationed in.

Hepburn and Eleven Other M.P.P.'s Attack Drew Stand on Allowances

Toronto, Feb. 14. (CP) — The Drew Government's position on Family Allowances became a critical Ontario political issue Friday when Premier Hepburn was thrown open for general debate in the Throne Speech.

Twelve members, including representatives of every non-government party in the House, lavished fire on the Premier's opposition to the Federal Government's plan.

A. A. MacLeod (Lab.-Prog.—Toronto Bellwoods) claimed the Drew stand was "unpatriotic" and "anti-social" and was not supported by the provincial people.

Mr. Hepburn was thrown open for general debate in the Throne Speech, will reaches Tuesday.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Brethren of Moira Lodge, A.F. & A.M., No. 211, R.C. and Sister Lodges are requested to assemble at the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street, on Monday, February 16th, 1942, at 2.00 p.m. to attend the funeral of our late Brother George F. Bullen. Funeral Service to be held at the Funeral Home.

By order of the Worshipful Master.
JOHN W. COOK,
Secretary.

Alteration Report On City Hall To Be Tabled

A number of recommendations were received and adopted at the committee meeting of the city council held on Thursday evening. They will be formally adopted at the council meeting Monday night.

The Mayor and members of the township will be advised of the decision of the fire committee regarding protection of adjoining property to the city. It is recommended that all light bills and accounts for electricity consumed be submitted to the various chairmen and signed out in the various departments. A supply of coal for use in the fire hall for use of citizens in an emergency.

The report on the city hall alterations as proposed by the special committee will be tabled for further consideration. Dr. Ellis' report that purchase 2,000 feet of snow fence to be erected on west side of Sidney Street, the cost of which is to be shared by the township and corporation, the engineer also to be instructed. Public Works G.M.C. truck will be purchased at an estimated cost of $1,835. Repairs to the Elgin sweeper estimated at $200 will also be made. Fifty feet of 2 inch suction hose at a cost of $1.73 a foot will be purchased.

The special property committee will meet Dr. Ellis' report with respect to the opening of Pinnacle Drive, running south off Charlotte St.

Obituary

MISS GRETA MABEL MIKEL

Miss Greta Mabel Mikel died Friday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. A. Macmillan, 191 Octavia Street. Death was due to stroke which she suffered on Monday last.

The late Miss Mikel who was in her 51st year, was born in Belleville and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James R. Mikel. All her life was passed here and she will be much missed by many friends by whom she was held in high regard. For many years she was a member of Holloway Street United Church.

Surviving her is one sister, Mrs. Wm. H. Macmillan, with whom she made her home at 191 Octavia Street, once Mikel, died a year ago today.

Resting at the Bellville Burial Company's Funeral Home, Campbell Street, whence the funeral will take place on Monday, February 16th., service in the chapel at 2.00 o'clock. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

MIKEL — In Belleville on Friday evening, February 13rd, Miss Greta Mabel Mikel, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James R. Mikel, in her 51st. Year.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, until early this evening, then at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. H. Macmillan, 191 Octavia Street. Service and funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2.00 o'clock. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

COUSINS — In memory of a dear wife, Marille Cousins, who passed away February 20th, 1943.
What would we give for her hand is clasp,
Her silent face to see,
To hear her voice, to see her smile,
As in the days long ago.
But some sweet day, we'll meet again,
Beyond the toil and strife,
And clasp each other's hand once more,
In Heaven, that happy life.
Sadly missed and mourned by her husband, Mr. Frank Cousins.

COUSINS — In loving memory of a dear mother, Mrs. Marille Cousins, who passed away February 20th., 1942.
We miss you more each day,
No one knows how much we miss you.
No one knows the bitter pain
We have suffered since we lost you
Life has never been the same.
In our hearts your memory lingers,
Sweetly tender, fond and true.
There is not a day, dear mother,
That we do not think of you.
Sadly remembered by her daughter, Elsie and son-in-law Pete.

MANAGING DIRECTOR

Toronto, Feb. 28. (CP)—The Retail Association of Ontario today appointed executive secretary of Harry Hafley of Toronto, director, succeeding the late Jack W. Connell. Appointment of Mr. Beer, executive secretary of the Association, was announced Retail proprietors for the last seven years.

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Three Army Captains Reveal New Jap Atrocities in Slave Camps

New episodes in the growing list of barbaric brutalities charged against the Japanese are revealed for the first time by three U. S. Army captains, who escaped from a torpedoed Japanese prison ship in the first of three signed articles in the current issue of Collier's magazine.

"You are our eternal enemies," the little Jap CO told us when we arrived at Camp O'Donnell," the three officers report, "and you will not like it here. If you try to escape we will shoot you." . . . They tried to make it tough for us, and they did."

The three escaped prisoners, who lived to tell their tale, are: Captain John Alderfer of Springfield, Ohio, who was attached to a field artillery brigade at the time of Pearl Harbor; Captain Gene Dale of Enid, Okla., who was flying with the USAFFE, and Captain Bert Schwarz of New York City, who was attached to the Air Force.

All three were in the Philippines. All three survived the infamous Death March from Bataan, two and a half years of slave labor at the penal colonies of O'Donnell, Cabanatuan, Bilibid and Lasang, and the torpedoing of the prison ship in which they were being taken to Japan.

Ten Charges Made.

Aside from confirming earlier reports of atrocities committed during the Death March, the three Army captains make the following ten charges based on their two and a half years as slave laborers:

1. At they worked from dawn to dark in the slimy, hip-deep mud of rice fields. "The Jap guards walked the dikes above us (and) if we faltered, we would get a bobnailed boot in the ribs, or a rifle butt across a naked thigh."

2. "We always worked naked; all we ever had on was a G string . . . We slept at night on the rough board floor, huddled together like animals to keep warm."

3. "Our food ration was only 600 grams of rice a day, and we were always hungry. We devoured any scraps the Japs tossed to us. . . . Or, if we were lucky, we would catch a lizard or a snake or a mongoose and then into our camps . . . Oranges and bananas used to grow on the trees and fall to the ground and rot, but we never got one."

4. "All of us had diarrhea, or dysentery, and if we stopped to relieve ourselves, a guard would take his rifle by the barrel and swing the butt over his shoulder and bring it down hard across our naked backs to keep us going."

5. "The Japs looted the American Red Cross supplies constantly, taking their watches, rings and insignia, even their glasses. Gene (Captain Gene Dale) saw a Jap soldier snatch the upper half of a set of false teeth from an old master sergeant, and smash them into his face."

6. "They were thoroughly indifferent to sickness and sanitary conditions inside the compounds . . . We would nurse a man along for a week or ten days, and then one night we'd discover where he slept would be empty, and we'd know that he had crawled to the Zero Field, was too sick to raise his head and had died coughing."

7. "The burial grounds were in a low area without drainage, and a hole you dug in the morning would be flooded to the rim by afternoon. So we had to roll them (the bodies) in (and) they would float back up to the top."

8. "Most of us had malaria, and working in the cold mud (of the rice fields) was apt to cause a bad chill."

9. "Sergeant Hashimoto, in charge of the guards and a Judo expert, kicked and beat an American prisoner named Pete, suffering from malaria, until his mind and speech were impaired, and . . .

10. "The Jap guards once forced the prisoners, after a full day of work in the rice field muck, to push a train of railroad flatcars, which had stalled because the engine couldn't get enough traction on the wet rail, up a four-mile-long grade."

Thoughts of Killing.

"After Pete got his beating all he thought of was killing Lieut. Caesar, the judo expert,' the three captains report, 'and we didn't blame him. He was still thinking about it when he burned into Cabanatuan and Spoundering in the water after the Japanese prison ship went down."

When the American prisoners were forced to push the train of flatcars up the long grade, they found comfort, not only their guards, the captains report, but the commanding officer of the prison camp.

"The guards rode on the flatcars and we pushed. 'Push! Push!' and leaning down to club us. 'Push, you guilty' their story reads. 'But we didn't quit. We got mad. We kept pushing, and we got madder and madder, every time we hit the top and the Japs began to get scared.

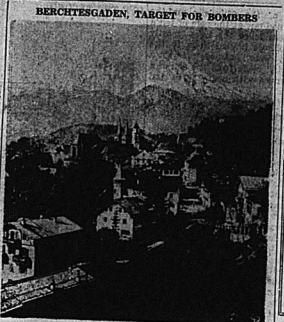
"We passed the house of the Jap commanding officer, and, as we went by, every last one of that bunch of tired, hungry, emaciated Americans began to sing. We sang at the top of our lungs, and the Japs were too scared to stop us. We sang 'God Bless America' and we made the night shake with it.

"No matter what lay ahead, we were proud to be Americans that night."

West To Salute Reds Soon In, Heart of Germany

New York, Feb. 23 —(CP)— Field Marshal Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, chief of the British Middle East missions in the United States, in a speech said the time was not far distant when the Allied armies on the west will salute the Red Army in the best possible way—from every heart of Germany—and then link-ed in a continuous front will bring a speedy and final victory."

He spoke at a dinner which was a joint celebration of Red Army day and the birthday of George Washington.



BERCHTESGADEN, TARGET FOR BOMBERS

View of the town of Berchtesgaden, located in the heart of the Bavarian Alps near the Austrian border, which has been blasted by heavier tonnage of the U. S. Air Force for the first time. The town is protected by countless anti-aircraft batteries which met the raiders with an intense shower of flak. Hitler's famous hideout villa, atop Obersalzberg, overlooks the town. The Tanks hit troops trains, tank carrying cars and railway tracks.

Melrose

Melrose — The ladies of the Melrose United Church met for the Mission Band Tea Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Wm. McMaster on Friday last.

Lloyd Embury, R.C.A.F., having completed his second course, first as pilot then as air gunner, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Embury.

Mrs. Cecil Hobbs and baby daughter are staying with Mrs. Hobbs's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wesse.

A group of Melrose young people spent a recent weekend in Turonto.

At the Sunday morning church service a short installation ceremony was held for the newly elected officers of the Young People's Union. Not all the officers were present but better attendance and increased interest are hoped for. The road condditions have improved. It is regretted that all organizations of the church have been unable to function due to weather and roads since the beginning of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Macfarlane arrived home on Saturday after a honeymoon trip to Toronto, Sunday in Teaneck, N.J. On their return they stopped over for visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tripp on Cabanazo, and with Mr. and Mrs. F. Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sullivan and Teddy of Point Anne, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Pascoe, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pascoe.

Mrs. Geo. Loughead and Mrs. Elgin Loughead spent the Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Weese.

Ameliasburg

Ameliasburg — Pte. Earl Wood spent the weekend at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bidee and girls of Rossmore were guests over the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bidee.

A number from the village attended the hockey match in Belleville on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Simmons of Mountain View.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osterhout of Murray spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pritz and Pte. and Mrs. Earl Wood spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ferguson of Belleville.

Mrs. Jas. Armstrong entertained a number of ladies on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. VanDusen were tea hour guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dow.

The Ladies' Aid held a social in the church hall on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gunter of Consecon spent Sunday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Sine.

Mrs. Albert Adams is ill.

TOUGHER THAN CAEN

Canadians fighting through the dike-crossed Scheldt polders said there was little opportunity for army tactics or manoeuvres and the going was even tougher than at Caen.

Massassaga

Massassaga — Mrs. N. S. Wallbridge entertained the Ladies' Aid on the February meeting at her home. Eleven members were present, a fair attendance considering the condition of the roads.

The Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Thompson on Thursday afternoon of last week. Two quilts were quilted.

Mr. Roy Vallean spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Mrs. Wm. Jose spent Tuesday in Trenton with her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walbridge and Mr. Douglas Wallbridge spent the dinner hour on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Alder and Keith at Belleville.

Miss Helen Scott and friend of Belleville called on Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Davidson on sunday afternoon.

Miss Helen Keizer and Miss Kay Daly of O.B.D., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Davidson.

Miss Jean Vader spent Thursday night with Miss Jean Vader.

Mrs. W. H. Gray and Miss June Gray spent Saturday with Mrs. Gray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grills, at Belleville.

Mrs. Ernest Jose called on Mrs. M. R. Davidson on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Howard Wallbridge called at the same home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Frank Ackerman of London spent a few days last week at the home of his brother, Mr. Korah Ackerman and Mrs. Ackerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ackerman of Belleville called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vallean and family on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. C. Eggleton and Mrs. D. Kerr of Bel. Thurlow were callers on Mrs. M. R. Davidson on Thursday of last week.

Mr. George Ackerman is spending some time at Campbellford with Mrs. Ackerman who was taken by ambulance to Campbellford from the Belleville General Hospital where she had been a patient since last October.

Mr. Jack Gray and Miss June Gray spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wallbridge and Douglas.

Mrs. Harry Jose spent a few days last week with Mrs. V. Bowman and Mrs. I. Nightingale in Belleville.

GIVEN FIVE YEARS

Welland, Feb. 23 —(CP)— Sentence of five years in penitentiary was imposed yesterday on Attilio Caturchetta, 27, on charges of attempted murder of Tony Roberto. Caturchetta and Roberto are from Welland.

Marmora

Marmora — The regular meeting of Marmora Chapter I.O.D.E. was held on Tuesday evening, February 22nd, at the home of Mrs. A. W. Drew, Mrs. Drew and Mrs. Charles Brady presiding. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The following conveners were appointed: Mrs. Don Mastell, Gift Convener; Mrs. A. M. Jones, Ship Convener; Mrs. A. W. Drew, Mrs. J. H. McCrodan, Wool Conveners; Mrs. Alan Grover, Empire Study Convener; Miss Mary Paquet, Press Convener.

It was decided to hold a bingo and bake sale in Deloro hall.

A cheque slightly in excess of $100 was sent to headquarters for the Service Libraries campaign.

It was unanimously decided to donate a cheque of $25 to the Marmora War Workers for their Easter boxes.

The meeting closed with the presentation of the flag and the singing of the National Anthem.

Minto

Minto — Mr. and Mrs. J. Conley of Stirling, visited on Sunday at Mr. Sherman Bradys.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMaster spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMullen of Cannifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Heagle and boys visited with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Sine recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bateman of Tweed, spent a few days recently with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hagerman.

Miss Dorothy Bateman spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Arnold Reid at Springbrook.

Mrs. Chas. Morgan visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Verby Heath, Ridge Road, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brodsworth and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan entertained on Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Heath of Stirling and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Wood.

Rev. O. Wager spent the noon hour on Sunday with Mrs. Ged. Johnston.

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11.00 a.m.—NURSERY SCHOOL.
11.00 a.m.—REV. J. A. DILTS of Holloway Street United Church will preach.
2.30 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
7.00 p.m.—DR. STAPLEFORD will preach. "THE VALUE OF HUMAN PERSONALITY."

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11.00 a.m.—REV. DR. E. W. STAPLEFORD. "HOPE ON, HOPE EVER."
Nursery care is provided for young children while their parents attend morning service.
11.30 a.m.—JUNIOR CONGREGATION.
2.30 p.m.—CHURCH SCHOOL and KINDERGARTEN.
7.00 p.m.—DR. A. J. WM. MYERS. "AT CHURCH WITH PAUL IN CORINTH."
The Good Companion Fellowship Hour After Evening Service.
Mrs. M. F. Duff, Organist

HOLLOWAY STREET UNITED CHURCH
(Corner Dunbar and Holloway)
REV. J. A. DILTS, Minister. Residence 44 Bilbido St.
11.00 a.m.—REV. A. J. WM. MYERS, M.A., Ph.D., of Tabernacle United Church. "WORDS THAT LIVE."
11.30 a.m.—JUNIOR CONGREGATION. Bring the Children.
2.30 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL, also Minister's Preparatory Class.
7.00 p.m.—MISS RUTH SIMPSON
Y.P.U. Forward Movement Leader, of Toronto.
8.30 p.m.—UNITED YOUTH FIRESIDE SERVICE.
Choir Leader, MRS. F. HOUSTON. Organist, WM. CONNOR.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Corner Church Street and Victoria Avenue
REV. J. G. HORNSBY Minister
DIVINE WORSHIP
at 11.00 a.m. and 7.00 p.m.
2.30 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
LENTEN SERVICE WEDNESDAY, at 8.00 P.M.
DIRECTORS OF MUSIC — MR. AND MRS. JOHN DEACON

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ST. THOMAS CHURCH — CHRIST CHURCH
Rev. A. Beauchamp Payne, Rector. — Rev. Grant Sperling, Rector.
IND. SUNDAY IN LENT. — 2nd. SUNDAY IN LENT
8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion. — 8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon. — 11 a.m.—Morning Prayer
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School — 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School
7.00 p.m.—Evensong. — 7.00 p.m.—Holy Baptism
Evensong followed by Adult Confirmation Class.

EMMANUEL REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH
REV. TELFORD S. RUSSELL, Rector.
12 Victoria Ave.
SUNDAY—
MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON, LITANY ..... 11.00 a.m.
Bible School ..... 2.30 p.m.
EVENING PRAYER AND SERMON ..... 7.00 p.m.
"The Lord's Supper."
WEDNESDAY.
Lenten Service 8.00 p.m.

"His Name Shall Be Called Wonderful"
SUBJECT THEME 7.30 P.M. SUNDAY
at the
APOSTOLIC PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE
BRIDGE and COLEMAN
Sunday School and Bible Class ..... 10.00 a.m.
MORNING WORSHIP ..... 11.00 a.m.
TUESDAY—Young People's Service ..... 8.00 p.m.
THURSDAY—Dispensational Studies ..... 8.00 p.m.
A WELCOME TO ALL.
PASTOR J. I. ABBOTT. Phone 672W

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69 Dundas St. East REV. J. S. A. SPEARMAN, Minister
DIVINE WORSHIP
at 11.00 a.m. and 7.00 p.m.
A WELCOME AWAITS YOU.
WEDNESDAY, 8 p.m.—SPECIAL MISSIONARY SERVICE
Sponsored by the Men of the Congregation.
FRIDAY, 8.00 p.m.—Y.P.S., sponsored by the Young People of the Alliance Tabernacle.

THE STANDARD CHURCH
(Coleman Street at Pinnacleage)
11.00 a.m.—MORNING WORSHIP.
8.45 a.m.—Sunday School.
7.00 p.m.—EVENING WORSHIP.
TUESDAY AND THURSDAY NIGHTS 8.00 P.M. REV. J. G. NUSSEY, Pastor

BETHEL HALL
Corner Church and Station Streets
Morning Worship, 11.00 a.m. Gospel Service, 7.00 p.m.
SPEAKER:
Evangelist S. Brownson
SUBJECT:
"CAN WE BE SURE OF HEAVEN?"
Thursday, 8.00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting. Friday, 7.00 p.m.—Children's Meeting.

The Necessity of the New Birth
ILLUSTRATED BY AN ORIGINAL DIAGRAM
THE SUBJECT SUNDAY, 7.00 P.M. at
ALLIANCE TABERNACLE
Cor. W. Moira and Coleman. REV. C. V. FREEMAN
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School and Pastor's Bible Class.
11.00 a.m.—"THE SINS OF THE SAINTS." Part 2.
TUESDAY, 7 p.m.—Boys' and Girls' Meeting. 8 p.m., Prayer Meeting



VICTORIA AVE. BAPTIST CHURCH
REV. H. O. EASTMAN
Minister.
Organist .... DORLAND HOUSTON
Choir Leader ..... FRED JOBSON
11.00 a.m.—"ARE BELIEVERS EVER LOST?"
2.00 p.m.—Church School.
7.00 p.m.—"BY GRACE ALONE."
SONG SERVICE. FRIENDSHIP HOUR. "Songs of the Sea."
ALL ARE INVITED.

THE SALVATION ARMY
PINNACLE STREET
11.00 a.m.—DEVOTIONAL SERVICE.
3.15 p.m.—Sunday School. (2 pm. Station Street.)
7.00 p.m.—EVANGELISTIC SERVICE.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
(I.O.O.F. TEMPLE, 277½ FRONT STREET)
SERVICE 11 a.m. SUNDAY SCHOOL 11.00 a.m.
SUBJECT:
MIND
Testimonial Meeting First Wednesday of Each Month at 8 p.m.
THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND THESE SERVICES

GRACE CHAPEL
Corner of Dundas and Albert.
Affiliated with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada.
9.45 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—DEVOTIONAL SERVICE.
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic Message. "KNOWING CHRIST as Saviour, Lord and Friend."
TUESDAY at 8.00 p.m.—Bible Study, "The Body of Christ."
SPECIAL NOTE — Thursday Young People's Meeting changed this week—in order to hear MISS BERYL SMITH, Missionary worker with the Bible Truth Crusade for Children and Young People. This meeting will be 7.30 p.m. FRIDAY. Come and bring the family. You will be disappointed if you fail to be here. REMEMBER THE TIME AND PLACE.
"If we lose the sense of the wonder of our communion we shall become like common traders in a common market, babbling about common wares."—A. G. Ward.
REV. ERNEST A. J. WICKS, Pastor.

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Sugar Rations

Canadian sugar rations will be cut two pounds a year which is only two pounds out of the twenty-six which have been allowed since sugar rationing went into force. Consumers will have the regular canning ration of ten pounds each and at the same time have all their preserve coupons which can be used for sugar if housekeepers prefer sugar to preserves. No change is made in the rationing of maple syrup and sugar.

While housekeepers have naturally felt the shortage in sugar from the flush conditions which prevailed before the war when there was at least a sugar glut and people wanted to buy, no one has been hurt by rationing but everyone has been allowed his or her fair share of the supply at regular intervals which makes it possible for consumers to regulate their consumption. Under this plan it is not a case of people able to buy up what they are entitled to buy far ahead and then after a time find themselves out of the commodity and forced to wait until the time comes for the next coupons to become valid.

No one will miss the little amount of sugar which is being taken from the rationing, two pounds in twenty-six, or less than eight per cent, while at the same time the other sources of sugar in canning and in lieu of preserves remain the same.

In an age when there is the possibility of getting too much fat producing food a little curb will be all the better for some persons at least.

Canadian housekeepers have adjusted their routine in the preparation of meals loyally and admirably and will accept the little alteration with good grace, knowing that it has been found necessary in view of the world situation.

Bullet-Proof Windows in Tanks

British factories can now turn out glass strong enough to be bullet-proof or fine enough to be woven into fabric.

Tanks and bombers are now fitted with bullet-proof windows.

At the same time a Scottish factory is now drawing glass thread one-fifth the thickness of human hair. Millions of glass marbles made from special raw materials are melted in electric furnaces, and from every pound of marbles about 175 miles of fine thread can be drawn.

Glass has thus a tremendous variety of uses. At present the electrical industry is the largest single user of glass silk cloths to insulate electric motors, generators and transformers. They do not burn, are not affected by water and most chemicals, are vermin-proof, are so efficient that a thin layer is enough and so fire-proof that apparatus can operate safely at much higher temperatures.

A 10 h.p. motor insulated with cotton weighed 354 pounds. When insulated with glass fibre, the same motor weighed only 190 pounds, occupied only half as much space, and operated at higher speeds. Glass fibre insulation used in a battleship can reduce the weight by 500 tons.

Experts in Britain estimate that a material made of glass fibres reinforcing and binding plastics has the greatest strength in relation to weight of any material known. Already experimental aircraft have been built of this new plastic plus glass, and other developments are expected.

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Post-war development of radiolocation which will be used to "pick-up" icebergs will eliminate such disasters as that of the "Titanic" and lighten the work of the ice patrol in the North Atlantic.

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Shipyard on the Chindwin

Until recently the needs of other theatres have prevented Admiral Mountbatten from receiving all the landing craft he needed for large-scale amphibious operations. Some landings at Akyab, and on Ramree and Cheduba Islands suggest that the shortage has been eased to some extent.

But lack of properly issued landing craft has not prevented amphibious operations being carried out on inland waters. On the Chindwin River the boats needed have been built on the spot by Indian carpenters, from materials close at hand in the surrounding forests. These are, in fact, quite sizeable craft capable of carrying twenty-two tons of cargo apiece.

Sixteen building slips were constructed on the banks of the Chindwin, and the boats were turned out at the rate of ten a day. The Indians felled the trees—mostly teak—and elephants handed them to the slips. The craft were finished off with a waterproof "skin" made from the sap of a jungle plant mixed with heavy earth and oil.

Portable Smithy

Tillsonburg (Ont.) News

The blacksmith of the future may have to leave "the spreading chestnut tree" and take his forge to the farms on a truck. With fewer blacksmiths in the country, the farmers have longer distances to go when they want to have their horses shod. Often they cannot spare the time to leave their farm work, but many of them would have their horses shod if the blacksmith came to their farms.

We suggest to the young men who are looking for a vocation that they think about blacksmithing. It is a healthy occupation. Anyone who likes horses and understands how to handle them ought to be able to make a success as a blacksmith with some perseverance.

It is an occupation that will require some assistance from the agricultural departments of the country if there are not soon a number of new members in its ranks. As long as horses are used for work and pleasure, there will be a need for the services of the blacksmith.

Sir Ian Hamilton's Party

(Manchester Guardian)

There were 25 little candles round a two-deck birthday cake recently at 1 Hyde Park Gardens. General Sir Ian Hamilton was celebrating his 92nd birthday and entertaining some 70 boys from the Gordon Home. The boys danced the Highland fling and the sword dance. Sir Ian was in his spirits and made a gay speech in which his old regiment, the 92nd, figured. A telegram from Mr. and Mrs. Churchill was read. A few days ago Sir Ian went by motorcar to Sussex to see a bull of his that had won a prize. Field Marshal Lord Ironside, who is now 78, was one of the guests at the birthday party.

Patriotism in Poultry-Yard

(Montreal Herald)

There's a big job ahead for Canadian hens this year—production of a billion eggs for Britain, over and above those required for Canadian consumption.

We are sure that our 35,000,000 feathered war workers will meet this call to extra effort. We are confident there will be neither strikes nor absenteeism in the poultry-yard.

For the Canadian hen is a patriotic bird. She has boosted production since the start of the war.

Now she will be stimulated by the knowledge that for the first time in history her exported product goes forth proudly bearing the name of her country.

The word "Canada" stamped on each shell egg shipped to Britain will proclaim that here is a Canadian hen's contribution to the Allied war effort.

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A new method of putting in windows is now being used to reglaze bomb-damaged London.

Instead of putty, a pressed steel bar, inexpensive and efficient, is used. It enables the work to be done in a fraction of the time needed for the old method of glazing.

It is the idea of an official of the U. K. Plumbers' Union.

A number of borough councils are now using large quantities of the pressed steel bar with great success.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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QUATRAINS

Tyrant Style

Even where freedom's banner waves,
Style is a tyrant; all her slaves
For few there are, the truth to tell,
Against its mandates to rebel.

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Success

Success is merely doing well,
With extra courage, skill or beauty,
A service, as citations tell:
"Beyond the common line of duty."

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Benefit

Because the bitter north winds blow
And all the earth is deep with snow
When spring returns, the cherry tree
With wealth of bloom will richer be.

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Careers

Woman is born to go through life
As sister, cousin, aunt and wife,
Mother and grandma, down the years,
A lot of rather nice careers!

OFF THE RECORD — By Ed. Reed



"Mind she worried at first—I thought my liver was acting up!"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

February 24th, 1925.

Oldtimers do not believe that the River Moira will be open for navigation so early this year, but peppery owners are taking pleasure in it today.

Mr. W. R. Wiggins Reeve of Faraday Township, and Warden of the County of Hastings, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Clark, Gordon Street, entertained twenty-five friends at their home last evening.

Mr. W. B. Northrup, former clerk of the House of Commons, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mathey of Thurlow Township, are today observing the 50th anniversary of their wedding. To join their many friends and relatives in extending congratulations.

Mr. W. J. Merry, superintendent of the Marchmont Home here, will sail for the Old Country soon, and upon his return, left he will bring a party of children for the home.

Mr. Hugh Middlemiss of the J. J. Cash Company, left this morning on a business trip to New York City.

30 YEARS AGO

February 24th, 1915.

Mr. Thomas Moore, local manager of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada, has sailed for home from the Old Country.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cook left today to spend some time in the Old Country. Mr. Cook pays his business and Mrs. Cook will visit relatives.

Messrs. H. Freeman Ketcheson and John Elliott are attending a meeting of the Associated Boards of Trade in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Carr left today for London, Ontario. Mr. Carr is a delegate to the Masonic Grand Lodge which will meet in that city.

The presentation of the Colors to the 21st Battalion, which is about to leave for overseas, took place in Kingston yesterday.

Mr. J. R. Lyons of Deseronto Post was in town today.

Mr. Clarence Lyons of the Brighton Ensign was a visitor here today.

40 YEARS AGO

February 24th, 1905.

Mr. Gerald Jenkins is home from McGill University, Montreal, to spend a few days.

Mr. W. R. Deacon has left for Toronto and Hamilton on business.

Mr. A. J. Dafoe of this city will leave shortly for Toronto.

The backbone of winter appears to be still of considerable strength.

To-night a hockey match last evening between teams representing the officers of the 15th Battalion and the Bankers, the final score was 7 to 2 in favor of the Bankers. The following formed the teams: Bankers — Williamson, W. Hamilton, Faulkner, Allen, R. Hamilton, Teasle and White; 15th Battalion — Carman, Pitts, Allen, Burke, Walker, McFee and Witheridge.

Mrs. Stephen Eustace is spending a few days in Toronto.

50 YEARS AGO

February 24th, 1890.

Mr. J. H. Meacham, our respected postmaster, was able to get as his usual duties.

Miss Ockerman has left for Chicago, Ill., where she will visit friends.

Captain Smith of Picton, is in town to spend the weekend.

Mr. Alfred Holton will leave tomorrow for Montreal where he will assist the office of a firm of architects.

Mr. John N. Lazier of this city will establish a shirt factory here shortly. Mr. Chas. J. Panter will be in charge.

The Rev. John E. Laneely of the Trenton Methodist Church, has been invited to succeeded the Rev. Dr. Potts as pastor of Bridge Street Methodist Church next year. He has accepted the call, if terms and salary by the conferences interested in the matter.

Mr. N. D. McArthur will lead the meeting of the Young Men's Bible Class next Sunday at the Y.M.C.A. this evening.

Journey to Marianas So Long And Grinding It Becomes Merely Blur

By ERNIE PYLE

In the Marianas Islands — Now are far, far away from everything that was familiar and dear at home. Five thousand miles from America, and 1,500 miles from any friends fighting on the German border.

Twelve thousand miles from Sidi Bou Zid and Venafro and Troina and St. Mere Eglise—names as unheard of on this side of the world as are Kwajalein and Chuuk Lima and Ulithi on the other side.

The Pacific names are all new to me too, all except the outstanding ones. For those fighting one war do not pay much attention to the other war. Each one thinks his war is the worst and most important war. And unquestionably it is.

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We came to the Marianas by airplane from Honolulu. The weather was perfect, and yet so long and grinding was the journey that it eventually became a blur, and at the end I could not even recall her what day we had left Honolulu, although actually it was only the day before.

We came in the same kind of plane that brought us from California — a huge, four-motored Douglas transport, a C-54 in the Naval Air Transport Service.

As soon as we were in the air Lieut. Cmdr. Max Miller and I took off our coats, pulled off our shoes, our house slippers. West of Pearl Harbor, military formality immediately drops away. For example, in Honolulu, all Naval officers must wear neckties. But the moment you leave Pearl Harbor they come off, and you never see them again.

Max and I read a while in the two books we had brought with us —Thurber's "My World and Welcome to It," and Joseph Mitchell's "McSorley's Wonderful Saloon."

But good as they both are, we couldn't seem to keep our minds on them. We would read a few lines and were willingly absorbed in a wonderful story, then look up the next minute to westbound friends, called "Outside to the Western Pacific."

We made but two stops on the 2,800-mile journey to the Marianas, and how we've found those tiny dots of islands is beyond me, for they were the merest dots in the wide ocean. But they find them all the time, so who am I to worry?

Johnston Island Tiny,

The first stop was at Johnston island, four hours out from Honolulu. As it came into view I was shocked at how tiny it is. It is hardly bigger than a few airplane carriers lashed together, and it hasn't got a tree on it.

Yet it has been developed into an airfield that will take the biggest planes live and work there.

The climate is magnificent, and most of the soldiers and sailors wear only shorts and are deeply tanned. They don't mind it a bit, of quiet escape out there for a while would be tremendous. But the boys there are tired of escape, of the dull monotony of the place gets on their nerves.

We stopped there for an hour in late afternoon, and then we took off and headed west and soon it was dark. Gradually the passengers went to sleep in their seats. There was nothing to see out of the windows but darkness. The night over the Pacific lay ahead of us. The night we were going to be we were chasing the darkness.

The crew passed out a blanket for each of us, and the passengers wrapped up. But soon the cabin was heated, and even at midnight it was unbearably hot.

It was after midnight when we could sense by the motors' sound and the pressure in our ears that we were losing altitude. We could feel that we were turning but we could not see it. We looked out high on one side or us, and a few minutes later it would be low on the other side of us.

Marsh Kwajalein

And then suddenly there were lights smack underneath us, lights of what looked like a good sized town, and then at last we were on the ground. We had landed on a bustling airport, teeming with men and planes and lights. The place was Kwajalein.

That's not hard to pronounce if you don't too much. Just say "kwa-juh-lean." It's in the Marshall Islands. First there's Majuro, then Marsh and April, American soldiers and sailors have built airfields there, and opened our island stepping-stone path straight across the mid-Pacific.

Even today our Seabees can't dig a trench or put up a building without digging up dead Japanese. But even so the work goes forward, and as we so rapidly transform all our islands that are destroyed in the taking. It is a great job now.

Naval officers met our plane debarked. A sweet smell was there, and drove us a few hundred yards to the officers' club. Inside a dance was blowing, and it seemed wonderful to be on the ground again, even such exotic and scrambled ground as this.

An hour later we sat around a white-limned table and drank pineapple juice and sipped iced fruit juice. You would hardly have known you were in the Pacific war area. Then we were off again, to fly through the starless night, westward and onward.

SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND TROOPS IN TURKISH ARMY

Turkish Soldier is Good Soldier — In Own Element in Rough Terrain

By WILLIAM L. KING
(Former Chief of The Associated Press Bureau in Ankara)

New York, Feb. 24 —(AP)— Turkey has declared war on Germany and Japan, bringing several hundred thousand soldiers to the Allies' side.

By any standards the Turk is a good soldier and fighting in his own mountainous terrain where individual courage is the paramount factor, he probably is as good as any in the world.

Turkey's small but effective air force is manned by selected groups of young Turks who combine the old Ottoman tradition with a love of good machinery.

The Turkish airforce has not been previously subjected to British and American instructors who have seen service in the war. It testify that the individual pilots show considerable skill in the air.

Well developed air bases with facilities for the operation of British and American bombers, if need arises, have been secretly located and constructed in the eastern and southeastern part of Turkey, where they are available for use by the Allies in the event of war.

The backbone of the army is the infantry. Conscripts are called to the colors at the age of 20 and serve two years. Then they are transferred to the reserves and are subject to call for service until they are 45.

Every male citizen, whether he serves in the army or not, is required to undergo military training. Boys of 12 to 15 are trained in the use of rifles and machine guns. Those from 15 to 18 are given more advanced training and those from 18 to 20 are trained in the use of artillery, machine guns and rifles.

Every village has a rifle range and every male citizen, regardless of his occupation, is required to practice shooting on Sundays and holidays.

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Magnesium Has Bright Future

(By Overseas London Daily Mail Reporter)

The extraction of magnesium from the sea and the growing use of the metal in large part to the post notable step in scientific progress in 1940 said the annual London luncheon of the man who deal in great ideas. They are the patent agents.

Each year this little gathering tries to sum up the most important great idea of the past year can be called "the idea."

Magnesium from the sea was judged to be the greatest scientific advance of the year. Because it is the one likely to affect people's lives in all parts.

Up till just before the war we used magnesium only to demonstrate mostly in the form of ribbon or powder for flash photography. It cost 25 per lb. It now costs about 6d., because the sea is yielding up thousands of tons of it.

You get a lot of it for a fb. because it is in the sea in fabric of the weight of aluminium.

Magnesium is the lightest cost 2d. per lb. when its use for aero engines, incendiary bombs, and the pyrotechnics of warfare are returned to peace-time purposes.

Every cubic yard of sea water contains 2,200 tons of metallic magnesium, and if only a fraction of it is difficult, your bath-tub full of sea water will contain a quarter of a pound of it.

It is called the "witch of Metals" with reason. It can do many magic tricks which we are just beginning to understand.

It will soon be used in the bathroom. A car battery will weigh a fb. instead of the 56 lbs or so of the present accumulator.

A torch battery will contain a pound of it, and will last ten times longer than the present battery of No. 8.

It will be the base of the metal current-carriers of the new electrified railways. It will be the base with our unsightly and dangerous

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

HOITY-TOITY

Thyroid

Have been taking drugs for three years, Sister tells me can stop taking thyroid can only live for fifteen years. I am 34 years, 5 ft., 94 lbs., 66 lbs. tall, weigh 146—weighed 186 before I started taking it.

(Mrs. K. V.)

Answer—Dangerous to take thyroid except under the medical observation of your physician. If you took it to reduce, there is no reason now why you should reduce any more.

Second Hand Pipe

I have some pipes that were smoked by a man who died of cancer 15 years ago. Is there any way to disinfect them so that it would be safe for another man to smoke them? (Mr. Jack J.)

Answer—There is no intend to encourage, or is there any reason to think of such shortenings is perfectly healthful.

Don't Laugh, Girls

I am a school teacher on the sunny side of 45, with little time for reading. Will you recommend a book that purifies about my waistline. Am I all right? I enjoy your column with breakfast, find your remedies for second cup of coffee, with sugar and, when we have company, cream, not that I need it, but I just have it. Also, I am single, but probably need your same regulations for controlling that square form. More power to you and your Junior Doctor. (D.P.)

Answer—Your letter is about going to and from school and your daily evenings. They you had the finest exercise to keep trim. Try Fletcherism. Chew each mouthful instead of sugar in your coffee. Read Horace Fletcher's "How to Lose Weight." Answer your "Servant" soapbox for it and provides stamped self addressed envelopes. Then you had better get into the habit of doing things fully before you begin. Don't take scarcely 30 seconds. Mention this and we'll send you an invitation to the Summerville Institute where to how to roll 'em.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

INFORMATION ROUNDUP

A satisfactory explanation as to why old. Calcium hydrate is formed and kittens.

Julius Caesar was reputed to have known 54 languages, every man in the four legions he commanded in the Gallic wars. It is stated of Napoleon that he could converse in 6,000 to 8,000 men.

Many varieties of cement and concrete as if they were the same. "Cement and concrete" are not synonymous.

Cement is merely one of the ingredients of concrete, a material which is a mixture of sand and stones, the latter being held hardened by cement as the active agent.

The purpose of cement is to bind the other solid materials, just as lime did mortar in the old bricks or stones.

Now what causes cement to harden or "to set" is not thoroughly understood. In a general way it is due to the development in the components of lime when moistened, this, then, proceeded to get himself elected President in 1832 and President in 1836.

1,200,000 HOMES NEEDED IN UNITED KINGDOM

London, Feb. M. (Reuters)—The British Government is faced with the problem of building 1,200,000 houses—replacing those destroyed in air attacks and filling a shortage due to other causes—Lord Woolton, Minister of Reconstruction, said in the House of Lords Wednesday.



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Hilda Gill entertained a few guests at her home Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Edith Tucker's birthday.

At a recent meeting of the Montreal Art Society, the musical part of the program included the piano artistry of Mrs. H. F. Siegel. Mrs. Siegel is the former Flossie Moon of this city who is a graduate of Albert College where she studied under Mr. V. P. Hunt.

Squadron Leader A. Hollaneziet, Mrs. Hollaneziet and baby, have left for Calgary where they will be the guests of the former's parents.

Captain George McIntosh, of Camp Borden, is spending the weekend at his home here.

Squadron Leader R. Anderson of Airforce Headquarters is spending the weekend here with his family and is leaving early in the week for Nassau, Bahamas.

Miss Betra Fairman, Dunbar Street, is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital after undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. R. C. Andrews is in Welland for the weekend visiting her daughter Mrs. Loney.

W.O.M. MEETING

The Women of the Moose Chapter, 435, held their regular meeting on Tuesday in the Saco Club Rooms. Regent Sagent Gladys Ritch presiding. Reports were read by Mrs. L. Conard in the absence of the Recorder, Mrs. McClintock, who is ill. Several other members were reported ill and letters of thanks were read from soldiers who have received gift parcels. It was moved that a donation be sent to the I.O.D.E. for magazines for the Armed Forces. It was also voted that a letter be sent to the Kingston Military Hospital asking for the names of all Belleville returned soldiers quartered there so the club can do its share in sending something to cheer those boys.

Next meeting each member will bring a handful to be sent on to Moose Heart.

The Sunshine Prize donated by Mrs. McGinnis was won by Mrs. O'Hara. The meeting was closed in proper order.

After the meeting a birthday party was held for the only charter member, whose birthday falls this month, namely Mrs. O. St. Louis. A gift from the Chapter and various other small gifts from the members were presented to her. A lovely supper which was enjoyed by all, was served for the occasion.

APPOINTED CHANCELLOR

Birmingham, Eng., Feb. 23 (CP)—Foreign Secretary Eden was appointed chancellor of Birmingham University yesterday, succeeding Viscount Cecil of Chelwood. Lord Cecil, 80, resigned on account of age after being chancellor since 1918.

USE NORWEGIAN PORTS

Stockholm, Feb. 26 — (AP) — At least 200 German submarines are using Norwegian ports as bases for operations against Allied ships, a responsible Norwegian source said yesterday.

WEDDINGS

BOLDRICK-ATKINS

Tabernacle United Church was the setting for a lovely wedding on Wednesday, Feb. 23, 1944, at two p.m. when Doris Helena Atkins, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Atkins, became the bride of Sergeant Pilot Boldrick, R.C.N.V.R., Halifax, son of Mrs. J. Boldrick and the late Mr. Boldrick of Plainfield. Rev. Dr. A. J. W. Myers performed the ceremony. Mrs. M. Dorey presided at the organ for the wedding music, and during the signing of the register by Willis Jackson sang "I Love You Truly," and "Just A-Wearyin' for You."

Given in marriage by her brother Mr. Gordon Atkins, the bride was lovely in her wedding gown of ivory white satin, fashioned with rounded neckline, tight fitting bodice, and very full skirt. Her finger tip length veil of tulle was attached to a charming headdress of Mary Queen of Scots type. She carried an arm bouquet of red roses and fern tied with white satin ribbon. Her only ornament, a string of crystal beads in rainbow shades, a gift of her father.

Miss Lorena Haight as maid of honor wore a gown of tea rose taffeta, fashioned with sweetheart neckline, tight fitting bodice and full skirt. Her headdress was a half hat in matching shade, trimmed with roses, and a shoulder length veil. She carried a nosegay of multi-colored sweet peas and carnations.

The bridesmaids, Misses Isabelle Atkins and Beada Boldrick, sister of the bride and groom were two piece dresses of Heaven blue taffeta with full skirts and tight fitting bodices buttoned down the front. They wore picture hat hats and shoulder length veils in matching shade, and carried nosegays similar to that of the maid of honor.

Mr. Harold Howes of Corbyville, was groomsman and the ushers were Mr. Gordon Atkins, brother of the bride and Mr. Boldrick, brother of the bride and groom.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for about fifty guests. The rooms were decorated with pink and white streamers and white bells. Three small nieces of the groom were flower girls, Dorothy Dudgeon, Mary Boldrick and Glenda Goodman. The bride's mother received her guests wearing a two piece dress with navy skirt and flowered jersey top, black accessories and corsage of sweet peas. The groom's mother assisted in receiving and wore a dress of navy and light blue with navy accessories and corsage of sweet peas.

Mr. and Mrs. Boldrick left on an extended wedding trip. The bride chose a tailored red dress with matching hat, black coat with silver fur, black accessories and corsages of red roses. The bride will reside in Belleville and the groom will return to Halifax.

Out of town guests were from Plainfield, Selby, Bonarlaw, Big Island, Massassaga, West Huntingdon and Corbyville.

(Picton papers please copy)

BIG LUZON TOWN

Chief settlement of the Luzon plains is the town of Tarlac with a pre-war population of 16,350.

The Marry Go Round

Tabloid Philosophy
Today.

Oh, this is a magical marvelous age
Of Hitler's Gestapo and Boldrick;
When diplomats squabble and rage
And we live on a red hot griddle!
But however the faint-hearted quake,
Or shudder and quiver and quiver,
You cannot deny that this world is
AWAKE!!

Each morning you cry as you open your eyes
"I wonder what happened last night!"
And you scan every line for the latest "surprise"—
A shortage, a strike or a fight!
And you can't tell who's right
and you don't know who's wrong—
But you've got to admit that we're going it STRONG!!

Today it's a Duce who's pulled off his throne,
With a laugh and a jest and a cheer;
Tomorrow our laughter has changed to a groan—
For our INCOME-TAX troubles are here!

But whatever we're doing, from minute to minute,
It's great to be living and working and—
and "IN" IT!!

And let's thank the fates, how'er bitter the cup,
That we lived in an age, when the world WENT UP!

The main thing for the wife or mother of a soldier to remember, when he comes back home, is not to try to "regiment" him. He's had enough of orders and regimentation to last him through this and next incarnation.

Once in every man's life he mistakes the love of novelty, adventure or amusement for the love of some girl. That's how most divorces start—before the wedding.

A wife soon finds out that a man's way of telling her "all" is to discover, first, how much she already knows and then frankly and bravely, "admit" about half of it.

Wonder if a man ever suspects how much practice it requires for a girl to return his kisses with all the fervor of an amateur and all the enthusiasm of an expert.

Even love is far brighter when jewelled with constancy.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Love and a Good Appetite

Although Laura C. is wildly in love, she describes it, she fears, more love-story than real romantic because cooking enters into it. But I think that she and the young sailor, she is about to marry are a lucky pair and that good food nourishes love more than either of them suspects. This is what happened:

Some months ago, the young sailor, Ted, having a short furlough, took he and Laura were invited to a food-stead weekend house-party. Laura was known to have such a talent for the egg-beater and the roasting-pan that it was natural she should go a day or two ahead to help her intimate friend, the hostess, with the cooking. But at the very moment the other guests were to arrive, she was called home by her mother's sudden illness.

When the dishes were served, one after another, the perfectly-flavored pot-roast, the juicy mince pie, the fluffy cake, the hostess meanwhile explaining the part Laura played in it, Ted was especially impressed.

"My!" he exclaimed between the succulent mouthfuls, "I'd marry a girl who can cook like that!" And though the others chaffed him, he stuck to it.

It was months before he had the chance to present himself at Laura's door. "Are you the mince-pie girl?" he demanded with a grin. "You're the best thing in the world. You're going to be married tomorrow!"

"He was so cute you couldn't help loving him", Laura confides. "For a boy like that, I'd cook forever, and I only wish I had the chance to begin right now. It's going to be months before I see him at sea. I don't see how I can bear it. All my family have Indigestion, but Ted has the most magnificent appetite.

"Of course I'd love him anyway. As he says, we do seem to be made for each other. And to think how nearly we missed meeting! Don't you think, Miss Fairfax, it was Destiny?"

Indeed I do. And I know I'm safe in sending my best wishes for a happy married life.



Wife Preservers

For cheese sticks cut stuffed pastry into strips or rounds with a knife. Sprinkle with grated cheese and bake in hot oven. Delicious to serve with soup or salad.

SCREEN WRITER DIES

Hollywood, Feb. 23 (AP)—Screen writer Tess Slesinger, 36, died yesterday at her home in nearby Uplands, her studio announced last night. She collaborated with her husband, Frank Davis, on the screen-plays of "The Good Earth" and "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn."

W. E. KNOX HEADS MERCHANTS

Toronto, Feb. 23. (CP)—W. E. Knox of Orillia was yesterday elected president of the Ontario Retail Hardware Association at its annual convention here. He succeeds Jim Weldaka of Brantford.

Accessorized Costume



By ALICE E. ALDEN.

The fashion formula used by many of the smartest women is to complement a good black basic dress with important or colorful accessories. Here, Faye Emerson dresses up her simple dress of black crepe with some important accessories. These include a three strand pearl choker, a yellow ostrich trimmed hat, gauntlets with deep sections of black satin to offset black suede, and a silver fox stole. Elegant, smart but not overdone since there is an absence of fashness or much extraneous detail.

Fashion Flashes

It should be easy to find the suit of your dreams, for there's everything ranging from the classic tailleur to all sorts of novelties. In the latter class is a suit in black, green and gray checked wooten, the jacket cut exactly like a long overblouse with self belt set in at the waist, and high revers. Long, full sleeves are tight at the wrist.

Way back is the site used for trimming many of the new hats. a tiny felt skull cap is trimmed with black cock-ade effect and covers interlwined with streamers of red dotted, black and white satin ribbon.

The prettiest picture say our fighting men, is that of a pretty girl in a pretty evening dress. Youthful and appealing is an evening frock of black net embroidered all over with little white daisies. A corsage of pink roses with green leaves gleams against the black satin girdle. Extended shoulders and deep oval neckline. There's one movie star who does use the things she endorses. We refer to Miss Margaret O'Brien who likes the dresses "sold with her name tag. She likes gingham with ruffles in red forming a plastron down the front. Similar ruffles for pockets and sleeve-finish.

A new way of placing the veil is noted in one line of wide brimmed sailors. The veil is drawn tightly over the face, looped in ballroom effect on the sides. Very new-looking!

Before we know it warm weather will be along. Again, women will be wearing dresses with cut-outs and vents. A pretty afternoon frock in black crepe with cut-out has vents between the bands that make the yoke and extend into cap sleeves. The vents are filled in with made pink marquisette.

TO CONFER WITH EDEN

Paris, Feb. 23 — (AP)—Foreign Minister Georges Bidault will leave for London, probably today, to confer with Foreign Secretary Eden on details of the Three Conference, the French government announced last night.

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

ARMS AND THE WOMEN

Remolding the figure may be a diversion or a chore, according to one's views of the matter. The highly energized woman enjoys calisthenics, any kind of exercise, especially outdoor sports. Her figure requires no help from it; she finds a bit of spread ambitiously, does her torso twisting and bending stunt, decently feel that she should be praised for her efforts, and a more graceful silhouette is her reward.

Woman who" refuses to let years detract from the youthful, svelte frame, get down on the floor and roll their hips away. If calves are getting fatted, they hop-scotch on their toes, to the amusement of the other members of the family. There are all sorts of movements that will diminish the expanding waistline. These beautifying endeavors go on all the time. But nothing much is done about arms, for some strange reason.

Arms have their own sorrows—an overabundance of adipose tissue, dreary spots of sunburn, redness and roughness of the skin, freckles, awkward lines of movement. Yes my beauties, arms are entitled to consideration at the beauty feast. They respond quickly to care.

The first need is sound musculature, which means good flexibility and desirable proportions. Unused muscles are often responsible for bulk and awkwardness.

To improve the surface of the skin, to make it white and velvet-smooth, beauty shops offer delightful hand and arm treatments. Some day when you've all, played out because you have been working like an old dray horse, want to go on a pulchritude binge, you might indulge in this specialty. The expense is trifling and the results are surprisingly good, especially if the beauty carries little red points and the cutaneous surface is rough and chapped.

You can give yourself a fairly satisfactory version of the professional treatment. Try it some evening when you don't want to read, or listen to the radio, or sit around and gab with the family.

Give the arms and hands a vigorous scouring with soap nods and a bath brush. The brush will dislodge dead skin scales, get the blood streams tingling so the flesh will be warm and glowing, conditioned for a-greasy massage, tomorrow, apply a heavy emollient, one that offers resistance to manipulations.

Stroke up and down from shoulder to wrist with flattened fingers. Use the same motion for backs and palms of hands and the other arm, doing circles. While the finger bracelet goes one way, the arm goes the other.

Wring turkish towels out of hot water, wrap around the arms, repeating several times. Remove the cream with the moist towel, dry and have a talcum friction.

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MARCH

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4	5	6	7	8 Butter Coupon 96 is valid.	9 BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS FROM YOUR GROCER	10
11	12	13	14	15 Butter '99'; Sugar 24, 25; Preserves 41, 42; Preserved Coupons for Canning 43, 44 are Valid.	16 BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS FROM YOUR GROCER	17
18	19	20	21	22 Butter Coupon 100 is valid.	23 BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS FROM YOUR GROCER	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 GOOD FRIDAY	31

1944 SUGAR RATION: In 1943 the regular sugar ration will be reduced two pounds a year. Two more coupons will be validated valid at the third Tuesday of each month instead of every fourth.

1943 CANNING SUGAR—10 POUNDS PER PERSON: Twenty Ration preserve coupons will be validated for the Canning Sugar Allowance. First two coupons are Valid March 15th.

COUPON VALUES

Sugar (Red) - - - - - One Pound
Butter (Purple) - - - - - Half Pound
Canning Sugar (Preserves) Half Pound

PRESERVES COUPONS VALUES: 12 field canoes jam, jelly, marmalade, maple butter, honey, or 16 fluid ounces corn syrup, cane syrup, blended table syrup; or 20 fluid ounces strained fruit; or 24 fluid ounces unstrained fruit, maple syrup; or 48 fluid ounces of molasses; or 2 lbs. cut comb honey; or 3 lbs. maple sugar; or ½ lb. sugar.

Weston's will appear on Saturday, March 31st.

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PROGRAM FOR V-DAY

VICTORY OVER GERMANY

The Following Plans Have Been Drawn Up By The Committees in Charge of V-Day Observances

- ASSEMBLY ON COURT HOUSE LAWN 11 A.M.
  (WEATHER PERMITTING — OTHERWISE IN ARMOURIES.)
  Program under His Worship Mayor Frank S. Foltwell.
- PUBLIC THANKSGIVING SERVICE—2.30 P.M.
  Auspices of Ministerial Association—ARMOURIES LAWN. (Weather permitting, Otherwise in Armouries.)
- CHURCH SERVICE AT 7.30 P.M.
  IN EACH BELLEVILLE CHURCH.
- MASS BAND CONCERT—FAIR GROUNDS—9.30 P.M
  (WEATHER PERMITTING — OTHERWISE IN ARMOURIES.)
  Followed by Special Events, such as—BON-FIRES — FIREWORKS—BURNING OF EFFIGIES — under supervision of Kinsmen Club, which will be followed by a

STREET DANCE ON MARKET SQUARE OR ARMOURIES

- SPECIAL NOTE:—REGARDLESS OF TIME OF ARMISTICE THE PROGRAM WILL BE CARRIED OUT AT TIMES SET BY COMMITTEE.
- CUT OUT FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.
- CHIEF REQUESTS THAT CARS BE LEFT AT HOME.

Bells and Sirens Will Sound The Victory When Announced!

Trenton Flyers Carry One-Goal Lead to Barrie by Defeating Camp Borden Here by 5 to 4

Ice Quite Sticky and Game More a Golfing Than a Hockey Contest

Playing on sticky ice that eventually saw the game develop into a glorified winter golf match the Trenton "Flyers" gained a one goal lead over the Camp Borden "Airmen" with a 5 to 4 victory before a near-capacity crowd of over 2,200 at the Hume Arena Friday night. The "Flyers" move into the Barrie rink on Tuesday enjoying their one-goal lead in the No. 1 R.C.A.F. Training Command semi-finals of a goals-to-count two-game series.

All even at one-to-one at the end of the initial period, the "Flyers' scoring ace, Paul Raymond who had been well tagged in the initial period, broke loose to score two rapid goals in the middle session with Camp Borden keeping pace with a singleton leaving the Flyers

MARCH

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leading 3-2. The scoring was even in the last session while the lads became heavy making good hockey impossible with both teams driving hard in a glorified golfing game that proved exciting to the utmost as the rubber was batted hither and yon, especially into the scoring zones of the respective goalies experienced difficult moments. Clearing was practically beyond the conventional defensive style of hockey on the sticky, but unfortunately not wet, ice.

Raymond Marked Man.

From the out-set it was apparent that Camp Borden "Airmen" had Paul Raymond as a marked man with the result the Flyers' scoring ace was well taken care of in the initial period. However, the visitors lost track of the fact there were others with the result Bernie Morgan rifled home the game's initial goal on a double-shuffle passing match with Perras. One Sven the Borden puckchasers moved down the ice to give goalie Robertson a busy session, during which Currie drew down a boarding penalty and without hesitation Evans drew the face-off draw and passed to Reed for the equalizer.

All even Borden raced to the offensive and carried the play strongly in the opening stages of the middle session with aggressive play but only the good work of Robertson in the Trenton net saved the day. Morgan and Ashleigh's minor penalties seemed nothing at all to the scrappy Irishmen although Raymond and Price's close calls were close. There were Hardy and Bedard, Evans in for a Borden counter after Raymond fired hard with the puck deflecting from the left post of Camp Borden defenceman's arm and that was the goal that inspired the former Les Canadien, who scored the winning counter to whip Marshall's pass-out behind the Trenton goal, to follow suit. Bedard whittled the lead down to one when he raced inside the Flyers' defence on Scott's pass but was practically beyond the conventional defensive style of hockey on the sticky, but unfortunately not wet, ice.

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Bedard and Hardy scored for Borden in the final session when golfing the puck was the order of the night, while Gingras and Frigon added sufficient goals to protect the odd counter last gained by Trenton in the middle session with Raymond getting a helping hand. Ross Bowyer, former Oshawa Leaf defenceman, was prominent in the Camp Borden line with sterling defensive play and an assist. The visitors also had High Hardy of the Montreal Royals and Ken Evans of the Newmarket Juniors, both of whom lent good support. Along the Flyers' line it was Robertson, who put in the nets with Reinhardt second in the line going both ways on sticky ice. Raymond led his usual two, but Rasmisky and Frigon were more effective with Perras and Morgan playing steady hockey. On the defence Trenton was covered well, as a matter of fact it was the combination of a "golfing" line and let the Flyers do the rest.

The lineups:

Camp Borden: Goal, Fisher; defence, White and Fowler; centre, Bedard; wings, Hardy and Reinhardt; subs, Reed, Evans, Dargel, Kastner, Livingstone, Scott, and Raymond.

Trenton "Flyers": Goal, Robertson; defence, Currie and Reinhardt; centre, Perras; wings, Frigon and Rasmisky; subs, Gingras, Morgan, Marshall, Price, Pack and Perras.

Referee: Rowe; Rowe and St. Louis.

Summary.

1st period.
1. Trenton, Morgan, (Perras) 8.31
2. Camp Borden, Reed ..... (Evans) 16.31

Penalty Currie.

2nd period.
3. Trenton, Raymond 10.45
4. Trenton, Raymond (Marshall) 11.09
5. Camp Borden, Bedard ..... (Scott) 18.51

3rd period.
6. Camp Borden, Bedard 1.40
7. Trenton, Gingras (Reinhardt) 2.32
8. Camp Borden, Hardy ..... (Fowler) 5.59
9. Trenton, Frigon (Raymond, Rasmisky 8.51

Penalties—None.

RED CROSS TO ASSIST HOSPITALS UNDER VETERANS AFFAIRS

Toronto, Feb. 24 —(CP)— Mrs. Arthur W. Ellis, president of the Ontario Division, Canadian Red Cross Society, announced that the society plans to assist hospitals under the Department of Veterans' Affairs by providing personnel to teach recreational therapy.

National President C. Bruce Hill of St. Catharines, Ont., said the society's campaign to raise $10,000,000, which starts in March, was undertaken at government request in collaboration with the Canadian United Allied Relief Fund.

NOTED FLIER CAPTURED

London, (CP)—Wing Cmdr. Roland F. Beamish, D.S.O. and Bar, D.F.C. and Bar, of Chichester, England, who commanded a Typhoon ring which was a spearhead of London's defences against the flying bomb, has been reported a prisoner-of-war.

FALCONS GAIN SOLE POSSESSION OF SECOND PLACE

Saints From Same City Earn Tie With Hamilton Majors Away From Home

(By Canadian Press)

Hamilton Majors and St. Catharines Saints wound up their schedule tied for third in the Senior O.H.A. with a 3-all draw in their arch-rival's home town in the Hamilton playing surface. The rivals will meet again in the first of the championship series at Hamilton next Tuesday night. It was the third tie game for the Majors but the first for the Saints during the regular campaign. Hamilton otherwise having ten victories against one loss to lead the standing, with St. Catharines earning six victories compared with seven defeats.

The concluding fixture saw St. Kilts and Falcons in a first period 2-2 and 3-1 in the second chapter, only to have the Saints deadlocked 3-3 at the end of 60 minutes. Comfort Cosnie gave the Falcons gained sole possession of second place in the standings with an 8-4 triumph over Oshawa Generals, the Cadets having been coming from behind to win a rugged contest.

The score was equal, 3-2, at the end of the first period but the Oshawa was on top, 6-1, 30 minutes later when Falcons had a 3-goal splurge in the third and two more by Sergeant Hall kept up the pace to win.

Tom Smellie was in the limelight when he registered all three tallies for St. Kilts in the first session.

The Generals kept pace and went into the lead in the second frame on two goals by Barry Sullivan and Jimmy Marshall while the homesters were getting two. It was Hall with the final dash, however.

In addition to Smelie, Falcons scorers were Edwards and Somerville with two apiece and Delmonte with a single. Oshawa marksmen were Sullivan with two, Gallagher, Smith, Lowe and Samaraiz.

Picton R.C.A.F. And Bloomfield Meet In Finals

Picton, Feb. 24.—Bloomfield and Picton RCAF will meet in the finals of Picton and District Bounty hockey league as a result of Bloomfield's 8-5 victory over Picton Town team, Wednesday night. The two teams were tied in the first game, goals counting on total aggregate. More than one thousand fans jammed the arena and were treated to a fast and thrilling game.

Scott scored for Picton in the first period with Brimley tying it up. Parks scored for Bloomfield and Dyer added a pair, ending the period. In the second, Platford scored for Bloomfield and Whattam tied it. Whattam scored to end the period in favor of Picton. The third period continued fast with McNeil scoring for Bloomfield and Platford putting them one up. Both goals were scored while Picton was a man short. Whattam scored the score again while Parks tallied for Bloomfield on his team was one man short. Final score, 6-5. Both goalies starred in stellar performances and were called upon for many saves.

The finals will be three games out of five and start Monday.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.)
(Associated Press Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 24.—Baseball's baseball's committee to revise the major league agreement meets in Chicago Monday. Frazy Frazee, czar-land of the Pacific Coast League wants three more clubs added to the league, Bill Veeck, who has been negotiating with various high school athletic groups on behalf of baseball, probably would add the game of baseball already is in trouble for that same reason, and even when it has good intentions the educators are suspicious.

Unanswered Question

If the midnight curfew for night spots remains in effect through the baseball season, how do you suppose Vince DiMaggio will do for one of those three-book snacks after a night game?

One-Minute Sports Page.

An article in the current "Green-keepers' Reporter" in the Vale of Belvoir Golf courses studied with sand traps, whether wire and tan poles to prevent the landing of gliders . . . Judging by scores recently reported from southern resorters, some of those hazards should be retained. . . . When Baltimore was in the American League in 1901-02, the Club drew a total attendance of 318,000. Last season the minor league Orioles drew 464,000. . . . Is that why they call 'em the "good old days"?

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



CASUAL COMMENT

By K.J.C.

The Meanings.

The small son of the house was doing his homework, and his parents were sitting by the fire.

"What's a fiancee, dad?" asked the youngster presently.

"A woman who is engaged to be married," replied his father.

"And what is a fiasco?" asked the boy next.

"Oh, that's the fellow who's going to marry her."

The Mail Box.

Apparently local sport fans are becoming most concerned regarding the hockey games played this season at the Hume Arena. . . . By mail telephone and personal contact we have received various forms of favorable comment, protests and what-have-you over differences of opinion regarding both junior games and the Air Force tussles. . . . Stan Caldwell writes to say he feels there should be another Bomber-Flyer game to decide the championship of the Quinte service league all year games and goals after playing 360 minutes of hockey, twenty of them games. As far as we fans are concerned there has not been a winner declared yet," writes Ivan. . . . League scoring statistics show each team scored 30 goals in their six games played, of which two were shut-outs and each team emerged winner on two occasions. . . . Don Boyle writes to add similar comment by giving Trenton credit for taking the last series, but "we feel that another game between those two evenly matched teams should be played to decide the championship of the Bay of Quinte service league," writes Don. . . . Bill Warren, popular Front Street barber and sterling hockey fan, says the Bombers were robbed in the last game. . . . "I've got a dozen or more impartial civilian patrons who saw the Bombers score a goal in the last period that wasn't counted. The puck was driven by Cowley so hard it hit the back of the net and was out again in the twinkling of an eye." The goal umpire should have seen it however," contends Bill, who has a pair of Front Street support in his squawk. . . . James Jackson, who gives Belleville as his address, writes in protest over the refereeing during the other night's Belleville-Combine junior game. . . . Jackson doesn't explain what his beef exactly is, but says "the referees displayed poor sportsmanship" . . . Mr. Jackson doesn't exactly elucidate as to the principal of his protest, or make mention of any particular play or decision to base his protest upon, but he meant well.

Flyers One Up.

Maybe it's a good thing there was slow ice at the Hume Arena last night, because from this angle it appeared as though the Camp Borden "Airmen" were just a little bit too fast afoot for our Trenton "Flyers", despite the fact Paul Maika arrived back from somewhere in the east to take over defensive charge, Paul Raymond and his puck contemporaries to a 3 to 4 win over the Borden sextette. With teams like Borden, Trenton and even the Bombers, a one goal advantage means little or nothing and if the Barrie rink scene is as small as we understand, the Flyers have a good time cut out for themselves in the business of getting into the No. 1 Training Command finals.

The Borden team carried Jimmy Fowler, former Maple Leaf defence-man, who didn't get untracked until the third period, also Hugh Hardy, No. 1 pin of the fans, who carried punch, but it was Bedard, the Borden centre man who stood out for the visitors, from here. The Borden team played that five-man golf style that usually pays off on fast ice, but they made one mistake—skating Raymond, six-months-by-wieldy well for a lip stitch.

In the meantime, Frigon, Perras-Rasminsky, Peck and the rest were doing some of that business called offensive hockey, but last night it was pleasing to see the Flyers' defence, all four of 'em, turn in their best effort of the year in front of a sportsmen who was quite a busy goalie with sensational saves. Sometimes he and Fisher, the Borden goalie, wrapped their arms around each other after the contest and wondered if they just weren't alone in a glorified golfing contest in the middle of the winter. (Maybe Bill Steer and Perc Allen learned a new style of testing off last night. Or are they too old?)

Remember When.

Johnny Risko, Cleveland baker boy, continued in his role as "spoiler" of heavyweight boxing ambitions when he outrought Lee Savold in 10 rounds at New York 12 years ago tonight. Risko got his nickname of "spoiler" from the late Tex Richard after he "robbed" Jack Sharkey of a title bout with Gene Tunney with a decision over the Boston sailor.

Inundated.

With the ice surface at the Stirling rink covered with water last night's Belleville-Combine junior O.H.A. group tilt had to be postponed until possibly Monday. The Stirling rink is built on low ground in a hollow and it manages that when the rains come the ice surface became inundated. The lay-off gives the teams a well-earned rest, although it may be more appreciated by the Crashines than Belleville, who enjoyed a rest last week.

JUNIOR "B" PLAYOFFS

At STIRLING ARENA

Monday, February 26th

Belleville Juniors

vs.

Stirling-Marmora Combines

Admission— 50c. Reserved. Rush, Adults 35c.

Children 20c.

CANADA'S VETERANS

Their Post-War Opportunities

The third of three advertisements explaining the re-establishment credit.

How to Make Application For Re-establishment Credit—

The first two advertisements in this series have explained the principles of the re-establishment credit and have outlined the purposes for which it may be used. They have pointed out that the credit is a non-repayable grant for which all veterans who have served without dishonourable discharge are eligible, but that it is an alternative to training, continuation of territorial functions are eligible, but that it is an alternative to training, continuation of education and benefits under the Veterans' Land Act. It is the purpose of this final advertisement to clarify the method of making application.

APPLY FOR THE GRATUITY FIRST

In no case can the re-establishment credit be paid until the first payment on the War Service Gratuity has been received by the veteran. Application for the War Service Gratuity should be made to the branch of the armed forces with which the applicant served, on forms which can be secured at any armed forces depot or at any district office of the Department of Veterans Affairs. With the first war service gratuity check a statement will be furnished showing the amount of the re-establishment credit. This information is essential in applying for the credit.

MAKE DEFINITE PLANS BEFORE APPLYING

It is important that the veteran's re-establishment plans be clear-cut before making application as payment of the credit debars the veteran from training and education grants and from benefits under the Veterans' Land Act, and payments for training and education and under the Veterans' Land Act already made are charged against the re-establishment credit. Ample time is given to reach a decision, as part or the whole of the credit may be applied for at any time within ten years of discharge.

APPLY ON THE PROPER FORM

Official forms for making application should be used. These may be secured at any district office of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

HOW THE CREDIT IS ADMINISTERED

The Re-establishment Credit—amounting to $7.50 for each 30 days' service in the Western Hemisphere and $15.00 for each 30 days' service overseas—is money which belongs to those who have served and who do not elect to take training or to take advantage of the land settlement opportunities under the Veterans' Land Act. The Department of Veterans Affairs is anxious to see that it is used by the veteran to assist his re-establishment.

Payment of the money credited will be made to vendors and agencies on request of the veteran and receipts for payments made on behalf of the veteran may be secured from such recipients. It is available for use in Canada only.

In certain instances, such as the purchase or establishment of a business the department will secure the advice of people with a specialized knowledge of the business in which the veteran is re-establishing himself. For this purpose local Re-establishment Credits Advisory Committees are being set up. These are composed of responsible citizens serving voluntarily. Applications from veterans in rural areas, however, will be passed through committees administering the Veterans' Land Act. These steps are taken with the sole purpose of satisfying the Department that the purpose to which the credit is to be applied is a statutory one and has re-establishment merit.

While the principal function of the advisory committees will be to aid the Department in dealing with applications for purchase or establishment of businesses, veterans with projects in mind that their applications for any purpose be referred to these committees so as to improve their proposals and make use of their credits to better advantage in their purchase.

PURPOSES FOR WHICH CREDIT MAY BE USED

Grant of the credit may be authorized for the following purposes:

(a) To assist in purchase of a house;
(b) To assist in building a house;
(c) To assist in the repairing or modernization;
(d) To buy household equipment and furniture;
(e) To provide working capital for profession or business;
(f) To buy tools, instruments, etc., for trade, profession, or business;
(g) To buy a business;
(h) To pay premiums on Dominion of Canada insurance;
(i) To buy special equipment required for educational or vocational training.

In the case of (a) and (b) above, it is necessary for the Veteran to have an equity in his home. In the case of (d) and (g) the Veteran must put up one dollar for every two dollars used from the Re-establishment Credit. If experience shows broadening of these purposes is needed, provision has been made for it.

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION WRITE TO THE NEAREST OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Issued under the Authority of Hon. Ian A. Mackenzie, Minister of Veterans Affairs.

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PLAYER'S NAVY CUT CIGARETTES

Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 615
By SAM GORDON
The Knitter

What makes a cumbersome system, correct? It spells that way from starting with a foundation that is not mathematically sound.

Better than average is the true basis for the opening bid in any net deal. A system that opens with some time cumbersome methods of safeguarding that future bids.

So, Culbertson has the Principle of Preparedness influenced by the Principle of Economy of Bids. And the Four Aces prefer to call theirs the Principle of Anticipation.

Lies Jones' Snoopitzer's pinky when she holds a teacup, elegant phrases? Impress patookas. But here's one system that's not for you. Unless your step's principle is necessity.

They mean: In our system, an opening bid may not have better than average in every item. So, don't open unless you can stand a second bid. Use it necessary to prepare for the next bid.

Horse Jones does not ask you to predict the future. It uses the correct hand for an opening bid. So, it is actually half prepared. It is designed to anticipate any next bid.

The sound opening needs are five tricks, four high cards, two sure tricks. A system that opens with less in any item must be to protect itself in the bidding. Cumbersome systems do that.

How do they be? By reversing the order in which suits should be shown. By bidding suits that are not biddable. By using tactics that are not standardized.

There is no sound opening bid in this hand.

♠ 10 8 2
♥ 10 7 5
♦ 2 3
♣ 8 4 2

A cumbersome player might open it. But with a tic of one club to anticipate or prepare for his partner's reply. Then they must depend on cumbersome exceptions to protect their future.

Systems with Isoptions monkey with exceptions.

Six New Trophy Winners Expected At Close of Spiel

Ed. Young of Toronto and A. C. Gardiner of Sarnia Meet for Royal York

Toronto, Feb. 24 — (CP) — Six new trophy-winners are expected to be crowned today when the 18th annual Ontario bonspiel will wind up a week of play.

Ed Young of Toronto Royal Canadians will meet A. C. Gardiner of Sarnia in the final game for the Royal York trophy and Dr. C. B. Eaton of Toronto High Park and W. Henderson of Kitchener will be the finalists for the Birks-Ellis-Ryrie Trophy.

Frank Wilson of London and W. J. Mayfield of Wainwaiona, Wis. will meet in a semi-final game early today for the right to engage in the final of the Schenley Trophy event, against Dr. W. J. Patterson of Detroit. This event has possibilities of bringing all United States final between the only United States teams left in the spiel.

Ed Young of Toronto Royal Canadians will have his second opportunity to win a trophy when he faces W. C. Arnott of McIntyre in the North American Life Trophy final.

The Association Trophy final will pit the winner of a semi-final game between J. A. Wright of London and T. Hawking of Toronto Royal Canadians against the winner between Dr. J. Reginald of Chatham and W. R. Macdonald of Toronto Curling Club.

Reynolds Going Strong

Skip G. Reynolds of Chatham will enter his second semi-final of the day when he meets R. P. Garrett of Barrie in the Waterloo Trophy event. The winner, will enter the final against the survivor of a match between F. R. Michael of Oshawa and J. Hales of Toronto Granites.

In the semi-final games in the Royal York Trophy play Young of Toronto Royal Canadians defeated C. W. Maddick of Hamilton Victorias and A. C. Gardiner defeated C. B. Haddon of Toronto Curling Club.

The Birks-Ellis-Ryrie semi-finals brought victory to Dr. C. L. Baker of Toronto High Park over Dr. A. E. Walker, and to W. Henderson of Kitchener over Ken A. Miles of Toronto High Park.

Dr. W. J. L'Heureux of Detroit defeated the defending trophy-holder, Percy H. Shiell of Lindsay, in a Schenley Trophy semi-final.

Semi-final winners in the North American Life Trophy games were W. C. Arnott of McIntyre over A. Ross Tarlton of Hamilton Victorias and Bill Young of Toronto Royal Canadians from Ken Young and his left-handers from Port Arthur.



AT THE McCARTHY — Charles Boyer, Charles Coburn and Irene Dunne are co-starred in Columbia's "Together Again," currently charming audiences at the McCarthy Theatre.

RAY ROBINSON BEATS LAMOTTA IN TEN ROUNDS

Welterweight Has Averaged $4,500 a Round in Last Two Fights

New York, Feb. 24. (AP)—Instead of being billed as the "uncrowned king of middleweights," Ray (Sugar) Robinson could be called "the $90,000 kid."

Robinson, Harlem negro boxer, picked up approximately that much money for his six 2-3 minutes in the ring. That covers his one knockout of Georgy Costner at Chicago ten days ago and his 10-round decision over Jake LaMotta at Madison Square Garden last night. This averages about $4,500 a round or $1,500 a minute and makes Robinson the highest paid boxer around these days.

Robinson, an odds-on favorite, had little trouble beating LaMotta. He thus avenged for the second time the only blot on his 35 bout record and made it three triumphs in three nights with the Bronx middleweight.

A crowd of 18,269 fans paid $67,185 compared to $94,129 for the Robinson-Costner array in Chicago) saw Robinson, with the exception of the sixth round, outbox, outpunch and outgeneral LaMotta. He jabbed and counterpunched with the skill and polish of a ringwise veteran. LaMotta, 158, to Ray's 148 1/2, kept forcing the fight all the way and for a better than 10 to 1 shot had Robinson set up for a knockout pumelo.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Detroit — Emmett Orler, 136, Detroit, outpointed Tony Garcia, 133, Philadelphia, 10; Gene Gudgill, 146, Detroit, stopped Jack Malton Kessler, 146, New York, 10.

Philadelphia — Jupp Donahue, 145½, Philadelphia, K.O. Jack Schuler, 144½, Philadelphia, 8; Henry Taylor, 136, Philadelphia, T.K.O. Leo Maher, 177, Montreal, 3.

Los Angeles — Ike Kone, 164, Los Angeles, knocked out Angi Jiminez, 162, Mexico City, 2; Pirilo Ramos, 136, Tijuana, Mexico, T.K.O. Johnny Verduaco, 139½, Los Angeles, 7.

Haegg Not Likely To Make the Meet

New York, Feb. 24 — (AP) — Although Gunder Haegg, the Swedish distance runner, is still somewhere at sea, and Cil Dodds, last year's mile winner, will also be missing in tonight's National A. A. U. track and field championships at Madison Square Garden, the meet promises to be one of the best in its 57-year-old history.

Dan Ferris, secretary of the A.A.U. still is hopeful that Haegg, who is beginning to be compared with the ancient mariner, will be among the 26 entries in the three-mile event, but track officials are resigned to his absence.

Recreation Alleys

Dee Bee

Fipers, 4 points — L. Noakes 422, S. Bushlow 392, A. Bushlow 384, E. Hall, FU. Irene 312—1904.

Commandos, 3 points — Welsh 361, C. Marvin 361, S. Welsh 309, M. Cockell 343, G. Marvin 354—1727.

Nightstalkers, 2 points — M. Peacey 441, E. Caine 399, J. Chapman 461, D. Cunningham 434, C. White 354—2097.

Bombardiers, 2 points—M. Meeks 522, S. Trapp 500, P. Hunter 379, B. Cook 417, M. Dodds 338—1957.

Air Gunners, 1 point — M. Calbury 410, B. Buckley 371, G. DeSerres 493, M. Reid 502, D. Welch 512—2319.

Jeep, 3 points — A. Hinchey 492, M. Freeman 498, O. Dunlop 496, R. Meldrick 497, F. Ritter 521—2504.

"Y" ALLEYS

EVENING

Timber Toppers, 2 pts.—E. Ketcheson 511; T. Smith 492; J. Bliss 484; R. Wadman 509; M. Fairbairn 498. Total 2094.

Spitfires, 1 Pt.—M. Salsbury 522; L. Bird 463; D. Evans 457; B. Bolls 556; Doc 300. Total 2671.

Fillers, 3 Pts.—F. Wardhaugh 446; R. Shapton 500; A. Hurst 540; B. Downey 300; R. Reddick 486; Total 2082.

Corvettes, 1 Pt.—M. Cook 469; H. Langevin 366; W. Shaw 432; R. Langevin 385; Doc 300. Total 1951.

AFTERNOON

Beavers, 4 Pts.— R. Storey 439; O. Cross 530; P. Johnston 458; I. Morse 441; E. Dawson 504. Total 2333.

Spitfires, 0 Pts.—W. Shaw 388; C. Mott 504; A. Waltin 512; Grew 307; Doc 300. Total 2068.

PLAYOFF BERTH AT STAKE IN WEEKEND GAMES

Toronto Leafs Play Rangers at Home and Canadiens in Montreal Sunday

(By The Canadian Press)

The fire N.H.L. games this weekend won't change the standings of the top three teams—Montreal, Detroit and Toronto—but they are vital to the play-off hopes of the other three—Boston, New York and Chicago.

New York Rangers play at Toronto tonight and they entertain Boston Sunday. Montreal visits Montreal Sunday to renew the Maple Leaf-Canadian hostilities. Chicago plays a home-and-home series with Detroit.

A double victory for Rangers would boost them into the fourth-place spot at the expense of one of Boston, if Chicago wins twice they'll be within a game of Boston. If Rangers lost twice however Boston's grip on the last play-off spot will be secure, and Hawks would be in a fifth-place tie.

Rangers, in view of the quad 6-2 thrashing they handed Detroit Thursday and the fact Toronto has not won in four starts, are conceded the best chance at moving in on Boston. They'll have silver-haired Neil Colville in uniform at Toronto, but he is available on for game duty there and at Montreal.

Return of Johnny Crawford to the Boston defence and Dave (Sweeney) Creighton to the attack may give New York plans out or killer. But Coach Clarence (Hap) Day of Leafs, at least, is none too certain of victory.

"We have had a tough season with injuries" he said but added that with Schriner back Day shouldn't do too badly. He said the three bottom clubs would not likely threaten Leaf play-off hopes "but Boston might embarrass in the Stanley Cup finals".

Hockey Results

Manitoba Junior North Division Finals

Winnipeg Aquilres 7, Ukrainian Athletic Club 2.

(Aquilres win best-of-three series 2-0).

Interprovincial League

Cornwall Flyers 4; Shawinigan Falls Cataracts 2.

Senior O.H.A.

Hamilton Majors 3, St. Catharine Saints 2 (tie).

Junior O.H.A.

St. Catharines Patonis 8, Oshawa Generals 5.

Junior B O.H.A.

Glences 6, Watford 1.

(First game of two-game, total-goal series).

Stratford Kroehlers 8, Brantford Lions 3.

(Stratford leads best-of-five series 1-0).

No. 2 Air Command Senior Play-offs

Jeep, 3 points — Depot 8, Carnahoin 3.P.T.C. 4.

Windsor, S.P.T.S. 3, Rivers 2.

(Sudden-death semi-finals)

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Unchanged.

Saturday: New York at Toronto; Chicago at Detroit.

Sunday: New York at Boston; Toronto at Montreal; Detroit at Chicago.

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Eastern Division

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Buffalo	36	18	6	78
Hershey	30	21	8	68
Providence	29	26	6	64
Western Division				
Cleveland	36	13	10	82
Indianapolis	27	17	15	69
Pittsburgh	32	23	4	68
St. Louis	27	26	7	61
Last night: Pittsburgh 10, St. Louis 2.				

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TAKE NO CHANCES

Heat tablets, which look like peppermint candy, are impregnated with a bitter substance to prevent soldiers from eating them by mistake.



AT THE BELLE — Hollywood's latest love team is Barry Sullivan and Dorothy Lamour, currently appearing in "Rainbow Island," now at the Belle. Dottie co-stars with that sassy pair of comedians Eddie Bracken and Gil Lamb. The picture is in Technicolor.



AT THE CAPITOL — Guns and Gals—that's the thrill-filled routine of tough guy Alan Ladd, and he does right well with both of 'em. Shown above are Helen Walker and Ladd in "Lucky Jordan," starting Sunday midnight at the Capitol Theatre. The added new film, "Man in the Trunk," features Lynne Roberts.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KENNEY
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

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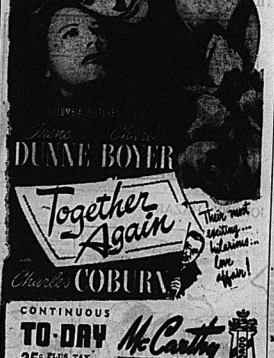
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THE SECRET OF THE MARSHBANKS

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

CHAPTER 3.

"Oh, that!" thought said with a brightening face. "Shal I think I could do it?

"I'm sure you could. And you would be paid seventy-five dollars a month."

"Seventy-five dollars a month! Oh, she is kind!"

He was delighted in her delight, and that also had left dangerous topics behind her.

His laughter, and was comforted by the thought, that she was very young, and that whatever need of discouragement or depression was sometimes her's would not be a lasting mood. He saw her eyes quicken as she added, "When—when would it go?"

"This is—let's see, the third", he said. "Suppose you come down on Monday? Monday's a good day to start. You take a train at half past five in the afternoon, and at seven the next night someone will meet you at the Oakland Mole."

"Sunday wouldn't do?" she asked, rather anxiously.

"I was thinking, when you said Oakland, that two Sisters Are going down to the Oakland house on Sunday; we're having the children for them Sunday afternoon; they would take me".

"That would be an excellent arrangement. You come first to my house, you understand, and then we go over and see Emma when you've some clothes and have had time to look about a little. I must see Mother Superior before I go and make the arrangements for you".

And then they were walking back toward the convent's main building, through wide, orderly, dimly lighted corridors.

"I must tell you about my family, Cherry", the man said. "My mother lives with us—Mrs. Clay Judson Marshbanks, she's known as a little formidable and she is a little formidable! Then there's my pretty wife—I call her that wife", he interrupted himself to explain, "and Fran is almost young enough to be my daughter, I've a son Greg—he's twenty-four, off at college in the East, and also with us is my brother's daughter, Amy. Amy's mother died when she was a little girl; her father was killed in an accident a few years after that, and my mother has had her since—making her how in sooting and quite grown up.

"Of course", the judge went on comfortably, "you'll not be long with us, but Mrs. Porter's isn't far away, and I hope, if anything goes wrong, you'll feel that you have a right to run around the corner and tell me about it."

And some night would her mother take her home with her as the opera— we have a beautiful Memorial Opera House, you know."

"Oh, not for the opera!" Cherry gasped.

"I don't hope so. We'll hope that you'll be happy. And if it's rather rough going at first—Emma isn't the most tactful woman in the girl. . . ."

"Oh, no! She'll take care of me and I won't feel so strange", Cherry assured him eagerly.

"I think you're going to solve your own problems very well", he approved.

She was going away from the only world she knew; the air was full of farewells and heartaches, and strange excited happiness of anticipation. Cherry indeed had vague babyhood memories of a plaster cottage and a patio; she had indeed been to the Sisters with a group of nuns and girl every summer; she had even penetrated to the noisy downtown streets to try her inexperienced hand at kindergarten teaching. But these had been merely protogee and variations upon the main fact of her life; that she was one of the charges of Saint Dorothea's, the poor, the sad, the stories of her companions were not like those of other girls, that there were not homes ready to receive them, families ready to welcome them, that there was a certain stigma in the unknown world outside the convent walls ready to attach itself to anyone who was identified as a Saint Dorothea girl. And now she was going away!

Not being young and never having known a Christmas or even a birthday with whom to compare her lot, Cherry had followed the example of the rest, had worried not at all about her future, and had satisfied herself with the carefully planned routine of the convent.

It had once been a sufficiently dark and comfortless regime. But times were changed now. Mother Superior was noted for her modernity. Old-fashioned sister could the practice of scales must give way to arts more immediately useful. Music lessons, French and Italian languages and music must study secretarial work; domestic-science-ers and beauty-parlors methods too, and voice training for radio. And if they wanted to try their hands at nursing stories or competes for national advertising prizes, let them go ahead!

Old girls were twenty, found employment under "responsible conditions" in the unknown world, sad disappeared; new girls came in, small and frightened at homesick eyes from the most unfit and perished at the sight of rebellion and angry and full of muttered threats of escape.

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RADIO PROGRAMS

SATURDAY, FEB. 24

4.00 p.m.
WGR, WBEN—News; Sport.
4.15 p.m.
CBL—CBC News.
CFRB—Children's Bandwagon.
4.30 p.m.
CBL—Curtain Echoes.
CKOC—Dinner Date
4.45 p.m.
CBL—BBC News.
7.00 p.m.
WJZ—Great Gildersleeve
WBEW-CBS—Mayor of the Town
CFRB—Jack Benny
7.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—The Saint
CFRB—Double or Nothing
WBEW-CBS—America in the Air
WJZ—Blue Jackets
8.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Gaslight Gaities
CJBC—Two-Piano Team
WGR—Saturday Night Dance
WBEW-CBS—Danny Kaye Show
8.30 p.m.
CJBC—Boston Symphony
CFRB—Take a Chance
CBL—CBC—Stars the Wealth
WBEN—Truth or Consequences
WJZ—Hit Parade
9.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Barn Dance
WJZ-WEBW-CBS—Hit Parade
9.45 p.m.
WBEN-CBS—N.H.L. Hockey
9.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Can You Top This?
CJBC-NBC—Barn Dance
CFRB—Lum and Abner
9.45 p.m.
WBEN-CBS—Saturday Serenade
10.00 p.m.
WBEW-CBS—Party
WBEN-NBC—Al Pearce Show
10.15 p.m.
WBEW-CBS—Al Pearce Show
10.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Grand Old Opry
CKEY—Monte Lang's Orchestra
WGR-Blue—The Man Called X
CFRB—Paul Pirani, Orchestra
11.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—11.15—Major Bilott
CBC—BBC Newsreel
WBEN—News
CFRB—Mickey Lester
11.15 p.m.
CFRB-CBS—George Olsen Orch.
CBL—British Tommy

SUNDAY, FEB. 25

4.00 p.m.
CJBC-S. Paul Whiteman Show
CFRB-CKOC—Cosie and Hooser
4.30 p.m.
CBL—Salon Hornet
WEBW-CBS—Dr. Brice Show
CBL—Vancouver Symphony
5.00 p.m.
CJBC—Cleveland Symphony
WBEN-WGR—Jay Ballou
WGR-CBS—Kate Smith Hour
5.30 p.m.
CBL—"I for Lanky"
CKEY, WBEN-NBC—Bandwagon
5.45 p.m.
CBL, CKOC-NBC—Bergen-McCarthy
CFRB—Gabriel Heatter's account, who brought you here—was very definite that it had been her wish to put you with us, Mrs. Haskell—Emma doesn't remember, but you will see her now—had known a fine woman who became one of Saint Dorothea's sisters, and through her she knew exactly the character of our work".

"I remember Emma", Cherry had stammered, almost faint with the final excitement, "I remember! I've been any especial stigma attached to her name there; she might have been one of the Vicar's parish girls! She had fixed widened eyes, in a pallid face, upon Mother Superior But disappointingly, there had seemed to be nothing more to add to this. The nun had merely made her a parting gift, a medal that had been blessed in Rome, and had taken her downstairs for final farewells.

Sister Fabian and Sister Ourvase were both busy with the train. They did not want any sipper; they had the three births made up immediately, and Cherry left them to the little window seat in the empty length of the car and sat, breathless, watching the landscape flying by.

She jumped when old Dr. O'Connor touched her arm, realized that she was hungry, went with him through the swaying train to the dining car and was so rapt over its high and warmth and the bewildering obligation of ordering something from the menu for the first time in her life that she had only faint cuts and honey were all she could murmur when the waiter politely pointed his pencil over the order blank.

Both little nuns were tucked up in bed when she cautiously entered the drawing room, and the doctor was lounge, and slept the sleep of youth and fatigue in his narrow boundaries. Breakfast was another affair; she was smoking coffee, such buttered toast—and the long day that dragged for almost everyone else, yet lured was too short for her.

But at a quarter past seven o'clock—for the train was late when they descended somewhat grimly and jaded at the Oakland Mole, all her nervous excitement and expectation had disappeared. She was pale, too much absorbed in her own emotions to notice the effect of her hat and her luggage upon the Marshbanks party. A young French chauffeur, she was soon identified by the worried Sisters, and Cherry, Mrs. Judson Marshbanks and a nice middle-aged woman named Miss Mabel Hunt, the nuns went their way, and Cherry, leaning from the window of the magnificent car, saw for the first time the diamond-dust of the great bridge, the further flare of the San Mateo open rising above the dark, troubled waters, the long, low hills of San Francisco's towered hills silhouetted against a pearly and angry sky.

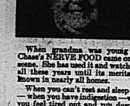
Mary, the housemaid, who had been sent to meet her, was really, Cherry guessed, about Amy's age, Mabel who had two almost grown boys. But she was already a member of the household, she said good humoredly, and Miss Cherry had better call her Jo.

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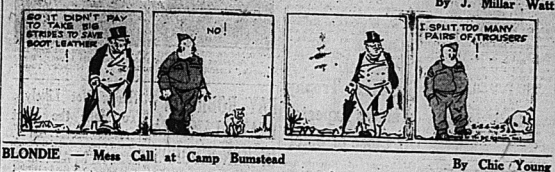
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Tuesday, February 22nd., at 1 p.m. Estate Alvin Wannamaker, Marysville. Farm stock; two mares; 6 Holstein cows; farm implements; wood; cedar posts; lumber; household effects. Jos. McCambridge, administrator.
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NOTICE

To the members of Belleville Lodge No. 1004, Loyal Order of Moose.
A special meeting of the lodge will be held at the Moose Hall, Belleville, on Tuesday, February 27, at 8 o'clock, for members only, their men friends. Bro. Harry C. Read, of Hamilton, assistant membership director of Canada, will address the meeting.
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Dino Grandi Says Mussolini's Hatred of Hitler Became Mania

New York, Feb. 26 (AP)—Count Dino Grandi, in a copyright article in this week's Life magazine, places the entire blame for Italian Premier Hitler's ill-fated alliance with Germany squarely on Mussolini, who, according to Grandi, is constantly declaiming for himself a constant effort to preserve peace.

Yet, despite his unyielding determination to avoid war, Grandi says, Mussolini hated Hitler to the point that he was a rival for world power.

Grandi, the dean of Mussolini's highest-ranking associates to escape the Fascist dictator, says Mussolini July 25, 1943, when Grandi and a majority of Mussolini "tried in vain to make him that his duty as a patriot was to quit, to give up the dictatorship, volunteer and to let the nation survive its will."

Grandi warned Mussolini he would repeat all he had said in the session before the Grand Council.

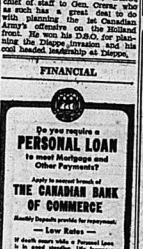
Before going to the council meeting, Grandi made his will, wrote to his wife and children and arranged for the King to be informed of the session.

Grandi read the text of the resolution and told the council, he says, that "the Italian people are fighting for Mussolini on the day when he first began to betray Italy."

Grandi's supporters finally forced the resolution to a vote. At 3 a. m. Sunday:

"Nineteen — for. Seven — against. One — Grandi abstaining."

Mussolini then was passed on Fascist dictatorship."



Brig. Churchill Mann, D.S.O., chief of staff to Gen. Crerar, who was killed in a plane crash in 1944 with planning the 1st Canadian Army's offensive on the Continent. He won his D.S.O. for planning the Dieppe invasion and his cool headed leadership at Dieppe.

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Canadian Fags Appreciated In Far-off India

From far off India where good cigarettes are unavailable comes appreciation for Canadian cigarettes expressed by L. Stewart Reid of the Army and Navy Veterans' Relief Fund, Belleville, which thoughtfulness of supplying Canadian cigarettes here where good smokes are unobtainable has prompted many to say "appreciated," assured L.A.C. Reid, who with others, is serving in the Far East with the R.C.A.F. Scores of similar replies enclosing receipts for Canadian cigarettes from Belleville and district boys overseas are received by President James Lebosky, chairman of the Vets' Relief Fund.

So urgent is the need of smokes for fighting forces that each reply from overseas, which costs chanks to the Vets, but with the continuance of sending these needed smokes overseas to the boys, the Vets are finding their funds in this work the Army and Navy Vets. "big fund" also operates, is in danger of a thorough voluntary contributions.

Up to Monday, February the Vets. sent 69,200 cigarettes overseas at a cost of $1,600, which costs 5,000 sent monthly to the crew of the corvette "Belleville". The list of Belleville and district boys to whom cigarettes have been sent by individual adjustments of 300 cigarettes each for the month of each week included: F. Wallbank, R. J. Valleau, A. Mair, H. F. Boyd, G. Van Allen, G. Archer, R. E. Secord, C. J. Bird, C. O. Terry, Woodward, R. J. Holland, S. Weese, F. M. Kelly, J. V. Fraser, F. J. Schaefer, R. W. Fraser, R. Smith, H. Lance, R. R. Boyd, R. H. Deck, Jack Hall, Jack Hall, Jr., Don Haldson, A.J. Genereaux, R. F. Mathieson, R. Stevens, M. J. Lynch, J. A. Westlake, L. E. Hall, D. A. Hopkins, W. J. Mills, L. Bellis, J. Bellis, Jr., Lorne Ketcheson, A. J. Wright, W. Lawson, W. J. Carson, R. F. Dafoe, F. Dafoe, Jr., Cpl. Cooper, S. J. Stark, B. R. Mumns, C. F. Lloyd, M. C. Haycock, J. Lloyd, R. Asselstine, C. S. Sheppard, J. Gilchrist, W. F. Taylor, J. A. Juby, G.B. Wright, C. J. Wright, R. Wright, G. W. Murray, E. A. Denyer, R. Mallory, R. Mallory, Jr., R. Ford, W. G. Bellis, J. V. Shepherd, Don

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President Roosevelt Chats With Arab Rulers on Way From Yalta



Arab guards in King Ibn Saud's retinue photographed as they watched over the King during his meeting with Roosevelt.



Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt separately visited several Arab rulers following the Crimean conference. Here President Roosevelt chats with Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia aboard an American warship.



King Farouk of Egypt in an admiral's uniform, visits President Roosevelt aboard his warship near Cairo.



President Roosevelt chats with King Ibn Saud of Saudi Arabia aboard a U. S. warship near Cairo, Egypt. The King had travelled 500 miles for the meeting.

MRS. EDEN AT "EXPEDITIONARY CLUB"



Mrs. Anthony Eden, wife of the British foreign minister, a director of the club, chats with Maurice Chevalier, famed entertainer, after he had appeared at the Allied Expeditionary club in Paris to entertain visiting fighting men. This club is housed in what once was Paris' Grand Hotel. It is a godsend to the boys who come down from the fighting lines for a short rest and a bit of relaxation at low cost.

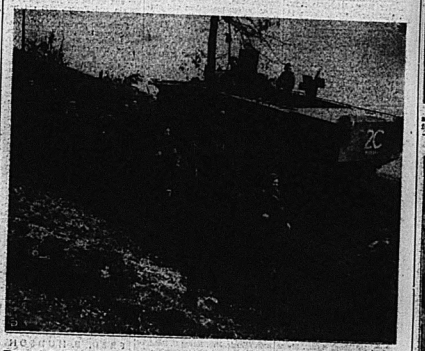
TRIPLET HEIFERS BORN

Waterloo, Feb. 23—(CP)—Triplet heifer pure-bred Holsteins were born here recently in what is believed to be the first time such an event has occured in the district since 1926. The calves, owned by Robert Reiber, were named Faith, Hope and Charity Dekol Ormsby.

UNITY NEEDED SAYS HEPBURN

Toronto, Feb. 23—(CP)—Mitchell F. Hepburn, Ontario Liberal House Leader, yesterday told a social club (Zeta) national unity was one of the two most important post-war considerations for Canada and "it is no use to say we can go into Quebec with a bayonet to push them around."

CANADIANS STRIDE FORWARD INTO GERMANY



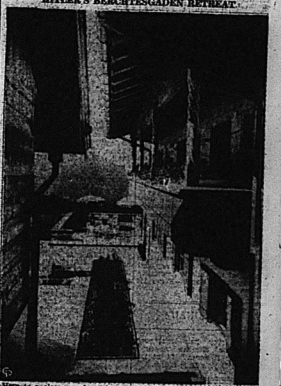
Here men of a famous Canadian regiment push on into Germany. In the background appears an Alligator, which has just landed a detachment of men, to follow their comrades.

REPORT HITLER HAS BUILT ALPINE FORTRESS



The Hitler gang, according to recurring news dispatches, has readied for use a "Last fortress of the Nazis" where Himmler, Goering, Goebbels and other henchmen who dare not surrender can hold-out for years after their followers stage a fighting retreat. The area of this fortress, with its centre in the Bavarian Alps, is shown on the above map. The Alpine citadel is, roughly, bounded by Munich, Vienna, Trieste and Milan. The heart of this "Nazi redoubt" comprises the Italian and Austrian reported storage places.

HITLER'S BERCHTESGADEN RETREAT



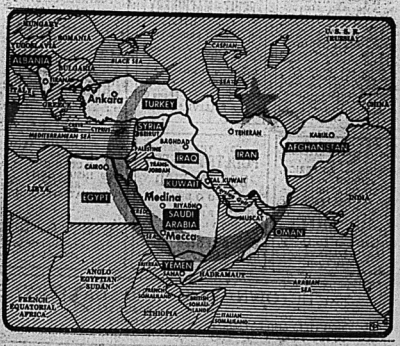
Here is a close-up of Hitler's villa at Berchtesgaden. This view is towards the sun terrace with the Bavarian Alps in the background. The villa is perched on a hill overlooking the village.

ALLIED ROCKETS ATTACK BERCHTESGADEN AREA FOR FIRST TIME



It is Hitler's beautiful mountain chalet at Berchtesgaden, near Obersalzberg in the Bavarian Alps, reported to be bombed for the first time by the Allies. In the same district other high Nazi officials have retreats.

CHURCHILL AND ROOSEVELT CONFER WITH ARAB STATES



Churchill and Roosevelt have been conferring with the rulers of outstanding Arab states and there are rumors that one topic under discussion might have been the formation of a single Arab state and a separate Jewish state comprising most of Palestine. The map shows the Moslem world, a great belt of states sprawling through the Near East and Asia Minor with a total population of some 80,000,000. Since the rise of the Turkish republic Islam has been on the march toward progress. Churchill and Roosevelt are known to have conferred recently with the rulers of Egypt, Ethiopia, Saudi Arabia and the Syrian republic.

TELLS TROOPS PROGRESS OF BATTLE



One of the outstanding generals in Monty's offensive is the amazingly popular Gen. Horrocks, seen here chatting to his troops on the front line. Gen. Horrocks insists on telling his men how the battle is going all the time.

Probabilities
Lower Lake Region: Rain today, followed by strong winds and colder with snow flurries tonight and Tuesday.

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COLOGNE'S SPIRES WITHIN SIGHT OF YANKS

War's Biggest Attack Staged On Berlin

1,200 U.S. Heavies Form Procession 150 Miles Long

Bombs Dropped Through Clouds on Rail Targets

London, Feb. 26 (CP)— In the biggest air attack ever made on Berlin, more than 1,200 United States heavy bombers dropped 3,000 tons of explosives and fire bombs into the heart of the city during the noon hour today.

More than 500,000 small incendiary bombs were showered upon the refugee-crowded capital, with three railway stations—Schlesischer, Alexanderplatz and Berlin North—as the main targets. All three are within two miles of the Air Ministry building in the middle of the city.

The bombers were guarded over the target by 700 long-range fighters.

The first announcement by United States strategic air force headquarters said the attack was directed against railway targets and none of the bombs were dropped through clouds.

Larger Than Any U.S. Raid

Bomber fleet exceeded approximately 300 planes the size of the assault on Berlin Feb. 3.

The German Agency D.N.B. in an early afternoon broadcast said a 150-mile-long train of bombers was still approaching the city while the first formations already had left the capital.

Starting at 10 a.m. German broadcasts repeatedly reported the movements of large bomber formations attacking the Reich for the 146th consecutive day.

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U.S. CURFEW RINGS FOR NIGHT SPOTS

Midnight Closing of Entertainment Resorts Effective at Midnight

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH

Washington, Feb. 26 — (AP)— Wee-hour fun in the United States' night-spots is at an end — for an indefinite period.

Although rumblings of protest continued from some amusement place operators, indications are the government's request for midnight closing of entertainment establishments, beginning tonight, will meet with general compliance. Nowhere was dissent from Mayor F. H. LaGuardia that some unspecified "adjustments' may be made there this week.

Entertainment for military personnel may be continued beyond midnight, but it must be sponsored by "responsible agencies," and be on a "non-profit basis."

The only other easing of the edict issued by the War Mobilizer, James F. Byrnes, allows restaurants customarily open all night for serving food to continue on that basis, but not any of these places which serve liquor or in which a skeleton must call a halt to that part of their business at midnight.

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Sharp Curtailment in U.S. Civilian Food Supplies Seen at Capital

By C. R. BLACKBURN
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Washington, Feb. 26 (CP)— Washington officials foresee a sharp curtailment in United States civilian food supplies, particularly meats, because of the growing demands of the forces in the field.

There have been signs warning from a number of sources, official and otherwise, but it is believed the situation will be much more severe than generally anticipated.

Successful operations in the field accentuate the shortages and collapse of Germany will add tremendously to the problem because it lifts the burden of feeding the German population will, for a time, fall almost entirely upon the conquering armies, officials say.

For other Pacific operations huge stock pile have to be built up and maintained and this takes more and more supplies as the lines are ravaged areas.

extended toward Japan and the Chinese mainland.

Ships are in short supply at present through the Pacific bases to the Asiatic theatre and always be kept full so there will never be any let up in the flow of necessities.

The story is true of the operations in other theatres but there are other factors, not affected by destruction of utilities as the defeated Germany is subjugated. It is to be aware of prisoners, who at once create additional drain upon available food supplies.

This the successes of the Allied forces make certain to bring some belt tightening on the home front both in the United States and Canada, even if only to keep the millions of war victims, friendly and enemy alike, on a bare subsistence diet, until there is an approach to normal production in the

CANADIANS OPEN NEW ATTACK ON NORTHERN SECTOR

Advance 1½ Miles In First Three Hours To Win Commanding Slope Near Calcar

By ROSS MUNRO
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

With the 1st Canadian Army in Germany, Feb. 26 — (CP Cable) — Two hours before dawn Canadian infantry and tanks opened a new attack on the northern sector of the western front southwest of Calcar, advancing 1½ miles in the first three hours to win a commanding slope south of the stoutly-defended communications centre.

Opposition was not particularly strong as the attack got under way and Canadian casualties were light.

The attack began at 4:30 a. m. after a 45-minute artillery barrage against a slope which Calcar was captured in the first thrust.

Fifty minutes after the bombardment started the Germans threw a counter-attack against Canadian troops, but it was beaten off with mortar and French-speaking Quebec infantry direct south of Calcar on schedule.

Infantry carried by armored kangaroos and Canadian tanks supported the attack on the left flank. The attack on the right flank were on the road to Calcar.

Considerable numbers of prisoners were taken by the Canadians who were opposed by some crack German troops, including paratroopers and Hitler Youth, who fought fanatically, fought in the Ardennes.

Before the Canadian attack went forward, British troops under Gen. Horrocks captured Asperden, south of Goch. The town of Robbenhof has been captured and there was fighting in Hekkens, on the Asperden-Goch towns and nearing Weese.

The western British advance was 1,500 yards. Opposition on the Goch-Weese front which had been extremely stiff, appeared to be slackened somewhat.

Goch, under only occasional rain today restricted air support for the ground troops.

The new assault swelled the total of prisoners, which had reached 12,000 by the morning.

14,000 CONTINUE STRIKE

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Churchill Confers With G. Bidault

London, Feb. 26 — (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill and the French Foreign Minister, George Bidault, today opened preliminary talks aimed at cementing an Anglo-French alliance.

French economic needs, particularly for food and clothing, are another main topic.

M. Bidault is understood to have given Mr. Churchill the French reaction to the Big Three policy blueprinted at Yalta, and Mr. Churchill is expected to explain how France fits into those plans.



PRISONERS SHOW RAVISHMENT IN JAP PRISON CAMP

You have only 40 look at these men, liberated from the Sando Tomas Internment camp in Manila, to draw your own conclusions about the brands of the Sons of Nippon who always boasted of their chivalry. Left to right, Arthur G. Wilkins, 30, a 'proof' reader on a Manila paper, he came to the camp weighing 135, and is now 87 pounds; Thomas B. Loft, General Foods official, who came in at 160 and is now 122 pounds; Arthur Williamson, weighed 145 and is now 103 pounds; Harold Leary, once 185 and now 105 pounds, and David Norvell, who dropped from 195 to 90 pounds.

TOKYO TARGETS GIVEN POUNDING ALL DAY SUNDAY

Wave After Wave of Carrier-Based Planes and Superforts Used

Guam, Feb. 26 — (AP) — Industrial targets in the Tokyo area, and elsewhere on Japan's main island of Honshu took a powerful one-two punch yesterday as wave after wave of American carrier-based planes roared over followed by more than 200 Superfortresses from B29 fleet ever assembled.

A communique today added no further mention of the carrier strike culminating on the same afternoon which followed the U. S. 5th Fleet's two-day carrier smash against Tokyo Feb. 16-17.

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DAMAGE WAS DONE

Damage was done to airfields, military installations and transportation facilities in the Tokyo area, Nagoya, Tokyo said, adding "bombs started fires in various sections but "they were almost entirely quelled by nightfall."

Bombs fell in an area adjacent to the Imperial palace at the gates of Omiya Palace, residence of the Empress Dowager Sadako and the Princess of the Imperial Blather, the Japanese said.

Premier Kuniaki Koiso made a second call on Emperor Hirohito today on behalf of the cabinet, this time to "offer our profound apologies for the unforgivable negligence in the approach of danger to his person.

During Admiral Raymond Spruance's first 5th Fleet airfields against Tokyo on U. S. surface unit closed to within 10 miles of the Japanese mainland, Robert Geiger, Associated Press war correspondent, said a destroyer rescued a navy airman from the Bay of Tokyo and off Tokyo's harbor while large units of the fleet came closer than 100 miles of the Japanese mainland to destroy Japanese picket boats.

Tokyo radio gave indications the capital was about to receive its 3rd consecutive day-time U.S. broadcast: an air warning with broadcast "enemy bombers" had penetrated the Shizuoka-Nagoya area and were flying toward Tokyo. There was no confirmation.

ACTRESS GLADYS GEORGE ILL

Salt Lake City, Feb. 26 — (AP)— Gladys George, actress who suffered a nervous breakdown after appearing in "Blithe Spirit" here last week, left yesterday for Los Angeles by train under the care of physicians. Her condition was not particularly serious, they said, but she is still seriously ill and would remain at her home until completely recovered.

British Within Sight of Pagoda Tops of Mandalay

On the Burma Front, Feb. 26 — (Reuters) — Fourteenth Army patrols today were within sight of the pagoda tops of Mandalay, capital of northern Burma.

The town was still hidden from the main body of the Allied troops by hills, in which units of Japanese made the most of the natural defensive advantages.

Kandy, Ceylon, Southeast Command Headquarters announced Japanese troops have suffered severe casualties in abortive attempts to dislodge Indian units from bridgeheads on the north bank of the Irrawaddy River, southwest of Mandalay.

Meanwhile, Allied troops have cleared the Japanese from the east bank of the Irrawaddy before the bridge-building engineers could complete their bridgehead, 40 miles north of Mandalay, and are "satisfactorily continuing" their drive southward, a communique said.

EGYPT'S PREMIER IS ASSASSINATED IN CHAMBER

Former Foreign Minister Undertakes Formation of New Cabinet

Cairo, Feb. 26 — (CP) — Mahmud Fahmy Nokrashi Pash., former Egyptian Foreign Minister, undertook at King Farouk's request the task of forming a new cabinet today as authorities continued their investigation into the assassination of Premier Ahmed Maher Pasha.

More than 30 persons were arrested yesterday by police investigators, including two who were said to have been standing near the spot where the Premier was shot down in the Chamber of Deputies Saturday after reading a decree by the King declaring war on the Axis.

The majority of the arrests, however, were merely precautionary, police said. The actual assassin was identified as a 22-year-old Egyptian lawyer who was interned early in the war for alleged pro-German activities.

A State funeral for Ahmed Maher Pasha is planned.

RIBBONS FOR FREED INTERNEES

Manila, Feb. 26 — (AP)—South-west Pacific area service ribbons will be awarded to the 6,500 civilian internees freed by American forces in the Philippines, Gen. MacArthur announced yesterday. The announcement said the ribbons are being presented for "fortitude, courage and devotion to the interests of the cause of Canadian] contributed materially to the success of the Philippines campaign."

MANILA CONQUEST COMPLETED BUT SNIPING GOES ON

Corregidor Fortress Shaken by Enemy Marines Committing Mass Suicide

Manila, Feb. 26 — (AP) Officially the battle is over, but Manila rumbled today as American artillery blasted Japanese who used a surrender flag to improve their positions in the two buildings they still hold.

At the entrance of Manila Bay, Corregidor fortress was shaken anew by underground explosions touched off by enemy marines committing mass suicide.

Last night loud speakers blared a final warning to Japanese in Manila's agricultural and finance buildings to "surrender, commit suicide or be killed."

The answered with sniper fire in the direction of the loud speakers. When the warning voice gave the enemy 30 minutes to evacuate, Lieut. Richard K. Bishop of East Brady, Pa., said, some Japanese dashed from the building and divided into a defence position at its base, using the immunity period to improve their position.

Main fighting was east of Manila along the Takubashi Line.

Dead Crowd Cemetery

There was no mention in today's communique of action in Manila. Saturday it was announced American troops had overwhelmed the enemy's final position in south Manila's ancient Intramuros and destroyed the last garrison.

More than 12,000 Japanese bodies already big been counted.

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U.S.N.R. Officer Says Russian-Bound Convoy Given Orders To Scatter

By HARRY C. NASH
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 26 — (AP) — The Navy Department Saturday removed its censorship from a statement made by Associated Press by an officer that a Murmansk-bound convoy was instructed by its escort to scatter when it was attacked by Heinkels, Tirpitz and 23 other war ships were approaching.

The British Admiralty earlier yesterday had described as "entirely without foundation" a report made this week of Merchant Marine Seaman Frank Hewlett, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., that several ships had been sunk, and that:

"At the end of the fifth day our escort radioed us to scatter because the Tirpitz and 23 other war ships were heading for our convoy."

(This was the paragraph which was deleted by navy censors when the story was submitted for review.)

After the convoy dispersed, Hewlett said, "We heard radio messages from many ships that they were being sunk..."

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Great Ruhr Arsenal Being Approached From Two Sides

25 or More Towns Swept Up In Swift Overnight Drive

By JAMES M. LONG
(AP Staff Writer)

Paris, Feb. 26 — (AP) — Two American Armies spread five miles across the Rhine Valley today in tanks and on foot to within 13 miles of Cologne and, within six miles of the great Ruhr arsenal and its border city of Muenchen Gladbach.

Sweeping up 25 or more towns, the United States 9th and 1st Armies closed within three miles of the Erft River — last water barrier before the sprawling Prussian metropolis of Cologne — and moved within 19 miles southwest of Duesseldorf, administrative centre of the Ruhr.

The armored thrust threatened to cut in two a 225-mile-long coastal corridor the Germans hold from south of Stettin to Libau, in what Prussia, Hammerstein is 11 miles southeast of Stettin.

At the western end of the corridor, the Russians also forced the Germans to retreat Northward from captured Arnswalde to a line along the Ihna river, which the Germans admitted 16 a broad-cast.

The Ihna runs through Stargard and Pyritz, 25 and 35 miles south of Stettin. Neustettin, important communications centre in northeastern Pomerania, is 50 miles east and slightly north of Stettin.

The reaching of the Hammerstein area by the Russians would represent a 10-mile gain beyond Schlawe, capture of which the Russians announced last night. The stronghold of Preusisch-Friedland, 20 miles to the Soviet drive, Moscow said.

Berlin said more than 80,000 men were thrown into the new Russian assaults, reaffirmed which already have struck to within 90 miles of the Baltic coast and have overrun a 35-mile stretch of the Berlin-Danzig highway.

The drive, launched in the area southwest of Chojnice, gained more than a mile yesterday, toppled the town of Rischofswalde, 10 miles to the east of the super highway, and at the same time extended a section of the Berlin-Stettin Danzig railway, Moscow announced.

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TO STEP UP EXPORTS

London, Feb. 26 — (Reuters) — Five representatives of a number of British firms have been granted permits to go to Cairo, Egypt, Italy and other Mediterranean countries with a view to stepping up British exports. Some of these firms have already switched to 90-per-cent peace production, the paper said.

Coming Events

BELLEVILLE AND DISTRICT
Fish and Game Protective Association will meet Wednesday, February 28, YACC, at 8 p.m. Movies and speakers. FEB-26

MEETING OF FOXBORO FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE—Wednesday night, February 28, Orange Hall. Films of special interest will be shown. FEB

AFTERNOON TEA AT HOME OF Mrs. A. Stirland, 261 Albert, Tuesday, March 6th, 3 to 5 p.m. Auspices Minerva Chapter, O.E.S. FEM-M2-M3-P

BINGO TONIGHT, 8:30, SACO, Club Rooms, front of Post Office, games 50c. Door prize. Auspices Ladies' Auxiliary Canadian Legion. Everybody welcome. M26-M28

City and District News

CITY CURBSIDE DRAINS BEING CLEARED

City curbside drains are gradually being cleared of ice and snow, the initial step of deep snow in preparation for carrying away surface water when, in the matter of a week or so may be coming down local streets. Employees of the local public works department are now clearing the curbside drains and gutters of snow.

Throughout the winter months drains and sewers are kept clear with snow to prevent them freezing but with the first evidences of spring these are cleared that melting snow and surface water may readily escape.

GOOD ICE FOR GAME AT STIRLING

Stirling-Marmora and Belleville hockey game is being played today (Monday) as scheduled at Stirling. The teams report good ice conditions. For information of local fans the score by periods may be obtained by 'phoning 74.

THREE TEEN-AGED LADS LEAVE HOME

Kingston police are seeking the whereabouts of three teen-aged lads who ran away from their homes in the city three days each end. They are Leo Anson, 17, John Griffin, 12, and Harrison Neal, age 13. As they will double as travel together police are of the opinion the trio will be soon found and returned home.

THREE INEBRIATES RUN AFOUL OF LAW

City police here were asked to assist in the successful recovery of a 1940 model Studebaker sedan stolen from Brockville over the week-end. The vehicle carried Ontario licence plate number J-3940 when taken.

Otherwise in police circles a trio of inebriates, who had imbibed freely, but not wisely, but too well at the long arm of the law and today pay the penitential less and costly tax after admitting to drunk charges. Thus they will not have to appear in police court Tuesday.

TWO PERSONS SUSTAIN INJURIES

Two persons sustained injuries on East Dundas Street, Sunday evening, as the result of a car-truck collision at Dundas Mills Fringe, 13 Roswell Street, and Ralph Denison, Napanee, and driver of the motor car received medical aid at the nearby Belleville General Hospital. Mr. Fringe suffered a laceration over the left eye and complained of chest injuries, while Denison was cut on the nose, both injuries being the result of flying glass from a broken windshield.

Police investigated and found a large transport was being driven westerly by Gordon Thomson, Toronto, and had sideswiped a car driven by Mrs. Jack Anderson, Napanee. Information received Bell had passed a parked car and on meeting the Denison car, when suddenly the trailer portion of the transport skidded sideways and struck the Denison car with considerable force, the radiator, headlight, left front tire, windshield and even the battery of the new car were all damaged as the result of the impact.

RESIDENTS COMPLAIN ABOUT 'SLPASH' DRIVERS

Again it is the season when pedestrians become most annoyed when splashed by passing motor as the result of motor vehicles being driven over water-covered city streets at excessive rates of speed. Over the week-end police received several complaints regarding these "splash-and-run" drivers. A good policy to avoid such annoyance in conditions is to have motorists slow down when approaching water areas on the streets. One irritated citizen complained that considerable muddy water had been splashed so high it had ruined the clothing in the baby carriage as well as he and his wife were taking their baby for an airing yesterday.

It Pays to Shop At the Rexall Store.

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4 oz. 75c
1 lb. $1.75

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Obituary

VERTON DELBERT SNYDER

Verton Delbert Snyder died suddenly at his home, 260 Coleman Street, on Friday evening, Feb. 23rd, 1945, in his 65th year.

Deceased, Mr. Snyder, who was in his 65th year, was born in Ernestown, Ontario and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Snyder.

For many years he was engaged in the cattle business locally and acted as branch manager for the Robinson Plain Company and also the Lindsay Plain Company in Kingston and Belleville. For the past twenty-two years he resided here and lived retired for some time.

Mr. Snyder was well known and highly respected by friends his sudden death has brought much regret. Surviving him is his wife, the former Estella Miller.

Resting at the Thomas C. Thompson Funeral Home, 24 Everett Street; the funeral announcement is made in this issue.

CHARLES HENRY BALLINGER
(Stirling, Ont.)

Charles Henry Ballinger, grocer, in his 70th year at his residence, died at his home in Stirling on Sunday morning after an illness of short duration. He was born in Rawdon Township, Hastings County, England, 70 years ago, being the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Ballinger and came to this country in 1892 to Toronto, and after the death of his father came to this city, two years ago, purchased the business from Mr. Bullen and later built a summer home in Stirling, where he resided.

In the First Great War he joined the 39th Battalion and was going overseas with the Canadian Army Motor Machine Gun Company.

Attached to the Methodist Church, he is survived by his wife, the former Edith May Herbert, one son, Lorne, Stirling, two daughters overseas, a daughter, Vera, at home, Mrs. Percy Perry, Mrs. Percy Perry, Mrs. George Beare, both of Belleville, Mrs. J. Anderson, Toronto, and two brothers, Arthur Ballinger of Toronto and William Ballinger of Rochester.

Resting at the Roy Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, the funeral announcement is elsewhere in this issue.

LATE MRS. MARIA SIMMONS

The funeral of Mrs. Maria (Smith) Simmons, widow of William Ira Simmons, took place from her home in Foxboro on Saturday afternoon, the service there and at Foxboro cemetery being conducted by Rev. Rev. E. M. Cook, pastor of the Foxboro United Church. Many friends were present and there were many beautiful floral tributes.

The bearers were Messrs. Elijah Harper, John McCabe, Burleigh Hamilton, Oakley Gay, Joseph Gay and Ollie Dafoe.

The late Mrs. Simmons is survived by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ira Simmons, Foxboro; one granddaughter, Mrs. Morris Woodley, Foxboro, and one grandson, Mr. Irs Simmons, Foxboro.

INFANT McCUMBER
(Frankford)

The one-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard McCumber of Frankford, died in the Belleville General Hospital on Saturday.

The funeral took place from the Thomas C. Thompson Funeral Home, Church Street, this afternoon, and interment took place at Belleville cemetery.

FLOYD WESLEY SHEFFIELD
(Thurlow Township)

On Saturday afternoon the funeral of Floyd Wesley Sheffield took place from his home in the 6th. Concession of Thurlow Township, to the Thurlow United Church. Rev. Hill Wherry service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. George McKenzie, whose text and address was made by Mr. Kenneth Sheffield, lay minister of West Huntingdon.

The funeral was largely attended and there were many beautiful floral tributes.

Interment took place at Zion's Hill cemetery and the service at the graveside was conducted by the Rev. George McKenzie.

The bearers were Messrs. Morden Brough, Sherman Cronkwright, Kenneth Denyes, Alex. H. McGuire, Arthur Sine and Roscoe Robson.

The flower bearers were Messrs. Briant Casey, Carlton Cronkwright, Richard Cranston, Gordon Kennedy, Harry Harrison and Stanley Hayter.

These Were The Days

English newspapers of 1944 tell a mouth watering story of peace and plenty when the nearest war was a minor sitting in Moscow.

The English gentry, who favored their refreshments in liquid form had no difficulty in meeting the demands. They could get "dozens" and "quarts" of Port, 3 dozens of Champagne, one Marsala, one French and one Spanish Jamaica rum, three gins and one whisky.

Or tea. "Gunters real Turtle Soup from Hoodless" was among the cases at $2.50 each, containing sufficient tins for "Twelve comprising entire parts of the turtle."

Costly silks in those days sold for cents the yard. Best muslins and veil priced at 12 cents the yd. On Christmas Eve, servants were invited to visit "Mr. Jack's sales rooms in Wilton Crescent, London, to sample and taste from a stall at the mart a variety of 60 dozens of Old Brandy, Champagne and Claret" which he was offering for sale.

Dinner-up to the midget size: Viejo de Xeres could be bought in cases of three dozens $8.80 the case and "carriage to any station in England." Sample bottles were $1 while Hennessy Three Star Brandy matured in wood was supplied in quantities of 50 dozen bottles in 3 dozen cases at $3.50 the gallon.

Champagne Very Cheap

Even cheaper from the "celebrated vineyards of Epernay" came the Mo. Chandon at $3.50 the case of three dozens for $8 the case.

The Old Cheshire Cheese of Tooley Street offered Plymouth Gin "of the same strength as at the distillery." Whisky matured in wood was sold in the bottle while brandy sold for 4.50 the gallon.

For the ladies there were Brook's celebrated home-made British wines — ginger, sider, three varieties of sloe and red currant at $4 a dozen bottles. Tea, black or green brought

Staple meats were 13 cents the pound, new Russian or tongues 18 cents a dozen and available were reindeer, Canadian and West Australia hams. No mention of turkeys is made.

Dessert fruits from Tangsby's included French prunes, plums, Normandy Pippins, Adels and Pearls and East India preserved ginger and limes. From Jamaica came Jamaica rum, three qts. and one sextuple qt. at $5.50.

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Peter A. Mabee Dies at 102 At Bloomfield

Peter Addison Mabee, 102, of Bloomfield, oldest resident of Eastern Ontario, died Friday night after a brief illness. He had been in good health up until a few weeks ago. He was 102 years of age Oct. 22, 1944. For some years his wife and he were Ontario's oldest married couple. She died shortly before they marked their 77th wedding anniversary in 1940, at the age of 101.

Mr. Mabee was of United Empire Loyalist stock. While working in New York as a lad of 20, he decided to return to Canada and get married. He did so, bought a farm and married Mary Hughes. They lived on the farm where Peter was born and his only cabin home. They later went to New York to reside, and were there during the Civil War. Mr. Mabee narrowly escaped being struck by a stray bullet during the Civil War disorders.

They later returned to Canada and settled in the village of Odessa, where they resided for 53 years. Mr. Mabee conducted a general store in Odessa, and was active in community life. He retired from active business over 20 years ago and took up residence in the Bloomfield district.

Surviving is one son, Stanley C. Millsport, Ps., who is 80 years of age.

Clear City Streets Of Deep Icy Ruts With Bulldozers

Action of the local public works department in having no stone unturned to clear the streets of deep icy ruts which have been the bane of motorists is drawing much favorable comment from Belleville and district residents.

Since Friday noon the bulldozer rented from the Diamond Construction company has been in almost continual operation clearing ruts from the streets, while on Sunday a second bulldozer rented from the McPhaul Construction Company got into action. Yesterday morning at 10 o'clock the two machines were working on Dundas Street, Front Street and Bridge Street, while on Sunday they were busy on Coleman Street, Victoria Avenue, Bridge Street and Dundas Street.

Extensive depth of snow on streets in the residential sections of the city had become increasingly troublesome with the thaw of last Thursday and Friday, when wheels dropped through to make turning out ruts almost impossible. Following the passing of the bulldozer, however, motorists are forced to get out their shovels to clear driveways.

Clearing of ruts from the streets is being carried out under direction of the city engineer's department by authorization from Aldermen F. W. Wills and Maynard Pudwell, works, and Mayor Frank Pudwell.

RAWDON

Mount Pleasant Holds Pie Social

Rawdon. — Mount Pleasant Church hall sponsored the play "Too Many Relatives" by Bethel ladies on Wednesday evening and a large number was in attendance. Several guests were present from Carmel, Hoard's Belleville, Stirling, Wellman's and Bethel.

The play was ably depleted and the cast are: Mr. and Mrs. Don Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hagerman, Mr. and Mrs. Will Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Hagerman and Mr. and Mrs. R. Shortt with Mrs. Flossie Laycock as director.

Between acts, Mr. R. A. Hermiston, violin and Mrs. T. F. Thompson, piano, contributed a couple of musical numbers.

Rev. and Mrs. T. T. Rowe rendered a duet and the latter sang a vocal selection.

The pastor was chairman for the occasion and the play was given before over eighty dollars.

The grand prize, pie of the community served sandwiches, pie and coffee at the close of the program.

Personals

Misses Helen and Patricia Ryan of Belleville, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan.

Chicken-pox is visiting several homes in Rawdon Township.

At Home Held at Springbrook

Wednesday evening was a gala event at Springbrook Orange Hall when they were "At Home" to the other four lodge halls in the area, Wellman's, Tanner, Marmora, and Stirling, the occasion being the lodges and their families made a large group and all enjoyed a delightful social evening together.

The first hour and a half was spent in progressive progressing stairs. The main hall was then cleared and Mr. Everett Cook, Master of Springbrook Loyal Orange Lodge, acted as chairman and extended a hearty welcome to the guests and Mr. Tandy of Marmora, efficiently rendered a number of the visiting lodges.

The first part closing a couple of duets; Messrs. Don Thompson, guitar; Tom Neal, piano; and Delbert McComb, violin, rendered musical numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCaughen of radio fame, contributed several solos and musical numbers.

Mr. Murney Bateman and his sister, Miss Lenora Bateman, sang a couple of numbers and Mr. Bateman delighted with a humorous recitation.

Mrs. Burton Woodbeck and Miss Norma Mason rendered two vocal selections.

The prizes were awarded as follows:

Door prize—Wm. John Tanner.

Ladies' euchre prize—Mrs. Harry Brown.

Gent's euchre prize—Mr. John Fox.

The ladies served an appetizing lunch at the junction and everyone all enjoyed a few hours dancing with music supplied by the Hagerman Orchestra, composed of Mr. Lorne Hagerman, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner, Messrs. Ernest Broadworth, Kenneth Belcour and Delbert Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ryan, Belleville, spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan.

RAWDON

Wide-a-Wake Class Celebrates Fifth Birthday

Rawdon. — Wellman's Wide-a-Wake Sunday School class met at the home on the evening of February 17th to celebrate the occasion of their fifth anniversary.

Wellman's Hall was tastefully decorated with the class colors of orange and brown crepe streamers and bells hung the ceiling. The centre pens were marked with birthday boxes and there were served for the class members and their friends. At the front of the church a three tiered birthday cake lighted in white with pink bead trim and five candles in honey arrangement on a small table. Miss Hazel Pauley had the honor of baking the cake.

Over Hundred Attend.

Over one hundred people were in attendance and the class was delighted considering that three other meetings were taking place the same evening.

The service opened with quiet music played by Mrs. Frederick Beckett.

Mrs. Ruth president of the class Miss Faye Fleming gave the call to worship and a hearty welcome to all present.

Miss Mina Dupcup, Dorothy Hinds, Mabel Sharp and Mrs. Beckett sang "Happy Birthday" and "Our Prayer" with Miss Ana English as accompanist.

Pageant Presented.

Several members of the class presented a pageant depicting the Christian Endeavor Bible verses were read by the class and in between they sang hymns as responses. Mrs. Ruth Sharp read the scripture and sang a duet "The Wondrous Story" with Mrs. Sharp. Mrs. Sharp, Miss Mina Dupcup and Gordon Shaw assisted in the presentation, with the former giving the various themes.

Mrs. T. A. Townsend and Miss Eleanor Graham rendered a piano duet.

Messages of Greeting.

Mrs. Burton Morton, teacher of the class and Mr. Jack Dunham, president of the class read letters of greeting from former class members as follows: Rev. J. E. Beckel and Carleton Beckel, Mrs. Beckel and Ira Allbone, Peterborough, Miss Ruth Hagerman, Miss Mary Ann Harris Dean, Thomasburg, Miss Ila Mae Sharp, Toronto, Carl Linn, Miss Barbara Whitebourne and Mrs. Morton's message from Mrs. Hurlburt.

Special ovations were given the class's two boys in service who were present, and L.-Cpl. Roy Sharp, Kingston, who had put forth a special effort to attend.

The offering amounting to ten dollars was gathered by Mrs. Ruth Pollock and Douglas Clancy and presented to Mrs. Morton.

Miss Ana English and Miss Eva Pollock rendered a piano duet.

Miss Betty Bullin sang a patriotic number and Miss Norma Clare read a secret story, which was a message to the church of today.

Mrs. Morton's Remarks

Mr. Lorne Johnson, Springbrook, was the guest speaker and was ably introduced by Mrs. B. Morton. He took as his subject "Youth." He said the world is full of temptance today and authorities say rapid pace. The temptation, of course, is greater. He said he is one of the crowd is harming the world at all.

He urged the class to square their shoulders and firmly say no when asked to do wrong. The speaker told of several instances where he had to make decisions, have left a clear message to the young people and then "My word is good man." He impressed upon his hearers that Jesu is still dependable in every day life and to cast on His great work and to use the Bible as a "guide book and not a Bible" in everyday life.

Mr. Johnson left both teacher and class for their splendid cooperation towards living better lives and closed with the theme "Stand by Ye."

Miss Dorothy Hinds and Mrs. Townsend rendered a piano solo.

Mrs. Percy MacMullin, Mount Pleasant, gave a humorous reading entitled "Cook Book."

Mrs. Lorne Johnson contributed "Bells of St. Mary" with variations. Mystery of Cross in Verse.

The history of the class was given in verse form by Mrs. B. Morton and she told how the class was formed February 20th, 1940. The presidents were Miss Mina Dupcup, Miss Hazel Dunham, Mr. Lorne Wallace, Mrs. Ruth Sharp, Miss Bertice Dunham, Mr. Ted Pollock and Miss Faye Fleming.

The class attends Sunday School Sundays as a class a month they meet at the homes. They have also held valentine roasts, corn roasts, skating parties, picnic games and sleigh rides for pleasure.

The class has also given showers and some are in the King's Candle-Lighting Ceremony.

Mr. Jack Dunham, president of the class presided over the candle-lighting ceremony. Jim Pollock lit the first candle in honor of Rev. J. E. Beckel and as a tribute to Mrs. Morton for her enthusiasm.

Miss Phyllis Sharp lit the second candle in honor of the teacher and her first assistant, Miss Ana English.

Edgar Graham lit the third candle in honor of all the presidents past and present.

Miss June Dunham lit the fourth candle in honor of all the secretaries.

TRENTON

First Paratrooper To See Active Service Home

Trenton, Feb. 26.—The first paratrooper from Trenton to have seen active service overseas, Private Jack Harrington, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harrington, has returned to Canada aboard the Lady Nelson for the American Paratroops and sent to Rider Island where he spent several months. Following his return from Rider he was given an Allied Forces Service Medal and where he was severely wounded in the Sicily campaign by a Ca-nadian hospital in Italy and later sent to England.

Twice Wounded

Twice wounded, Corporal Clarence Whitney, has returned to Canada, according to word his wife and family here.

A member of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment he went overseas in December 1939, with the Canadian Army. He was first wounded during the invasion of Sicily and was mentioned in dispatches as saying the Canadian snipers as "deadly". He was one of the first to land on Sicily and Italy. He was wounded a second time and was sent back to hospital in England.

Like most of the lads returning at this time, Corporal Whitney was sorry not to be with the Regiment but is overjoyed at again being at home with his wife and children.

Pte. Carter Home

Sgt.-Lieutenant T. F. (Jerry) LeClair, son of Mr. James LeClerc, 95 Queen Street, is home on leave from the Canadian Merchant Navy. A member of a Canadian Indian oil tanker crew he has been on convoy duty for the past two years visiting many ports including Smyrna, Haifi, Domino Republic, Panama and Curacao, Dutch West Indies and two zons live in Belleville.

Recently Jerry and his crew had an exciting experience at Portland, Maine, when their tanker was ordered to the rescue of an American ship which had been torpedoed and caged in a cyclone. The tanker pulled alongside the stricken ship for 14 hours until the storm had passed and relief came from a U.S. Navy tug.

The work of the Merchant Marine, Jerry says, is the toughest job far from easy and he urged that more aid do sustain the lads on the gas as it is mighty hard to get in the ports.

Before enlisting he was employed by the Downs-Coulter Mfg. Co., here.

Varies.

Gerald Clancy lit the last candle as a tribute to the Wide-A-Wake class.

All sang "Happy Birthday" to Miss Betty Bullin, it being her natal day.

Following the National Anthem Mr. Lorne Johnson staged a humorous skit which all thoroughly enjoyed.

The class members then served delicious refreshments.

Votes of thanks were tendered to various folk who had helped to make the evening a success and those in attendance were all of one accord that it had been a grand event.

Goods From a Distance.

The guests included: L.-Cpl. Roy Sharp, Kingston; Misses Ana English and Iva Norton, Belleville, and Mrs. Lorne Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wallace, Springbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullin, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Hagerman, Misses Jessie and Alma Johnson, Messrs. Jack Johnson, Ray Dafoe, Wallace Williams, Springbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullin, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Hagerman, Misses Jessie and Alma Johnson, Messrs. John and Dave Sturgeon, Mount Pleasant; Miss Jean Wilson, Harlowe; Mr. Bruce Barnum, Kyle-bar; Mr. Gerald Thompson, Stanwood.

NOTICE

The South Hastings Liberal Convention scheduled to take place

Wednesday, February 28

HAS BEEN CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

E. M. ROACH, President.
E. ORMONDE BUTLER, Secretary.

IN MEMORIAM

MEYERS — In loving memory of my dear husband, Frederick S. Meyers, who departed this life February 26th, 1941.

Sweet memories will linger forever,
Those moments held dear to my heart,
Years that may come cannot sever
My loving remembrance of you.
—Always remembered by Ethel.

ELLIOTT — In memory of our dear daughter, who passed away February 26th, 1944.

No one knows how much we miss you
No one knows the bitter pain
We have suffered since we lost you,
Life has never been the same.
In our hearts your memory lingers,
Sweet memories we treasure still,
There is not a day dear Betty Lou,
That we do not think of you.
Ever remembered by Mother, Father and Family.

Foxboro Red Cross Unit Raises $379 During Past Year

Total receipts for the Foxboro Red Cross Unit for the past year were $379.08. It was shown at the annual meeting held last week that this included $277.07 from monthly collections and $27.50 from the public school Jr. Red Cross unit. Donations included $200 paid to the Red Cross Society, the balance on hand is $130.94.

Mrs. Ross Crowell was returned as convener for the unit for the current year while Mrs. E. C. Wood was returned as secretary and Mrs. J. Waddell as treasurer. Convener for the sewing department is Mrs. Gerwood and of the knitting department Mrs. Percy Johnston.

Collectors for monthly donations are as follows: Mrs. Percy Reid, Mrs. Frank Thurmon, Mrs. Murrey Reid, Mrs. Mitchell Bartlett and Miss Amelia Clarke, the latter from the River Road has yet to be appointed.

In reviewing the work for the past year it was shown a special effort has been made for money for Christmas boxes for 30 overseas boys. Residents of the community responded generously to this fund, $113.50 being raised, the amount with the balance on hand of $62.11 had been sufficient to send five boxes. A small Easter remembrance will also be sent to the boys, it was decided.

The great percentage of supplies for the unit is received from the Belleville branch, which in turn receives the finished articles. During the year 218 articles were completed by the sewing department and 126 articles by the knitting department. In addition 13 quilts, three of which were donated by the W.M.S. of the United Church, were completed.

U.S.N.R. OFFICER

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The British Admiralty, elaborating on earlier denial that British escort ships had been withdrawn from Murmansk-run convoy to enemy of announced tonight that 91.6 per cent of supplies shipped over the far north route in the last three months did reach their port, he declared safely to Russia.

Most of the vast amount of supplies was conveyed by British escorts, said the Admiralty statement, issued in the result of a published interview with merchant seaman Jack Jacobson, Baltimore, Md., who said the British escort's were withdrawn from a convoy in the summer of 1942 to protect tanker ships, and that 34 merchant vessels were lost by submarine and air attack.

The Admiralty said 24 merchant ships were lost from 36 in the convoy. Three being sunk by torpedo-bombers before the convoy broke up.

The convoy was ordered to scatter, the Admiralty explained, when an attack by enemy surface ships, including the battleship Tirpitz and cruiser Admiral Hipper, seemed imminent.

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BIRTH

KING — In Belleville General Hospital on Monday, February 26, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. John King, a son, Franklin John, a brother for Adrian.

WARRINGTON — To Sgt. and Mrs. Warrington, at Picton Hospital on Saturday, February 24, 1945, a daughter, Joane Rena.

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BROWN — On February 24, 1945, at Private Hospital, Pavilion, Western Hospital, Toronto, to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brown, (nee Joan Wade) a daughter, Karen Jeannette.

DEATHS

ENGLISH — At Mountain Sanitarium, Hamilton, Ont., on Saturday, February 24th, George D. English, formerly of Marmora, Ont., in his 54th year.

Resting at the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, Belleville, from whence the funeral will take place on Tuesday, February 27th, at 2.30 p.m. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

BALLINGER — At Stirling on Sunday, February 25th, Charles Henry Ballinger, age 85 years, beloved husband of Edith Herbert Mace Stirling, from whence the funeral will be held on Wednesday, February 28th, at 2.15 p.m. for the service at the Anglican Church at 2.30 p.m. Interment Belleville Cemetery.

SNYDER — Suddenly in Belleville at his home, 260 Coleman St., on Saturday, February 24th, Verton Delbert Snyder, in his 65th. year.

Resting at Thomas C. Thompson Funeral Home, Everett Street, whence the funeral will take place on Monday, February 26th, at 2.30 p.m. Service in the chapel at 1.30 o'clock. Interment Morven Cemetery, near Napanee.

ROSE — Suddenly on Sixth Concession of Sidney Township, on Monday, February 19th, Wilbur Robinson Rose, in his 67th year.

Resting at the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street, Belleville, where the funeral will take place on Wednesday, 28th. Service in the chapel at 2.00 p.m. Interment Frankford Cemetery. FEB-2t

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. Alvin Babcock wish to thank their friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and floral tributes in the death of their mother.

Belleville Liberal Organization

MASS MEETING

Tuesday, February 27th, 8 P.M.

CITY HALL

ELECTION OF WARD ORGANIZATIONS AND DELEGATES FOR CONVENTION

ALL WARDS ARE REQUESTED TO HAVE FULL REPRESENTATION.

Drummondville, Que. Residents Clash With Provost Corps, Police

Drummondville, Que., Feb. 26—(CP)—This centre of 10,500 persons 90 miles east of Montreal, Canadian guest today, following a wild rioting morning melee in which residents clashed with draft-dodgers seeking Provost Corps men and Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Estimates of the crowd participating in the trouble ran as high as 2,000 although there was no way of determining the precise figure as the affair was at its height the crowds making up the crowd were spectators or combined their patriotic pasting to vocal efforts.

Nevertheless, so many residents did take an active part that at one time in the two-hour mixup an alert was sent to Lord Shaftesbury military camp, 50 miles away, to prepare to lend assistance. The trouble died out soon afterwards, however.

When it was all over, the joint police force, estimated variously at from 30 to 300 men, had taken 60 men into the temporary custody for questioning. Most had later released all but eight who were taken to Montreal. Eventually another three were released after proving that their business premises were in order. Of the five remaining, one was cleared as an army deserter, three others face charges of refusing to report for military service and a fourth that of failing to apply for and to possess a National Registration card.

In addition, 35 men were taken into custody at various times during the melee for obstructing police officers, but all were eventually released after police had taken them to the building they used as headquarters.

Nearly 100 Injured

Estimates of the number injured ranged as high as 100, but no accurate check was possible because residents who suffered cuts and bruises treated them at home and police did not reveal their number.

That it was known, however, that two R.C.M.P. officers required hospital treatment, as did a Provost Corps man who suffered a deep head wound requiring seven stitches to close.

Scores of others, both residents and police, suffered a variety of injuries from clubs, fists, stones and chunks of ice from the streets. The battle was between residents and the military police. Drummondville city police took no part in the roughup but later they stood guard around overturned R.C.M.P. cars when armed men roving the streets wanted to throw matches into puddles of gasoline.

Cars Overturned

The police conducting the check-up on draft-dodgers and military delinquents came by truck from Montreal, in one of a series of such roundups, and started in Montreal 10 days ago. In all, four R.C.M.P. cars were overturned and a dozen army trucks suffered broken windshields or other damage.

Trouble was brewing from the first, when police started their checkup in rooming houses, poolrooms and a basement drinking club. As they went from place to place, picking up about a dozen men at once, they were followed by a crowd which later had an increasing number of adults, both male and female.

Increased jostling between police and the crowd reached a climax in front of a downtown theatre when an army jeep careened close to an estimated 1,500 residents. Apparently some thought the intention was to run them down and large chunks of ice began flying with increasing regularity until the battle spread over a seven-block area.

Ice Forms Major Weapon.

Recently-broken ice formed the major weapon of the crowd throughout the melee, although the occasional bottle also went sailing in the direction of police. On roofs-top above, other participants rained down ice on residents and police alike. Damaged Provost Corps trucks finally came away when police had for a time continued to halt pedestrians and motor cars to inspect credentials and search for draft-dodgers.

Mounted Police, constables then formed in a solid block and moved away on foot, several times driving the crowd back at the crowd to halt them until headquarters could be reached. There a few windows were broken by missiles and the four cars outside were overturned. Finally, order was dispersed around 2.30 a.m. and the situation has remained quiet since then.

Newspapermen Abused

Three newspapermen who were following the course of the check-up were set upon as "stool pigeons" at one point during the disorders, suffered bumps and bruises, while Gerard Lemire, Beaton Glen suffered a possible fractured nose. He was rescued by an unidentified French-Canadian resident who lifted him over his head and carried him out of the melee after he had been knocked to the ground.

Drummondville natives recalled a similar melee but in a smaller degree during a strike at a silk mill here three years ago, while a group of some 30 youths "rescued" an alleged deserter detained by a small party of Provost Corps men three weeks ago. An overall charge of dynamite was set off under a culvert on a road leading to a school house being used for national registration purposes in 1940.

Capture of Iwo Jima's Second Airstrip Imminent

Guam, Feb. 26—(AP)—Capture of Iwo Jima's second airfield, in the centre of the strategic little island was imminent today as three Marine divisions drove north against considerable air support in an intensified push.

The bloody fight of the Pacific war went into its second month as the Americans holding almost half the island, 750 miles south of Tokyo, and making slow but steady progress northward.

The Marines, already on the main airfield in the southern part of Iwo, captured the east-west runway of the two fighter field (Motoyama No. 2) late yesterday and developed two-thirds of the north-south runway after a full day of heavy fighting.

Their assault followed a preliminary bombardment by artillery and warship battleships. Their planes and Marianas-based heavy bombers gave close support to the ground forces.

This was the first airfield in Japanese hands. A third field, in the southern part of the island, is under construction but far from completion. The only airdrome long enough to accommodate bombers, Motoyama No. 1, was overrun the day after the invasion.

16-Foot Cake Cut At Anniversary

Long Beach, Calif., Feb. 26.—(AP)—A 16-foot cake will be cut here tonight at an anniversary celebration for 14,000 naval dry-dock employes. It is the cake to end all cakes, wants the recipe. It contains such items as 500 pounds of sugar, 1,200 pounds of flour, 30 cases of eggs and 120 pounds of margarine. Allow for a finishing touch—500 pounds of frosting. Baking was done in sections.

PRISONERS ON THEIR OWN SOIL



These German prisoners, captured in Germany by own sail. An amphibian tank swims by the side of Canadians during the new drive from Nijmegen to the Rhine until the long line of Hitler's alleged superior race is being marched to the rear and prison cages on their own passes.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

NOW ITS GERMANY'S TURN TO SUFFER



The Nazis who laid waste so many countries in their drive on Europe are now reeling a taste of their own medicine. They are in retreat and are lucky to lay waste their own land in an attempt to halt the Allied advance. Here is a dash within the borders of the Fatherland which the Nazis have broken down in an attempt to slow down Canadians. But their effort failed.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

A DREAM COMES TRUE



The dream of every fighting Canadian since D-Day hazed and fought many a weary mile, ponder, this has been to reach Germany and liberate . . . Part Nijm, knowing one of its objectives has been story.—Cpl. Urban Mayo of London Ont., who has reached.—Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

GREAT RUHR

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down by the Canadians was over, but were thrown back. The Canadians occupied a 1,500 square mile area without much difficulty, while farther south the enemy had pushed southeast of Goch toward Kleve.

South of the Cologne plain, the American 3rd Army made advances of seven miles which carried the 84th Armored Division to the Rhine river in the vicinity of the fortified centre of Bitburg. A dozen or more towns fell to Gen. Gaffey's Corps. Patton's troops sweeping toward Koblenz on the middle Rhine.

They fought 3½ miles beyond Saarburg in a grueling reinforcement of the ancient city of Trier.

North of the Cologne plain, Field Marshal Montgomery intensified his attacks behind the breaching dispersed Roer and moved the 1st Canadian Army within 1,000 yards of the vital storage-shipping town of Geldern, two miles from the receding Rhine. There, forces were 46 miles north of the 9th Army flank moving toward the Rhine far and away Germany's most formidable.

The American 7th Army invading the Saar district, moved forward on a second industrial region, widened its front through Germany within sight of the ruins of Saarbrucken, **22,000 Prisoners Taken.**

Everywhere on the western front, the destruction of the thinly spread German divisions continued. Prisoners taken by the Canadians passed 21,000. The British and U.S. 1st Army which took Dueren, second largest German city to fall in the west, captured 2,000 more. The latest armies took more than 8,000 between them and another barrage of prisoners were streaming back. The bag here now duly to 4,700. Prisoners yesterday.

Weather deteriorated somewhat. German resistance on the Cologne plain, laced with old style trenches and dotted with a profusion of fortified towns, slag heaps and villages, was cracking before the more powerful blows of the U.S. 9th and 1st armies.

Through on 22-mile Breach.

The 3rd army in the centre was clear through a 23-mile-wide breach in the Siegfried line and fighting in other parts of the west wall beyond Saarburg.

The German, backed up into the outer defenses of the great but modernized city of Lower Rhine, failed to execute a single important counter-attack yesterday.

Ninth army veterans, braving costly and delaying minefields, fought through to within 10 miles of 88-millimetre guns toward the southern outskirts of Krefeld (pop. 6,000) in a dash toward the Ruhr.

Among the towns captured was Uerdingen, four miles from the Rhine, 12 miles west of Cologne and 26 miles inside Germany. Others toppled were Gusten, Hasselweiler, Spiel, Granterath, Hoverath, Heiserath, Tristel, Morsel, Munix, Merch, Wiedel, Kuttenhoven, Mersenich, Elin, Binsfeld, Spichten and Kreuzau.

Rail Movements Spotted

As the Allied offensive ground deeper into the vitals of the German heavy German rail and road movements were reported moving into the Rhine, moving north toward impended Cologne. Some great communications and industrial centres almost entirely on the west bank of the Rhine and it is doubly important to the attack. Duesseldorf is on that bank.

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The Germans are known to have an armored reserve west of the Rhine to guard the approaches to the Ruhr. This force of Skorzeny, Hitler or able — to get into the fight. The Allies have been virtually indispensable to the German war machine. The Ruhr and British estimates were that 75 per cent of the enemy war industries were located in its panhandle.

The 4th Armored Division of the 3rd Army reached the outskirts of Irrings of the Prueen River in its 7-mile advance east of the Moselle. The division took 1,000 prisoners and seized large stores of booty including many tanks, artillery pieces and wagons.

Before crossing the Pruem anew, the 4th Armored Division captured Irrhoven, Irrel, Ernzen and Minden and cleared Weidingen, Attscheid, Dudweiler and Hamm, all clustered seven miles west of Bitburg.

Patton Using 19 Divisions

Lt.-Gen. Patton, 3rd Army Commander, had committed at least 19 of his divisions, close to 150,000 men, to the battle in the centre. Four of the divisions were armored.

Canadian and British troops in the Goch-Calcar area in the north advanced on the German defence line under a creeping artillery barrage. Infantry then moved across the Calcar-Uedem road within two miles of the Ruhr gateway city of Weeze and on Goch from three sides.

Scottish troops advancing south of Goch were deterred mainly by mines, rather than the 10 fine divisions of Col.-Gen. Kurt Student's parachute army, still on the northern front. Many prisoners were taken from the Elite Fenner Lehr Division and from the four parachute divisions opposing the Canadian Army.

Offensive Growing

A dispatch from headquarters of Field Marshal Montgomery, describing the 1st Canadian, British 2nd and U.S. 9th Armies, said the Germans were attempting apparently to gain odds and ends of their badly depleted reserves to counter the American drive on the Cologne Plain, an offensive growing in strength every minute.

R.A.F. pilots said German transport movements were paralized in northern Holland and northwest Germany because of bombings.

RUSSIANS STORM

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A Berlin broadcast said German reserves were being moved into the sector, 110 miles northeast of Berlin. Berlin put for Berlin, and a laid Russian communique said that 600 German dead were left on the battlefield, suggesting a grand scale battle was in progress.

Other Red Army forces battling southwest of Koenigsberg, important German naval station, seized six more towns, while farther to the north heavy German counter-attacks on the Samland peninsula were repulsed, Moscow said.

German Air Losses Heavy

The Germans fought desperately in Poland and Germ in an effort to keep open a corridor between Koenigsberg and Pillau, Baltic escape port 30 miles west of the East Prussian capital.

German broadcasts, meanwhile, said Russian bridgeheads across the Neisse River had been crushed southeast of Berlin, where the Russians for several days have been exploding furious artillery attack in the Cottbus — Forst — Guben triangle.

The Germans also asserted their troops had wiped out Russian bridgeheads on the west bank of the Hron river, east of Bratislava and Vienna, capturing positive near Budapest.

Make Few Gains

Units of Marshal Ivan S. Konev's 1st Ukraine Army made new gains in their stepped-up assault on Breslau, encircled Silesian capital, and now hold nearly 50 blocks of the southern part of the city, the Soviet high command said. Soldiers have placed the size of the besieged German garrison at 50,000 and the Russians say the Nazis have been ordered to fight to the death in the hope of forcing a full-scale assault on Berlin and Dresden.

The Pomeranian drive highlighted the news along the Baltic eastern front. The Germans said it was launched by five Soviet infantry divisions and several tank brigades in an effort to destroy the German northern flank and lessen the danger of a counter-attack on Marshal Zhukov's frontal assault arc cast of Berlin.



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MANILA CONQUEST

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On Corregidor 200 survivors tried to make a run for it from the Malinta hill mouth, where a tremendous blast put, were cut down by exploding fire.

Five big explosions were heard Friday night deep under Malinta hill.

Great pieces of tunnel were blown out Wednesday as the fanatical Japanese touched off a subterranean demolition dump.

Gen. MacArthur announced the capture by 6th Infantry troops of San Isidro and Montalban in sweeping drive to clear the foothills east of freed Manila. He reported steady pressure on all fronts and continuing aerial strikes against enemy air, sea and land facilities from Formosa to New Guinea.



ASSEMBLY

Address on The Orient.

As a guest speaker, we had with us in the assembly this week Mr. Faulkner, who delivered a very interesting talk on the changing conditions of the east. He informed the students of the high educational standards in China in spite of the hard conditions imposed by bloody war, and went on to explain that China will deserve and receive more consideration in the future.

Musical Movie

A film entitled "The String Choir" was presented for the entertainment and education of the student body. The feature demonstrated the start and performance of the individual string instruments by several beautiful selections.

W. J. B.

BOYS' SPORTS

Basketball

Flash Seniors defeat Stirling.

Last Tuesday after four p.m. our undefeated Senior Boys' Basketball team downed Stirling in a home game by a 44-12 score. The Stirling team seemed lost on our larger floor and also a bit overwhelmed by the large crowd of Collegiate supporters. The Seniors have now only to defeat Picton on their floor on Tuesday to assure themselves of a chance to play off for the C.O.S.S.A. champion ship in Toronto late in March. With this object in view Mr. Townsend has adopted a strenuous training programme, which stresses prime condition as well as a fine passing play which should result in even better games than are at present being registered.

Tuesday next Picton on Monday after supper, where a decisive win for our teams, weather permitting.

G. B.

GIRLS' SPORT NEWS

B.C.I. Juniors Win at Stirling.

On February 19th, B.C.I. Junior girls journeyed to Stirling where they defeated Stirling Junior girls by a score of 11-4. This game was the second game the girl have played and the first where they have used the defence and it proved successful. Lois Flindall was fine points and Peg Campbell with six, spearheaded the B.C.I. attack. For Stirling, Marion Graver and Kaye Fanning were the scorers.

Lineups: B.C.I.—Faye Campbell, Mary Tumaso, Lois Flindall, Betty Bishop, Elsie Legate, Dorothy Flintoff, Ruth Johns, Louise Schoonover, Beatrice Mills, Bonnie Heatherington.

Stirling—Helen Johnstone, Marion Graver, Jean McIntosh, Kaye Fanning, Lois McGee, Eloise Sine, Marjorie Fanning, Phyllis Runman, Joan Hoard, Barbara Robson, Mildred Hagerman.

B.C.I. Senior Girls.

B.C.I. senior girls have won third straight victory when they defeated Albert College to the tune of 11-4. This win puts B.C.I. in the lead. The game was fast and very well played by both teams. Another very high scorer for B.C.I. followed by Peggy Bell, Phyllis Runman and Peggy Clifford scored the other points.

Lineups B.C.I.—Shirley Bunnet, Margaret Taylor, Shirley Marinoff, Alice Westcott, Elizabeth Keeler, Molly Camp, Nancy Hunter, Dena Pybus, Agnes Hamilton, Geneva Fox, Ruth Blatherwick, Vera Flintoff.

Albert —Elinor Wilse, Peggy Clifford, Helen Edwards, —Mildred Ryan, Ruth Hagerman, Merle Newman, Emily Mladzie, Jean Warner, B. Hawkins, H. Virtan, D. Yates, Pat Pyke.

Interform Basketball

Grade X—XD are ahead in the Grade X interform basketball competition followed by XC. Barbara Kyle was high scorer for all of XD's games.

Grade XII—XIIA are ahead in the Grade XI series followed by XIIB. High scorers for all of XIB's games are Vera Wilmore and Marietta Sandercock.

Grade XII—XIIA are ahead at present followed by XIIB. High scorer for XIIA is Faye Campbell.

Grade XIII—XIIIA and XIIIB are still battling it out. Grade XIII's winners will be announced in next week's edition.

M. T.

COMING EVENTS

(Week of Monday February 26th to Friday March 2nd)

Monday, February 26th—Monday is the big day for the Junior Basketball Teams, as both boys and girls travel to Picton for the game which will decide whether or not they are still in the running.

Tuesday, February 27—The Senior Boys' basketball team play their remaining game in Trenton today. If Trenton should win it would force a playoff. If B.C.I. continues its unbefeated streak then the next stop in Toronto.

Wednesday, February 28—A couple of teams will face-off tonight in the gym. It's Girls vs Boys and should make a game well worth watching.

Thursday, March 1—The Senior Girls go to Trenton in an attempt to play an undefeated season. Trenton is a bad team to play on their home floor and much will depend on the outcome of this game.

At the Hume Arena it's B. C. I. vs. St. Albert and B. C. I. Seniors vs St. Mikes. Both old teams have a fighting chance to take the Junior and Senior Hockey crowns this season, so come out and give them plenty of support.

Friday, March 2—In place of the regular Teen Age Club in the school, the "Kinsmen Follies" will be presented Friday night. Featured are Barbara Dimelly's troop of dancers, the ever-popular B.C.I. quartet, Miss Mabel Smith and that spirited pianist, Bill Nevin. The price of admission — adults 50c and students 25c goes to the Milk for Britain Fund. This is a worthy cause so come and do your bit for the less fortunate children in England.

Saturday are the interform basketball schedules for this week.

GIRLS'

Monday—XD vs XE; XB vs XF.

Tuesday—XIIA vs XIIC; XIIIA vs XIIIB.

Wednesday—XIIB vs XIIC.

BOYS'

Monday—XIA-D vs XIG.

Tuesday—XIIA vs XIIB.

Thursday—IXB vs IXC.

Friday—IXD vs IXC.

—V.C.M.

OUR SCHOOL LIFE

Chapted IV — Grade XII

For some lucky students this is their last year of early to bed, early to rise school routine. I am referring to our Comercial students. As for those who are not taking this course, you still have another year to go. But don't be envious, just think!! (Censored).

For some mysterious reason you seem to have a demoralizing effect on the lab. (or is it you). You just can't understand why the School Board was to send for new equipment after you mixed the two wrong solutions or why nothing happens when you run out of that blue stuff and use water instead.

Besides added subjects you take on added responsibilities. Study hours increase while you watch those pleasure hours slowly disappear from the face of your timetable.

Also you must take on the supervision of various activities as well as enter into many of them yourself. And here's chance to show your brain as well as brawn by not writing half a French paper on your Latin test or vice versa.

In this year you become eligible for the Student's Council and are by this time gaining the respect of some of your teachers.

In spite of the fact that your Geometry has finally succeeded in making your mind work in triangles and circles you are still surviving and this year you are considering the glamour girls and boys of the school.

(To be continued)

—J.C.

LETTERS TO SYLVESTER

My Dear Sylvester:

You make me sick. You make me sick. You nauseate me. Why don't you quit?

(Signed) Nauseated.

Dear Nauseated:

If I quit writing these letters I would have to do my French homework on Sunday nights. As for your other allegations, why don't you come over to my place some night, and we will form a mutual admiration society.

(signed) Sylvester.

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The Changes

Germany's manpower has been suffering heavy losses and her armies are being forced back into the Reich and last week the Germans had a further demonstration of proof of Allied power with the mightiest air raids making the Reich shudder and quake with their intensity. The condition of the Nazi "fortress" which, is steadily dwindling and withdrawing its frontiers on east and west, the raid on the city of Berchtesgaden whose railway station and other military targets were struck and the launching of the new western offensive which is believed to be the beginning of the "final round" of the war against Germany are proofs of the mounting of Allied power into the assault for victory.

There was a time when Berchtesgaden looked good to Hitler, when the Rhine and far west of the Rhine also looked good to him and when he had sent his Prussian eagles far east of the Polish border. But all these things have changed. The other day Marshal Stalin could announce that the winter offensive of his Red armies has taken a toll of 1,150,000 men of the Nazi armies and that the equipment in new Germany had lost three thousand planes, 4,500 tanks and 12,000 pieces of artillery. On the western front nearly a million Germans have been taken prisoner since D-Day.

The boasts of Hitler and Goering in the pre-war time had their day. Now those who trusted in their sheer might and in the unpreparedness of the world which they are now the Allies have seen Nazi power lust shattered and disappearing. Now Germans have something that touches them more closely and intimately than the wild 1938 and 1939 rantings of Hitler and those of late date in his pride of might and surprise. Hitler and his gang must fight on for they cannot face the United Nations think of the leaders of the Nazis and all who have been guilty of the most fiendish atrocities. The boasters and ranters are in a trap that will not fail to spring.

So Berchtesgaden and the proud divisions of Hitlerdom and the far-seized lands which the Germans took for temporary borders, hoping to extend them still further until they should rule Europe, Asia, Africa, the South Pacific and America which was their mad dream, are unsubstantial for Berchtesgaden has been shaken and there has been nothing said whether Hitler's hideout was attacked) and his grand divisions with which he opened the war of conquest have been decimated again and again until some of them are but handfuls or divisions of dead and wounded and prisoners.

So has Hitler's power fallen away, melting before the United Nations' strength of heart and resources.

Landing Craft, Human

The SHAEF communique of February 19 announced that the Thirty-Third Corps of the Fourteenth Army has established a bridgehead on the south bank of the Irrawaddy opposite Myinmu, against which the enemy is launching repeated counter-attacks. All have been repulsed after fierce hand-to-hand fighting.

The assault was preceded by a squad of champion swimmers. These were led by an ex-Irish Guardsman, Commando Captain Michael Muldoon of Newcastle who, in the darkness, slipped naked into the Irrawaddy and guiding the sand banks in the middle of the swiftly flowing stream which was half a mile wide, stood breast high in the water, guiding the first wave of United Kingdom, Indian and Gurkha infantry by means of beacons. Captain Muldoon's comrades picked from the toughest men in the corps, included Captain Jock Elder of Dundee, formerly of the Black Watch, and Lieutenant Barry Kimmins of Bristol. Night after night they had rehearsed under the noses of the Japanese once barely escaping the enemy's patrol boats by floating downstream on their backs.

The actual crossing was made on February 12, between Satpangon and Shwepaukpin, villages one hundred miles southwest of the Seventeenth Division's Kyaukmaung bridgehead. The surprise was complete and the initial casualties were only five killed and one drowned. Every kind of craft was soon ferrying backwards and forwards, carrying men, supplies, munitions and bulldozers.

Severe fighting continues, but the losses of the Japanese apparently exceed those of the Thirty-Third Corps in a ratio of seven to one, although several Japanese attacks were of battalion strength. The largest infantry concentration yet assembled in Burma, helped by aircraft spotters, opposed a fair number of Japanese guns. Twelve Japanese aircraft participated—the first to be seen for months. The country ahead of the Thirty-Third Corps is more suited to tanks, being sandy and covered with scrub, but the early fall of Mandalay is not expected.

Going Back From Exile to Homeland

Everyone can recall the time when President Benes of Czechoslovakia was forced to leave his native land and go to Britain, after the aggression of Hitler. After that the treacherous might of Hitler swept across that country of the Czechs engulfing it before the actual beginning of the present war on September 1st., 1939. Then came the war which Dr. Benes had foreseen. Now after five and a half years the Hitlerites are being steadily and irresistably forced back into the German Fatherland with Berlin as the centre of attack. Benes' country is in part cleared of the vicious enemy and the capital (Prague) its capital, is not yet liberated. But the Czechoslovak leader is going to go back home to take up the government and speed the work of rebuilding his country.

His faith in democracy never failed, though his country, the first to bear the wounds caused by the savage Hun, has seen tribulation. Still he has seen liberation come. Now he sees the Nazi and Prussian powers being pushed or driven to the doom they cannot avoid.

Benes had good Allies. He knew they would not fail his country. In Britain he found a home for a government in exile. Now that government is to be set up on Czech soil again.

What he and his brave people stood for is still their ideal, that of peace in the heavens as the darkness of Hun conquest is disappearing before Allied victory.

Benes has failed and the smaller nations as well as the larger which love liberty are vindicated not only by the consciousness that they have fought a good fight but also by the judgment of the nations of the world. That has been enough of the good, enough of the free and democratic in the world to down tyranny and barbarism.

Dr. Benes and so many million others in all free lands are and will be the victors. Hitler and his gang stand condemned by the voice of humanity. Now Czechoslovakia is joining the other liberated nations in bringing back governments to the homeless people who have endured heroically since Hitler showed his hand over the Sudetenland issue in 1938.

Travel Peak in 1950

(New York Times)

The public's pent-up desire to travel will by 1950 burst into a flood of 21,000,000 overseas travel year, writes the chairman of Pan American Marine News, citing among other figures the previous travel peak year of 1929, when the American public spent $675,000,000 on overseas travel. This prediction on post-war travel was made recently by the National Planning Association. New American passenger liners and planes will be available by that time, it is pointed out, and Europe probably will have recovered sufficiently to welcome American tourists.

What figure domestic travel will reach after the war is still a moot question among travel agents. It will depend on how soon automobiles are put onto the roads for pleasure travel, together with other factors such as fast, smooth trains, reduced airplane fares and de luxe cross-country buses.

Temptations are a file which rub off much of the rust of self-confidence.—Fenelon.

Conjecture as to things useful is good but conjecture as to what it would be useless to know is very idle.—Johnson.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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HOPE

Now anxiously we wait to hear
The word: The war is won!
And all the agony of fear
For those we love is done.

God grant the whistles soon shall blow,
And all the people sing
And dance and shout with glee to show
The joy that peace will bring.

They said it would be hard and long,
With "Sweat and grief and tears,"
The Might of tyranny was strong
And war would last for years.

But now, we wait the glorious day,
Of total victory,
When Right may put its guns away
And all the world is free!

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Trixie, you sit on the bear' hip—you're used to it."

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

Feb. 26th., 1925.

The members of the Hastings County Club of Toronto met at a banquet at the Carls-Rite Hotel in that city. The President of the club, Mr. Cleverth Foster, presided and Mr. Meredyth Robertson in the singing of many old time songs. Among the guests present were Mr. J. F. Hill, M.P.P.; Mr. W. R. Ireland, K.P.P.; Mr. Lindsay Mehlejohn, Mr. Tom Holmes and Mr. Geo. A. Kingston. The following officers were elected: President, Clifford Hatton; Vice President, Edward Gadsby; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Phoebe Kerr-Sargent; Executive Committee,—Arthur Aikens, Belleville; Mr. Nugent for Trenton; James Parker for Stirling; Mr. C. McWilliams for Marmora; George Rober for Madoc, Sandy Grant for Tweed; Hugh Carnahan for Deseronto; Cleverth Foster for Marlatra. The club membership now numbers two hundred, and much of the success of the organization is due to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hatton who have freely given of their time and money towards the extension of the club. A vote of thanks was tendered to Miss Temple L. Hawkins, the retiring Secretary-Treasurer, for her excellent work during the past year.

30 YEARS AGO

Feb. 26th., 1915.

Cheese factories in this district are being put in order for the opening of the season.

Mrs. William J. Smith of this city is visiting friends in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Bleland spent yesterday in Brockville.

The work of preparing the old canning factory building on Pinnacle Street for the housing of soldiers when mobilization takes place here, is progressing satisfactorily.

Mr. W. C. Corcoran, Perin St., is the owner of seven white Wyandotte pullets of which he is justly proud. In nineteen days these pullets laid 92 eggs. This is a record hard to excel.

Mr. Ted Bunnett spent a day recently in Ottawa visiting his son, Carlos, who is a member of the second contingent for overseas service.

40 YEARS AGO

Feb. 26th., 1905.

Asl. D. V. Sinclair spent yesterday in Kingston.

Mr. Ernest Lawrence is home from Toronto to spend a few days.

Mr. J. Nevin Doyle has arrived home for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle.

Mr. Frank Dale, Montreal, an old Belleville boy, is home on a visit.

Mr. Ed. Lee was home from Montreal to spend the weekend.

Mr. Harry Gadsby will leave tomorrow for Montreal, where he expects to reside.

Mr. Frank Dolan, Sr., and his son, Dr. J. F. Dolan, will leave tomorrow to attend two meetings at the Pacific Coast and in California.

50 YEARS AGO

Feb. 26th., 1895

The annual meeting of the Belleville Cemetery Company was held yesterday afternoon, the Town Hall and the following directors were elected for the year:—Messrs. John Bell, M. P., C. J. A. Worthrup, John Foris, J. P. Thompson, J. J. Thomas, W. J. Diamond, S. A. Moore, S. S. Moore and Dr. Coleman. At a later meeting the directors elect were the officers.

Mr. R. M. Roy, Jr., of Peterboro, formerly of Belleville, was in town on Sunday.

Mr. Harry Thompson is home from Toronto on a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Thompson.

Miss Annie White of Madoc was a visitor in town to day.

Remember Alex. LaVahn's carnival at the rink this evening.

Plane Crew Helps To Ease Monotony of Long Trip For Pyle

By ERNIE PYLE

In the Marianas Islands — After you take off from one of the island bases crossing the Pacific, the transplane climbs notably and laboriously for about half an hour, then settles off into steady and less laborious flight.

Gradually the intense tropical heat of the ground fades away, and a chill comes over the cabin. Then the flight orderly turns on the heater, and finally it until you are comfortable in your light clothes, even without a jacket.

It was after midnight when we took off from the little island of Kwajalein, in the Marshalls, and we were not to stop again until we reached the Marianas.

Passengers are not allowed to smoke until the plane has stopped climbing and levelled off. Then the flight orderly stands at the head of the cabin and shouts in a stentorian language "The smoking lamp is lit," and then brings around paper cups for you to use as ash trays.

About every three hours the flight orderly would wake us up to feed us. Food for the day, and served on trays just as on the ground, at times.

It got to be a joke among the passengers the way they poured food into us. They let us eat every stop, and about every three hours in the air. They nearly fed us to death.

The flight orderly is a sailor who does the same job as a steward on the airlines. We had two crews and two flight orderlies during our part of the trip, since the same crew stops off half way for a day's rest, and a new crew comes on.

Both our flight orderlies were swell boys. They were 18 years of age or so—12 Navy and Army officers (one a Marine Corps gen eral), three enlisted men, and myself. We were about equally divided. The orderlies took good care of us, were friendly and willing, treated us all alike and they weren't a bit scared of the high mountains.

They wore plain blue Navy dungarees and shirts, and worked with their sleeves rolled up. Our Liner, of Lubbock, Texas, he'd never see him. Howard always has a little joke for Marines, and was the first to ear.

The other flight orderly was Seaman Don Jacobi, of San Gabriel, Calif. He wore a plaited leather belt, and hung from it was a big bunch of keys and a hunting knife in a sandwich sheath. He was the seventh trip.

He seemed quite mature, yet I found he is only 18, and had quit high school to join the Navy. His one ambition is to get home after the war, and go on to college.

It's mighty tiresome sitting in the same seat on a transport plane for 24 hours, even when the seats are reclining ones, as ours were.

The worst part is trying to sleep. You doze off a while and then you start squirming because you can't stretch your legs out and your head has no place to rest. Moreover those who have travelled a lot by air try to limit themselves to the down. The floor is good, but a little hard, and lacks in softness.

They had mail piled in the rear four seats, so I got my blanket and started fixing myself up on the mail bags. An Army colonel ahead of me said, "I tried that, but had to give it up. There are too many square zones inside the sacks and they stick into you."

But I went ahead, and being smaller than the colonel, discovered I could sort of snake myself in between the hard places in the sacks. And by and by I slept most of the journey to the Marianas.

The one funny thing did happen that I'd never experienced before in flying. The plane had quite a bit of vibration, and my head was bouncing all the time. And then I found the right way, really comfortable, and because of the constant necessity for scratching my nose.

"From Tiny Drops"

(Stratford Beacon-Herald)

How much does the average Canadian know about the dairy industry? Because more than one-third of every dollar spent on milk in one of its many forms by all Canadians should endeavor to grasp something of the economic importance of dairying. The National Dairy Council of Canada has done a real job in its presentation of the case for the cow. The booklet "From Tiny Drops" gives concise, colorful information about the dairy cow and milk, the most complete single food", together with figures that startle the layman relative to the great industry of dairying in this Dominion. Copies is not available for reproducing more than a small part of the interesting story. Readers who desire free copies of the brochure have only to write their requests to the Secretary, Canada Council of Canada, 305 Journal Building, Ottawa.

Among many facts set forth attractively in "From Tiny Drops" are these excerpts therefrom:

"The source of the industry is the dairy cow, a gentle creature easily responsive to man's needs, moods and general well-being. Her docile personality is neither glamorous nor spectacular. Nevertheless she is the backbone of a great industry, one doing a $1,400,000,000 annual business. There are some 800,000 farms depending wholly or to a large extent on monthly milk cheques. There are 1,000,000 farmers on these farms, there are the tens of thousands who are employed in approximately 4,500 plants, both large and small, where milk is first handled or processed. In addition there are the many allied trade industries who sell to the dairy industry, persons engaged in the transportation and utility services, distribution of milk and its many products. Finally there are the consumers who fill these people. Yes, the Dairy Cow is a most important economic factor in Canadian life—an extremely important one.

"From Tiny Drops"—the daily output of millions of cows in large and small herds right across the Dominion—there emerges a stream of milk which amounts to the enormous yearly total of seventeen and a half billion pounds, enough to seven billion quart bottles. If this amount of milk were put in eight gallon cans placed end to end they would more than reach around the globe. Not all of this is sold as milk, but it is still not enough for Canadian and Canada dairy export trade. More could be used and it will be, as long as there is a ready purchasing power, and proportionately as the food value of dairy products becomes more widely appreciated".

12-MONTH BABY

Medical authorities in Los Angeles Calif., are baffled over the apparent phenomenon of the birth of this baby girl to Mrs. Beulah Hinton, 21, who carried the child for 12 months. Mrs. Hinton, wife of a Los Angeles aircraft worker, gave birth to a child, healthy and normal, weighed six pounds, 15 ounces, when born Feb. 20. Her confinement, according to medical calculations, since Nov. 17.

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

HYPERPIESIA

High blood pressure, in most cases, is one of the signs or manifestations of the constitutional or organic disease the patient has. It should not and cannot be prescribed for or treated by medicine, diet, rest, climate or anything else, any more than, say, high temperature or high pulse rate should be, without regard for what ails the patient.

Instruments for precise measurement of blood pressure date from 1828 when the U-shaped mercury manometer was devised. The type of instrument now generally used by physicians to measure blood pressure (arterial tension) called sphygmo-manometer, became standard fifty years ago, and is as familiar as the stethoscope or the headlight and speculum among the paraphernalia every good doctor carries in his bag or keeps close at hand for examining patients in his office.

Although I have harped incessantly on the fact that high blood pressure or arterial hypertension or hyperpiesia is not a disease or a complaint susceptible of interpretation or treatment, but a symptom, or sign, of some other condition, some disease, since Nov. 17.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

HOME ON THE RANGE

Home, home on the range,
Where the deer and the antelope play,
Where seldom is heard a discouraging word
And the skies are not cloudy all day.

The original version of this popular song, believed to have been written in 1872 by Dr. Brewster Higley, a Pennsylvania country doctor, who removed to Kansas about 1870 and took up a homestead on Beaver Creek near Smith Centre.

In the original "Home" was the original title. Like many other popular songs, the original title was supplanted by the most popular phrase in the song.

Evidence indicates that the original music was composed by Dan Kelly, a neighbor of Dr. Higley's.

This song has been the basis of several later versions and alterations, which, incidentally, are the fact that the authorship of both words and music have been claimed by a number of different persons.

It is often very difficult to establish beyond question the authorship of old popular ballads and songs.days.

They frequently become part of the national or sectional folklore and undergo so many alterations and additions that it is hard to say just who composed the original.

In the early days of the United States, counties were settled into areas or survey and land location purposes.

Each county consisted of a number of townships stretching north and south across a country.

In the case of both the township and the range were given in designating the location of land within a county, as Township No. 5, N., Range No. 7, W.

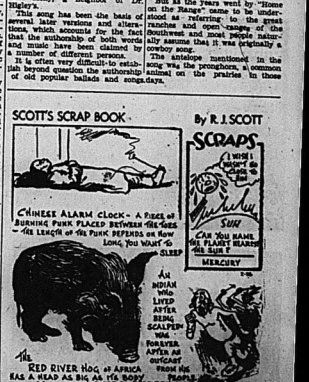
It appears that it was this kind of range on which Dr. Higley lived at the time he wrote the song and which he had in mind when he wrote of a home "on the range."

But as the years went by "Home on the Range" came to be understood as referring to the great ranches and cattle country of the Southwest and most people naturally associate it with the cowboy song.

The landscape mentioned in the song was the prongborn, a common animal on the prairies in those

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Dorothy Conley, Kingston, was a weekend guest of Miss Helen Lee, John Street.

Mrs. Floyd Henry and little son Howard, of Ottawa, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Henry, 176 Charles Street.

Pte. Bill Fralin, 46 Crier Street, has returned to Camp Borden, after spending the weekend with his wife and baby, Georgia Jean.

The friends of Mrs. Blake Beddel will be pleased to know that she is convalescing at her home at Carrington after her recent operation at the Belleville General Hospital.

Mrs. T. P. Hamilton Mountain View and Walter Hamilton, of Belleville, attended the funeral at Trenton Friday of the former's cousin, the late Mrs. Arthur Tufts.

Kaye Martin has received notice that he passed with 1st Class Honors on the Secretarial examination required for Honors Course in Music, Faculty of Arts, in Toronto University. Ronald Raymer, also received 1st Class Honors in the exams for his University course. Both are students of Prof. Wheatley.

WEDDINGS

WHITLEY—ROGERS

In the chapel of St. George's Anglican Church, Trenton, a quiet wedding was solemnized at 2 p.m. o'clock on Saturday, February 24, when Marybelle Clara Rogers, of Frankford, daughter of Petty Officer and Mrs. J. D. Mcclelland, Halifax, N.S., became the bride of Donald Whitley, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Whitley of Trenton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. K. L. Bradford.

The bride was charming in a floor length gown of white satin and net made with full skirt, long tight sleeves, sweetheart neckline, and a halo of matching satin and net with a finger-tip veil. She carried a shower bouquet of red roses and bouvardia.

Miss Whitley, sister of the groom, as bridesmaid, wore blue chiffon made on similar lines to that of the bride with shoulder length veil caught to her head with matching flowers. She also carried a bouquet of roses.

Corporal William McIlveen, R.C.A.F., Rockliffe, Ont., was groomsman.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the groom's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. Whitley, 38 Alfred Street. The bride's mother received the guests wearing a gray dress with black accessories and a corsage of lilac and roses.

The young couple will reside at 33 Alfred Street, Trenton.

FRONT ROAD WAR WORKERS

The Front Road War Workers met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bowen on Feb. 21. - Euchre prizes were won as follows: Men's, Robt. Bell, consolation, Mrs. Lorne Ashley; Mrs. Maurice Reid, consolation, Mrs. Jame Reid and Mrs. Robt. Bell; door prize, Verna Ackey. Collection amounted to $3.80. Suggestions were made on a jar of pickles which were donated by Mrs. Bowen and won by Mrs. T. J. Brown.

Lunch was served and everyone enjoyed a social time. The next meeting will be held at Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ackey's home.

CHAIN-SMOKER AT 19.

Bilston, England, (CP) — 19-year-old boy, said to be an inveterate chain-smoker, has pleaded for juvenile court probation with his 18-year-old brother for damaging railway cars to the extent of $80.

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Calisthenics To Slim Down



The exercise, shown here, is good for reducing the waistline.

By HELEN POLLETT

To let the waistline thicken is to sound the death knell of the trim, youthful silhouette. It is to be that pleasing inward curve from below the ribs to the hips, a line that is vital for anatomical perfection.

Forty-aged girls must guard against figure changes that sneak up on one, mainly because the diet contains more calories than are necessary for the body and because exercise is forgotten.

As Extra Duty

Fighting off spread amidships should start as soon as the tape measure registers an extra inch. Catch fat cells young and you can delete them. Let them grow and they form heavy layers, and you're in for a long siege. Keep an eye on the bath room scales. If you should do something, the weight gaining will go right on.

Everything cutting down on fats, sweets and starches, foods which cause fat cells to form and multiply, will often lop off a pound a week; that is reducing fast enough. Do not be tempted by pastries or fried foods. Do have lean meat, fish that is not fat, poultry, but terrific cottage cheese, eggs, fruits and vegetables. Do be miserly about sugar, butter, cream or sugar. Citrus fruits add great assists are your diet friends. When dieting drink plenty of water each day.

Daily Calisthenics

Five minutes of calisthenics every morning will not bore you, and they will rid you of waistline blubber. Stand tall, chest lifted, arms extended on a line with the shoulders. Swing the arms (still held straight) from the body; as far to the right as you can, pivoting at the waist line, then to the left. Back to first position and repeat.

You will be conscious of muscle pull down to your hips. It is that muscle pull the exercise that knocks adipose tissue galley-west.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Divorced Girl Asks: Why All Men Consider Her Fair Game.

Dear Miss Fairfax:

"Six months ago I was granted a decree for infidelity, desertion, non-support and physical violence. You see there were plenty of grounds.

"I'm 24 years of age, considered pretty, dance well, am thoroughly domestic, and I'm not a bad sport, old-fashioned. This was understood by my husband's friends who often chaffed me about my conservatism. No sooner was the decree granted than almost every man of my acquaintance, both married and single, wanted to "console" me, as they put it.

"I was hurt to the quick to think these men could have imagined I would accept such advances on a decent husband, home, children is what I want.

"When I talked to mother-about these proposals she and men considered a divorced woman fair game. She has placed me under no obligation to go out among my friends and make new contacts to help forget my plight.

"Am I a Misunderstood."

Since divorces have become so prevalent—formerly one marriage in six going on the rocks and now one in five—divorced women have been regarded as what you aptly term "fair game."

The divorced woman is supposed to be able to take care of herself; she incurs no responsibility. Men are still cling to conservative behavior hesitate about inviting an unmarried girl to a situation that would jeopardize her good name and imperil her future. We still have men who cling to ideals, sometimes called old-fashioned, that make fair better living.

If one of these highly modernized unmarried girls "goes her own gait," the modern man incurs no responsibility. He feels her way of life is of her own choosing. The case of the genuine widow is different. Society doesn't as distinct from the divorcee known as "grass widow" or "golden eagle." The widow has champions inspite of herself. Which the divorcee is not likely to have. She is on her own; she paddles her own canoe, and if that fragile craft founders, it's up to her.

Concerning your own case, your desire is to have a decent husband, home and children. That's understood, and it will be understood when you show you're not in the market for what you call consolation, you'll undoubtedly meet the right man.

Library Corner

By O. D.

Blair, W. E. Understanding the Child Mind.

A book for parents, teachers and social workers, containing information to problems common to all adults especially for the care of a child.

Carr, W. G. Orchestration in the North.

The story of the creation of the large airport at Goose Bay, Labrador.

Cerf, B. A. Try and stop me.

A collection of anecdotes and stories, mostly humorous" (inherited).

Puddick, H. E. A great time to be alive.

Twenty-five sermons on Christian family in wartime, by the minister of the Riverside Church, New York City.

Sale-Smith, Shelle. Speaking of Boston.

A study of the life and times of Jane Austen and also of her books and characters.

Edinburgh, Emily. How dear to my heart.

Recollections of a happy childhood in Indiana "when automobiles were new and farmers were known as hayseeds."

Landon, M. D. Anna and the King of Siam.

The experiences of a young Welsh widow who was hired by the King of Siam to teach English to his children.

Scott, R. L. Damned to glory.

Stories of aerial warfare at Dunkirk, Tunisia, China and Burma by the author of God is my Co-Pilot.

Warning—
Watch out for sniffly Head Colds!
Head colds can cause much suffering. To promptly relieve the sniffly, snuffy, stuffy discomfort use little Va-tro-nol up each nostril. Va-tro-nol works right where trouble is to soothe irritation—reduce swelling—make breathing easier. Try it! Also helps prevent many head colds developing if used in time. Follow directions in folder.
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Quinte W.I. Entertained at County Home

On Friday evening, Feb. 23rd., Mr. and Mrs. R. Sandercock were host and hostess to the members and friends of the Quinte W.I., about ninety were present and Mrs. Sandercock expressed her pleasure at seeing so many present and hoped that all would enjoy the evening at their home.

Eighteen tables of progressive euchre were in play with prizes being won by ladies' 1st, Mrs. Monteriel, 2nd., Mrs. J. Lynch, 1st., Mrs. F. Reid, 2nd, Miss Jones. Men's, 1st., Mr. Jas. Cerfoist, 2nd., Mr. W. D. Reid, 1st., Mr. J. Parrott, 2nd., Mr. R. Bell.

A pretty cushion was sold by auction, by Mr. W. D. Reid and was bought by Miss B. Jones for $2.50.

There was sold on a box of chocolates and Mrs. A. Mitchell had the lucky ticket.

At the conclusion of the euchre, all were seated at the tables prepared in the dining hall and a delightful lunch was served by Mrs. Sandercock and assistants.

Mrs. Sandercock thanked all for coming and all voted the evening had been a decided success, and that the superintendent and his wife were "fully good fellows."

BRIDGE ST. CHURCH W. A.

On Friday the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Association of Bridge St. Church was opened by Mrs. Doris Burgoyne singing "The Lord's Prayer" in unison with the pianist Mrs. J. R. Guthridge.

Mrs. Edward Frances conducted the worship service, Song of Solomon Chapt. 5. Communion on Sunday, March 4th.

"In the early church believers gave their lives for their faith, but today there seems so little value placed on human life, which is tragedy, a gift of God." Such education' meant to cause a change in Mrs. Truscale quoted from articles written by Dr. Fosdick, emphasizing showing that to be adequate, adult education must aim not only for the study of international problems and economic problems, but for the development of family life and cultural religious and recreational interests as well.

Mrs. Morden discussed the meaning adult education could have for the Association.

Members are being forced into positions of responsibility in worthwhile places. It isn't enough to be members. Leaders in the church must have educational programs. Women who believe in a better world peace will not bring it to pass in the next year but if it is ever brought to pass public opinion will help the job and, who can do more to mold public opinion than enough women who talk enough.

"We must educate ourselves," she said, "for convincing and effective service, in the spiritual life of our church, in the home, and in our country."

In the absence of the President, Mrs. J. Wood, Mrs. R. Hollins presided and received reports of the following: the secretary, Mrs. R. Grant; the treasurer, Mrs. R. Grant for Warden Service Branch, Mrs. A. E. May displayed a chart and requested that all ladies listen to a broadcast by Mr. Donald Gordon, Thursday evening March 6. Mrs. Frank Wood reported on flower committees. Mrs. W. Finkle announced the Friendship Group would hold their regular monthly tea at the home of Mrs. Hall, 234 Ann St. and appealed to the ladies to notify any strangers that they would be welcome.

Mrs. Clarke announced that her group would have a tea at the home of Mrs. F. S. Deacon, March 20th.

Mrs. Frances announced that the V.O.N. was presenting an interesting lecture on venereal diseases by Miss Stirrey in the Collegiate on Wednesday March 7th.

Members were reminded of the Red Cross Tea in the church on Thursday March 1st. The meeting closed with Mizpah. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Rollins' group.

TIRED? STIFF?
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Natural-Looking Eyebrows



Marguerite Chapman has well shaped eyebrows.

By HELEN POLLETT

THAT is really pleasing to ladies' eyebrows, gracefully lined with delicate curves edged, is a credit and commendation to the facial powers possessed by which say Eye for beauty will acknowledge. It is only when eyebrows take on a too exotic line that they lose the decorative purpose for which they were designed that the critic is entitled to state her mind.

The exotic pattern suits few women. It has been flourishing for the last ten or fifteen years like a house afire.

Beauty Frenzy

No beauty frenzy has so changed the faces of the females the continent as eyebrow torturing. Many a pretty, lovely young face has become mask-like under the influence of deleted eyebrows or those that have assumed strange outrs and patterns. The old girls, following the lead of the young, are wearing normal forehead lambrequins.

When wrinkles come and theses ag there must be a limit to freak-

BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

ADDRESSED TO SUB-DEBS.

You're all glamored up for the dance, and you look sweet, you're perfectly grand gal. You look in the mirror and think you look pretty elegant. But do you look it? Bring your age, you are always in a flutter, and we just wonder if swishing the comb thru your hair, slathering into the new make-up tricks, but we do not, don't we? Is any of the bathtub and get yourself together this week the speedy time in which you do it. Is it a matter of evening you'll wonder if you have tag ends of hair straying around your collar, or lipstick spread will not have an evening gown. You've seen girls at the party looking that way, haven't you? Sure you have.

When you're all dolled up in a long, swishy evening frock you *do* feel grand, don't you? Then why do that without spending a little time on your hair, your toilette.

Yet sometimes suspect that wear- ing scuffy shoes, Pa's shirt with- talk hanging out, and blue jeans —all right around the house and on the playground—have much more glamor than the elaborate get-up of the exquisite details of dress. When Cinderella was a young lady she boasted of the fact that it took her two hours to get ready for the grand occasion. She spent about half that time grooming her demountable hair and bathing herself until double-turreted. Then she had to shimmy into her slavey.

Have a leisurely bath and give yourself a brisk rubdown; it will rest you. Don't grab the atomizer and douse on the perfume; they will smell you a mile away. Use a light spray on chest and arms; the alcohol in cologne will evaporate and the essence will remain.

Before you start on the make-up spree, breathe deeply and count ten. Then do it again. Then get down on smoothly, to tint the lips delicately.

After you arrange your hair—and be pretty fussy about it, as the coiffure is most important—polish it up with something so you will not have flyaway hairs. Remember there are no more evening," when you'll know it should be thrown away.

IVANHOE W.M.S.

The Ivanhoe W.M.S. held an afternoon meeting at the home of Mrs. Charlie Mills on Tuesday, Feb. 20th. During the afternoon a Baby Band Group was formed with the President, Mrs. G. Frost opened the meeting and all repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison. Minutes of last meeting were read, followed by the roll call, which was answered by a verse of Scripture containing a text. Business period showed 21 members and one visitor present. Mrs. Thomblison gave a short paper on the key word, Group Leader No. 2, Mrs. F. Twiddy conducted the remaining part of the meeting. Opening with Call to Worship, followed by a hymn. Prayer then followed for all Christian people of Canada. Responsive reading found in the hymnary was read by Mrs. (Rev.) O. E. Wagar and Miss Doris Mills."

Twiddy favored with a duet "Does Jesus Care". Mrs. Lovibund gave a reading on Christian Stewardship and Mrs. Charlie Mills gave current events followed by prayer. Mrs. Cooney gave a reading "Try-Mizpah benediction closed the meeting. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Proceeds from the beauty vote of thanks was extended to the hostess for her kindness. Collection was $1.40, tea money, $1.96.

LAYIN PROVED MEDIUM

Inverness, Scotland (CP) — A young Scottish school teacher saw a strange man outside her home and asked who he was. In several languages without success. Then she tried Latin and he replied: "I am a German, I have walked several

THE MIXING BOWL
By ANNE ALLAN
Hydro Home Economist
Hello! Homemakers! We must be thrifty! One way to be just that is to spend every food dollar wisely as possible. Each week when you purchase groceries see where you can save twenty-five cents for the extra War Savings Stamp your grocer has available.
Everybody's doing it. Yes they are buying a War Savings Stamp at the grocery counter on Stamp Day—that is every Friday.
Our homemakers are doing it by:
1—Buying seasonal products.
2—Buying food in the quantities that they can store successfully.
3—Buying food that they can make into nutritious homemade dishes, e.g., soup bones for soup, yeast cakes for quick breads.
4—Buying more whole grain cereals to cook instead of packaged cereals.
5—Buying according to a planned menu.
PORRIDGE
Use a double boiler for cooking porridge. Pour boiling water in top and bottom parts of utensil and place on element when turned to high. Add cereal and salt, cover and cook 30 mins.
If desired, use milk in place of half or more of the water. A few raisins or cooked fruit added to porridge may be stirred into cereal before serving.
Quantities: Use two cups water (1) 1 cup milk (2) 1-2 cup flaked wheat, (3) 1-3 cup oatmeal (4) 1-3 cup cream of wheat, or farina, etc.
BOILED RICE
1-2 cup rice, 1 quart boiling water, 1 tbsp. salt.
Pick over rice. Wash under cold water faiset about 2 mins. separating the grains to wash out the starch coating. Keep the salted water—a tablespoon of salt to a quart—in a deep saucepan. Bring to a brisk sprinkle in the rice. Cook uncovered at a rapid boil without stirring from 12 to 15 mins., until a few grains on a fork are soft but not mushy. (Use a large kettle, it will boil over.) Rinse the cooked rice with hot water to remove excess starch and again separate kernels by heating in oven or kettle. Cover with tea towel until ready to serve. Makes 1-3 cups.
RICE MUFFINS
3 1-4 cups flour, 3-3 cup cooked rice, 8 tsps. baking powder, 2 tbsps. sugar, 1 cup milk, 1 egg, well beaten: 2 tbsps. melted butter, 1-2 tsp. salt.
Add cereal to milk. Combine dry ingredients, stir milk, beaten egg and liquid fat together. Add to mixed dry products only enough to dampen flour. Spoon carefully in greased muffin, pans and bake 25 mins. in a slightly hot oven at 400 deg. Makes 12 muffins.
TAKE A TIP
1—To make a clean cut through the meringue on a pie, use a sharp knife which has been dipped in hot water. The meringue will stay high instead of being crushed.
2—A wooden spoon is very useful for handling clothes which have to be washed in very hot water. Use it to stir the suds, to work the clothes up and down and to remove them from the hot water.
3—Instead of washing the rolling pin after each use, scrape off the excess flour and put it back into the flour bin—it won't stick to the next dough you roll out.
4—When there is pie crust left over, it's a good idea to roll it out, slip a piece of wax paper under it and one over it. Roll it into a tube shape and store in the refrigerator. This takes little space in the electric refrigerator and it can be used without getting out the rolling pin and board again. (Be sure to take it out and leave at room temperature for 20 minutes before fitting into pie plate.)
THE SUGGESTION BOX
Mrs. C. A. J. says: — Here's an easy way to remove burnt food from glass cooking utensils. Just fill them with boiling water, add a little household bleach and set aside to cool. An hour or an hour the black crust will lift off, and after thorough washing, the dish will be spotless.
Mrs. B. F. Says:—If you live in small premises, where cooking odors quickly drying must be done indoors, set in your clothes woodenclothes drier in the bathtub. The "drying" will be achieved.
Readers:—Thank you kindly for your suggestions. Received recipes have been answered directly.

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Toronto Maple Leafs Absorb 5-2 Licking Sun, by Canadiens And Tie Rangers 4-4 Saturday

Maurice Richard Establishes New All-Time N.H.L. Scoring Mark of 45 Goals

(By REDDIE LEE)
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Attendance figures at National Hockey League games during the week-end were a further indication that you just can't fail about hockey fans.

The 13,981 paid customers who jammed Montreal forum last night did not part with their cash so much to watch Canadiens trounce Toronto Maple Leafs 5-2 as they did to see Maurice (Rocket) Richard establish a new all-time N.H.L. scoring mark of 45 goals in 44 games, surpassed only by Joe Malonk's 46 goals, in the 22-game 1918 season.

There was also a season for the attendance of the 15,764 persons who turned out to watch New York Rangers fight by a call's width for, to grab the coveted fourth-place playoff berth from Boston Bruins when the teams tied 4-4 in a clash at New York. Rangers had moved up within a point of Bruins by holding Leafs 4-4 tie at Toronto Saturday before a crowd of 11,456.

But there was no explanation for the 15,981 fans who watched the second-place Detroit Red Wings blank Chicago Black Hawks 3-1 at Chicago and leave Hawks with only the faintest hopes of overcoming seven-points separating them from fourth place.

The same two clubs drew only 10,178 onlookers when Wings handed Hawks a 4-2 set-back Saturday at Detroit.

Three Minutes Before End.

The Montreal crowd wailed until three minutes before the game ended before Richard grabbed a pass from Tim Blake and beat Turk McCool cleanly with a rising shot. He was given a 45-minute ovation and thirteen reports said the pandemonium far surpassed that accorded the Rocket when they won the Stanley Cup a year ago.

Besides Richard, pet Canadiens' cool ahead with the only goal of the opening period and Mick Mehl tied it up early in the second. Before the period ended, Montreal was ahead again on two fast goals by Richard, Bouchard and Blake while Toronto was short handed. Frank Mosienko got the other Leaf goal in the third and Elmer Lach scored for Canadiens before Richard set his record.

The second largest crowd of the season watched Rangers pile up a two-goal advantage in the period on goals by Ab Dell and Hank Goldup but Bill Cowley whittled it down to 3-1 before the session ended. Bach scored a goal in the second, Jack McGill tying it up and Cyrile Denis putting Rangers ahead again. Bruins scored two fast ones early in the third from the sticks of McGill and Armand Gendreault. Goldup scored the tying goal in the dying minutes.

Opened Scoring.

At Chicago, Pete Horeck opened the scoring for Hawks in the second period on Joe Cerwyn tied it up in less than five minutes and put them ahead with his second goal of the night mid-way through the third. Sid Abel scored the clincher on a breakaway near the game's end.

Ab Demaroo contributed two goals to the Ranger cause at Toronto Saturday night in the first period and the tying counter late in the third. Gus Kyle put Toronto ahead in the first and Ross Johnstone, Art Jackson and Drewery Schriner added the others in the second. Grant Warwick scored for Rangers in the second and Pete Thurier made the third Ranger goal two minutes before Demaroo's tying counter.

At Detroit Saturday, Wings jumped into a three goal lead in the first period when Sid Jackson, Syd Howe and Ted Lindsay connected. Murray Armstrong scored the final Red Wing tally after Pete Horeck and Bill (Red) Mitchell had counted for Chicago.


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BUFFALO BISONS TIGHTEN GRIP

By The Canadian Press

Buffalo Bisons tightened their grip on the leadership of the Eastern Division of the American Hockey League by two successive wins over the weekend while Cleveland Barons remained undisputed leaders of the Western Division with a win over St. Louis Flyers and defeat at the hands of Providence Reds.

Buffalo's victory 4-3 over Hershey Bears Saturday marked the last of the scheduled games for Buffalo at Hershey and also the Bisons' first win over the Bear there. The St. Louis Flyers fell to the Bisons by the six-goal score last night.

It was the Flyers' second successive defeat over the weekend having been downed 11-2 by division leading Cleveland Barons Saturday. The Barons were not so successful when they had to bow 8-3 to Providence Reds last night.

Indianapolis Capitals also took it on the chin over the weekend with two defeats suffered at the hands Saturday at Pittsburgh 11-3 and Hershey Bears 5-3 last night.

Sports Roundup

(By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.)
(Associated Press Sport Writer)

Howard Johnson, Oregon's coach on leave, who shows perfect form when he's left the United States soon after springing a three-point basketball scheme, sends this further explanation: "I had no idea of making what seems to be a radical suggestion when I started my study. It was primarily for scouting and coaching purposes. However, I am convinced now that these suggested changes may help solve the problems on the score and the fan, the man who is not a basketball player."

A generally overlooked point, which led to the idea of rewarding long shots, Hokem adds, is that many kinds are becoming strictly one-hand shooters, which leads to the domination of the game by any big guy who can play a "key hole" zone defense . . . The 21-foot arc may not be quite right, its originator concedes, and maybe 23 feet would be better. Only further experiments can show.

Monday Mail.

Joe Boley, Waterbury, Conn., basketballer, coached and played on a pair of teams that scored 125 points in two games one day last week—and both of them lost. Would you say Joe was Boley-ed over?

Another odd basketball record in A.B.C. collection is that of 89 gutter balls in one season by "Food", Nelson of New York in 1905-06. After the season pals presented Foodie a 36-pound turkey —stuffed with lead.

SPORT SHORTS FROM BRITAIN

By ALLAN NICKLESON
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 24.—(CP)— Famed cycle specialists Raleigh Cycling Society Street journeyed daily for more than ten weeks to the Wiltshire hamlet of Beckhampton. Their object: speed, endurance.

Because of their treatment. Bolton Wood, two-year-old in the King's stable, won the Grand National. He was slowly getting blind when highly-paid specialists famed for saving human eyesight were called in by Sir Malcolm Upiher, Fred Darling.

Bolsena, half-brother to 5,000 Guineas winner Big Game and who is entered in the 1945 Classic, developed when Sid Jackson, Syd Howe and Ted Lindsay connected. Murray Armstrong scored the final tally after Pete Horeck and Bill (Red) Mitchell had counted for Chicago.

Britain's thoroughbred racehorse population, which fell to a low level in the early years of the war, is slowly is returning to normal.

A newly-published supplement to the General Stud Book reveals there is no longer any danger of a shortage. For instance approximately 2,500 foals were born in Britain and Eire during 1944, compared with 2,383 in 1942—the lowest war year.

Weakest part of the general outlook is the small number of stallions—267—at stud, including a few Arabs.

THREE TORONTO RINKS WIN AT ONTARIO SPIEL

Selbering Trophy Carried Off by United States Rink Skipped by L'Heureux

Toronto, Feb. 30. (CP)—W. Henderson of Dresbener, Ont., won the Rika-zenki-Shield at the curling meet as the 18th annual Ontario bonspiel came to a close. Winners of two Ontario rinks that carried off honors in the Canadian section to three Toronto rinks and a United States entry.

Henderson edged Dr. C. L. Mason of Toronto High Park 13-10 in the final round. Mason had defeated Dr. A. E. Walker of Hamilton.

Bill Young of Toronto Royal Canadians swamped Alex Gardiner, who had dropped only one game in 10 starts, in the Royal York trophy final 15-5. Young failed to capture the North American Selbering trophy after reaching the finals against Dr. Arnold of Windsor, Ont. Arnott won 11-5. However, grand aggregate honors went to Young.

Dr. W. J. L'Heureux of Detroit, who won the Selbering trophy, the second time a U.S. rink has won in the spiel. The final was all-American, L'Heureux defeating W. J. MacNeil of Wauwatosa, Wis., 13-7.

W. M. Knowlson of Toronto Scarboro Golf & Country Club won Rika 10-8 to take the Waterloo Cup while the rinks of Toronto Royal Canadians defeated W. R. Macdonald of Toronto Curling Club 14-12 to win the Association.

BIG SEVEN

(By The Canadian Press)
Elmer Lach, Canadiens, gathered two points as the Flying Frenchmen, two-timed Toronto Maple Leafs 5-2 and moved into the lead in the National Hockey League scoring race. Lach was one point ahead of team-mate Maurice Richard whose goal in the same game established an all-time total goal record of 45. Toe Blake, also of Canadiens, picked up three points to move into a third place tie with Bill Cowley of Boston. Ab Demaroo, New York, with three points in two weekend games, rose over sixth place, one point behind Syd Howe, Detroit.

	G.	A.	Pts.
Lach, Canadiens	21	46	67
Richard, Canadiens	45	21	66
Blake, Canadiens	24	33	57
Cowley, Boston,	23	34	57



He's Some Man.

He may wear last year's straw hat, his finger nails may need manicuring, his vest may hang a little loose on him and his pants may sag at the knee. His face may show signs of second-day growth, but don't call him "old man." He's your father. For years he's been rushing around to get things together. Never once has he failed to do the job that had to be done. He thinks that you are the greatest boy on earth, bless him. When you do plan to get your hair back, wear loud clothes, smoke cigarettes and fall to bring home the bacon. He is the man who won the love, life, partnership and respect of a some man, and of the greatest woman on earth—Dad, the man." If you would win as good a wife as he did, if you turn out to be half as good a man the chances are you will have to go some.

Wrong Number!

A Dick Tracy touch was added to the Loyola College basketball scandal when it was revealed that early this season, all college coaches in New York were given a secret phone number to call if any of their boys were approached by gamblers. The moment this phone rang, the coach on the end would know something evil was afoot, and no explanations were to be necessary—only the time and place of a meeting with the gamblers, which all the players were instructed to arrange for, as they appeared to "go along" with any racketeers who offered bribes.

"Just call this number, the police will do the rest," the basketball coaches and players were told.

The Brooklyn College boys "went along" with the gamblers all right, when they were offered the $2,500. But they went too far. They forgot to call the phone number, and went instead for the "wrong numbers" the gamblers wanted them to arrange in the final score!

Around the Town.

Unless the Stirling rink resembles more of a lake than a hockey rink, Belleville-Combine Junior O.H.A. Tuttle Bay playdowns will resume at Stirling tonight. . . . Odd to report Barney Bush is out of the hospital and getting around following an appendicitis operation, but Rance won't be out with the local junkers for the remainder of the season, which places the defence responsibility on the shoulders of Doug Green and Bill Holway. . . . Otherwise the locals will be at full strength tonight. . . . The Combine-Belleville winner meet the Kingston Victorias in the first round junior O.H.A. playdowns later in the week. . . . The Vics are reported to boast of a formidable club, that has met and beaten each of the best junior "B" squads in Ontario through the medium of exhibition games this winter. . . . They are playing in the strong Kingston City Hockey League, which affords them practice with the best players in the business. . . . Padre Mahla's Trenton "Flyers" push off for Barrie tomorrow to play the second game of the No. 1 O.H.A. "B" Training Command semi-finals. . . . The local Flyers will have to do without hockey to protect their one-goal lead when here Friday night as the Borden team look to possess plenty of speed on fast ice.

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GALT RED WINGS TIE FOR SECOND WITH FALCONS

Defeat Young Rangers 5-2 In Last Scheduled Game of Season

By The Canadian Press

In the last scheduled game of the O.H.A. junior "B" series Galt Red Wings earned a well-deserved draw with St. Catharines, 12 points below St. Catharines, with Galt's victory over Young Rangers on Tuesday last.

Saturday's encounter say a listless bonspiel first period but Young Rangers managed to hold a 2-1 edge at the close of the middle frame. Galt did all the scoring in the third, collecting four goals in a row.

Cavanagh of Galt was head man with two in all, other scorers being Pavalich, Kashuba and Krupnicki. Kazarian also tossed the pass that resulted in a goal on two occasions. Payne and Elliott were the cage-minders for the losers, who with four pass credits being distributed, two to Gagnon and one each to Pidhenny and Payne.

JUG McSPADEN OUT IN FRONT

Pensacola, Fla., Feb. 24 — (AP)— Harold (Jug) McSpaden, Sanford, Me., continues his campaign for a winter golf title in the second round of the $6,500 Pensacola War Bond Open today after blasting the first 18 holes in eight-under par 64.

Jug knocked off five birdies in a row on the first nine, posting only a six-under par 30 and came home two-under with a 34. He had nine birdies, one a 12-footer on the 18th green, eight pars and one bogey, and finished the day three strokes up on his nearest rival, Sammy Snead of Hot Springs, Va.

Snead, winner of the Gulfport Open earlier this week, carried over yesterday with a bogey five on the first hole, but got his driver working and slammed out a five-under par 67.

Sam Byrd, Detroit, fimled a two-foot putt at the 18th hole that would have given him a 66 and ahead and ended up in a dead heat with Sgt. E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, Little Rock, Ark., for fourth money.

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What's Doing in Sport

The outstanding bout in the Canadian army championships at Aldershot last night was the slugging victory of Lance-Corporal Andrew Anderson, Victoria, B.C., over Lieut. Leon Lecuyer, Montreal, formerly Canadian Olympic boxer, in the featherweight title.

Anderson failed to win championship when Gnr. Jack Storey of Windsor, Ont., and Cpl. Vic Murdoch of Victoria for the lightweight crown, and Pte. Danny Gennaro of Montreal for welterweight victories in the lightweight division. . . . Walter Hagen, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., has been appointed coach of the world champion Cardinals, but has accepted for military service following a physical examination at Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis. His brother, pitcher Merv Cooper, son of the Cardinal staff, recently was rejected after an examination at the barracks, but was reported out for the season with a badly sprained ankle.

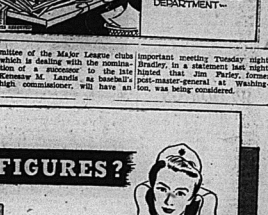
Passed by Allan Kunis, formerly of the New York Rangers, who scored three goals, Camp Borden Tanks established Brockline All-Stars 10-8 in an exhibition hockey display at Timmins last night.



Leading scorer for the Northern Ontario squad was "Wink" Wilson, with three counters.

According to Ava Bradley, owner of the Cleveland Indians, the committee of the Major League clubs which is dealing with the nomination of a successor to the late Kenesaw M. Landis as baseball's high commissioner, will have an important meeting Tuesday night. Bradley, in a statement last night, hinted that Jim Farley, former post-master-general at Washington, will be considered.

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Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 616
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

"The lucky stiff," Mr. Pigg the trump suit all wrong and scored something like nine boat." Such was the complaint of West after south took all 13 tricks in this deal:

NORTH	
♠A 10 8 5	
♥A Q 5	
♦K 6	
♣K Q J 9	
WEST	EAST
♠K J 9	♠A 7
♥J 10 8 7 4	♥9 3 2
♦6 5 3	♦J 9 7 2
♣10 6 5	♣8 7 3 2
SOUTH	
♠Q 6 4 3 2	
♥K 6	
♦A J 10 9	
♣A 4	

Because south started with a spade bid, south got it into his head that south had the spade king. So, when two got started on a slamming expedition, north shoved it into seven spades.

The opening lead from west was a heart. When dummy hand in the north, west, south, east hands wilted. There were no losers in side suits, of course, but the trump suit was in terrible shape.

With king and jack missing, suppose you have the ace in one hand and queen in the other. The customary manner of playing such a suit is to first take the ace and then lead small toward queen.

If the king does not fall on the ace, you hope to lose only one trick that way. Because with queen then on the king, you hope to force it out of the second round and win with queen the third.

But at the grand slam, losing one trick is fatal. And there is only one hope of losing no spade trick. That is to lead the queen and find the jack all alone in the east.

Declarer led the spade queen. West and dummy ducked. When the jack fell on that trick, declarer was able to finesse west out of the king and nine. Two future spade leads from south did that.

Had west covered the queen with the king, the result would have been the same. Because dummy would play the ace and the jack drops.

No other placing or outstanding trumps would permit taking all the tricks. So, although south was held to but the one trick as they were, his plan of play was just lucky. It was scientific.

While you're right and have pluck, you invite the most luck.

What's Doing in Sport

By The Canadian Press

There will be no Allan Cup playoffs this year. For the first time in the history of the Trophy, donated 41 years ago by Sir Montagu Allan, the senior hockey competition in Canada will not be completed by interprovincial series.

Decision to abandon the series was announced yesterday by President Frank Sargent of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association when a telegraph poll of branch organizations showed unanimous voting against the senior playoffs. There was no immediate official explanation of the Allan decision but it had been brought out previously that some clubs would not have anxious to make the trip to Vancouver, the selected city for the final games. Also there is a possibility the annual meeting of the C.A.H.A., planned for Vancouver in conjunction with the Allan Cup finals, may be held elsewhere. It has been stated The junior finals for the Memorial Cup are expected to be staged in Toronto.

The American indoor track championships, were staged at New York Saturday night without the Swedish Olympic Gunder Haegg and Haakon Lidman, who had not been heard from since they left London on May 11. Lidman finished fourth to Haegg's two miles feature in the 5,000 metres, 27 seven strokes better than Byron Nelson of Toledo, O.

The group headed by Larry Macphail acquired control of the Yankees more of shares in the New York Yankees baseball club, thus providing 100 per cent ownership of the New Orleans League Club as well as teams in Newark, Jersey City, Kansas City and elsewhere, with rights to shoot Yankee players. The latest deal raised the total price to a reported $2,600,000.

Cuban fight fans take their sport seriously. After Carlos Perez of Dominican Republic won a decision Saturday night over Kid Tunero of Cuba, a riot developed in which a youth was killed and others wounded. The 12-round bout was refereed by the total American and Caribbean Middleweight champion, Holman Williams.

The government ban on any horse racing in the province of Ontario has not been greatly lifted to allow French horses to race in the province this season.

At least two of the fleet turf followers gathered from a recent visit of Mr. Drummond, racehorse owner who discussed this question with officials of the English turf authorities.

Drummond's mission was a development of a conversation with the French investigation to clear up the mystery surrounding the mysterious depredations on the French turf. Many horses of fine class in France ever since the Nazis overran the country. Some have gone over the enemy stay-at-home sports and stud farms.

Among horses stolen were Brantome and Pharis II and authorities believe that with the problem of determining that any horse purporting to be Brantome or Pharis and others is just that. Two horses will be by Pharis were considered to be the best in France last year.

Union Vale

Union Vale — Mr. Dwight Reynolds spent a few days last week at an Agricultural Convention in Toronto.

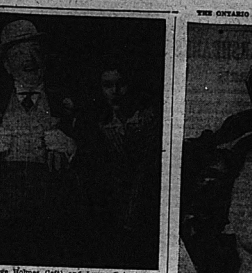
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson and family were callers one evening last week on her father, Mr. Frank Hyatt, Phelps.

The regular Parish Forum was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crowe and family last week with a fair attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. James Whiteford, Mr. Mr. John Whiteford and Little Miss Janet Jenkins of Milford, were seven o'clock dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Pearsall.



AT THE BELLE — Dorothy Lamour is as alluring as ever in the famous sarong as she entertains audiences in "Rainbow Island," Paramount's technicolor musical starring Bobby Crosby, Gil Lamb and Eddie Bracken.



AT THE CAPITOL — George Holmes (left) and Lynne Roberts seem from "The Man in the Trunk," now at the Capitol Theatre, with the added attraction "Lucky Jordan."



AT THE McCARTHY — Beautiful Irene Dunne and handsome Charles Boyer, the inimitable romantic team of "Love Affair" fame, as they are seen "Together Again," now at the McCarthy Theatre.

Where Snow Shovel is Unknown

By W. H. COLCLOUGH, Vancouver
(In Stratford Beacon-Herald)

"And the rains came . . . Vancouver is suffering its first real rain of the Winter. For the past 24 hours Old Man Rain has been spilling himself over the city and the mainland with watery glory. Not thunder—thunder comes only once a year—and is an occasion for much excitement. Just wind, but rain and then more rain. The gentle wind drifts in from the southeast, probably moving north from the heavy California rains.

Naturally heavy rains in February do little or no crop damage. However, reports are drifting in that swollen creeks and rivers are flooding certain sections of short roads; but, with no ice conditions to speak of, there is little damage, truction to property. In the low lands of the city, some cellars are flooded but, strangely enough, most of such flooding is the result of a coast building practice.

In the East the average residence is equipped with a cistern, into which goes the rain water from the roof for domestic purposes. Vancouver uses the water in the taps is 100 per cent. soft, so that cisterns are unknown, and water from the gutters is not wanted, and simply runs from the wooden eave-troughs through a metal pipe at each corner of the house into the ground. Ordinarily, this water would be directed into the sewers, but here in Vancouver the earth is so porous that the water seeps away through the soil. Occasionally, as at the present time, the water works its way into the basement, but this is a very rare occurrence.

Vancouver treads a snowstorm, most of all. Snow has fallen but so far this Winter, nor has there been a heavy fall for several years. When the snow comes it falls with unbelievable speed, sometimes a foot in an hour. The snow is soft, wet and heavy and ties up transportation in a complete manner. The railways are not equipped for snow, switches fill, wires break and a state of general paralysis settles over the network of lines in a short time. Usually the next day sees all the snow run off again in regulation soft-Spring-day style.

The Winter at the Coast is not over yet, although some old-timers tell us that Spring is here. Snowdrops and crocuses are showing in some gardens. Robins, varied thrushes, juncos and a darkly colored bird about the size of a robin are flitting here and there over the green lawns in search of food.

Reports from the East indicate a very cold Winter, with names like Maryland. A correspondent writes from Hanson Lake, Manitoba "This is the worst Winter yet. Subzero days, much snow and considerable East wind."

The average Canadian knows nothing of the discomforts of withering and penetrating east wind and fog. Cities are built differently here at the Coast. There is little or no wind at any time, but of what there is the east wind enjoys a certain freedom. Cities sometimes sweep the Gulf, and when the Fraser River sweeps about Sidcotard and Chilliwack, the gale-like breezes do whirl a few windmills.

The most disagreeable climatic variation is fog. Some Winters are worse than others. There are times when the local papers give the information that fog persists for days or even weeks. Usually the fog drifts in around 10 in the evening and rises about noon the following day. It is strangely local in one section of the city fogbound, another part clear. Fog is the product of Spring. It is formed with a tang of frost in the air at night. Cold, clouds or rain clear up the fog with apparent ease. The city's record for fog is not particularly fog-free all the year around.

Snow does come at times, unknown at the Coast, and can rarely ever seen slows or mittens. There is no snow-plough, and the few real old man climate delivers sight and perfect months out of the twelve.

Bomb Damage to English Railroads

(From London Calling)

During the intensive eight months of bombing, September, 1940, to May, 1941, the Southern Railway, by virtue of its geographical position, suffered the most from aerial attack. During that period 1,164 incidents occurred affecting the running lines between Waterloo and Queen's Road stations, 2 1-4 miles apart, making it the most bombed section of line in London.

On September 7, 1940, a heavy caliber, high explosive bomb fell on one of the Up main lines at a point between the Mets of lines, penetrated the viaduct, and exploded before reaching ground level. Three sets of lines were left spanning the crater, and 11 motor vehicles stored in the arches of the viaduct were completely wrecked. Within 24 hours tracks farthest away from the crater were using and trains were running again in the normal way.

In the early hours of October 16, 1940, a large bomb shattered the greater part of the 2 1-2 acres of glass in St. Pancras station and flood platforms 1 to 4 were badly damaged and Nos. 5, 6 and 7 were unusable owing to the vast amount of debris covering them. The train shed signal boxes controlling all the St. Pancras traffic were severely damaged, and it was impossible to work trains from any part of the station.

Emergency signalling had been installed by 4hr a.m. the next day, and some trains were able to use the station. Repairs to the station structures were retarded through the danger caused by falling glass from the shattered roof. It was necessary to clear the splintered pieces from the girder work. However, repairs had been effected and such an extent that normal working was resumed on November 17.

In March, 1941, direct hits were made on Paddington station by two high explosive bombs and a large incendiary. One high explosive pierced the roof over No. 1 platform, causing damage to two jack arches and part of the platform coping. Damage from the second high explosive was more serious. This bomb exploded on platforms 6 and 7, making a crater 40 feet in diameter and 12 feet deep, and destroyed 85 feet of the platform.

Extensive damage was also caused to Nos. 6, 7 and 8 lines and the station roof. Debris was scattered over two other lines and the interlocking platforms, all of which had to be closed for a short period. Emergency and restoration work was under taken at once, and by evening of the same day all damaged or obstructed lines were repaired and all platforms opened except short portions of Nos. 6 and 7 which were reopened later in the week.

Southwark Street Bridge between Blackfriars and Elephant and Castle carries four electrified running lines and five others. During the night of February 19, 1941, a bomb struck the bridge, completely destroying the down fast line and cutting into the road taking the running lines of conductor rails, bridge decking, and three tracks with them. The gap was 40 feet wide for 100 yards. Both girders of the bridge was littered with debris, and Blackfriars Signal Box was wrecked. For clearing the debris and erecting a shin an excavator was used, and oxy-acetylene cutters burnt up the main girders into units which could then be handled. Fifteen days later a temporary bridge had been installed enabling traffic to be resumed.

On the night of May 10, 1941, a heavy bomb fell 50 feet south of London Transport's circle line tunnel, halfway between Gloucester and King's Cross stations, where it penetrated 40 feet before exploding.

The south wall of the tunnel was badly cracked, for 150 feet, and the running tracks were lifted up 18 inches over a distance of 80 feet. A train was just passing this section of line at the time. Fortunately the driver escaped even only minor damage.

Bomb damage on March 3, 1943, the 8.45 p.m., Liverpool Street to Harwich train, crowded with servicemen and civilians, was travelling at reduced speed between Shenfield and Ingatestone. Suddenly track in front of the train received a direct hit. The driver could do nothing, and the train ploughed into the yawning crater, carrying him and his firemen to their deaths. The tender separated the engine, and the carriages following were fantastically fanned out behind—yet, with the exception of the unfortunate driver and fireman, only one passenger and the guard were slightly injured.

MINOR LEAGUES PLAN TO STAND ON OWN FEET

10-Man Committee Will Recommend Changes in Major-Agreement

By JIMMY JORDAN
(AP Staff Writer)

Chicago, Feb. 26 — (AP)—Minor league baseball "kicked around" more or less by the majors for years, is ready to stand on its own feet and walk itself.

The smaller leagues, from class AA down, no longer will be content "alive" class D circuits, will take the first step in that direction today when a 10-man committee meets here to make recommendations for revision of the present agreement.

Among the proposals expected to be offered in revision of the agreement which expires next January are:

1. Greater self-government.
2. Guarantees against post-war major league expansion.
3. A voice in selection of a commissioner to succeed the late Kenesaw Mountain Landis.

Increase in the draft price, which now is $7,000 for a class AA player.

Thomas Richardson, president of the Eastern League and chairman of the committee, said no formal proposals for changes have been considered, and added that his group probably will sit the proposals rejected during the three-day meeting here and then recommend revisions which will be acted upon at the November meeting of the National Association.

Several leagues were interested in having the major league agreement include guarantees against major league expansion because of the probability post-war air travel will make it possible for teams from coast to coast to compete on a league basis.

Under the present setup, any major league team can purchase a minor league franchise which, under the league $5,000 and making suitable arrangements with the club owner, without consulting the league's stability. That would give the major league opportunity to place teams in such cities as Los Angeles and San Francisco of the Coast League, Milwaukee of the American Association, New Orleans of the Southern Association, of Baltimore of the International League.

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

NATIONAL HOCKEY

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Montreal	35	9	4	70
Detroit	27	12	5	59
Toronto	19	20	3	41
Boston	16	22	4	36
New York	10	23	10	30
Chicago	8	27	7	23

Saturday—New York 4, Toronto 3.
Sunday—Chicago 2.
Sunday—New York 2, Boston 6; Detroit 2 Chicago 1; Montreal 5, Toronto 0.
Tonight—No games.

AMERICAN HOCKEY

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.
Buffalo	36	18	8	80
Hershey	30	23	8	68
Providence	30	23	8	68
Western Division				
Cleveland	34	21	10	78
Indianapolis	31	19	11	73
Pittsburgh	31	21	9	71
St. Louis	13	30	7	34
Saturday—Buffalo 4, Hershey 2; Pittsburgh 4, Cleveland 2.
Cleveland 12, St. Louis 2.
Sunday—Buffalo 6, St. Louis 2; Providence 5, Cleveland 2, Hershey 3, Indianapolis 3.
Tonight—No games.
Saturday.

Eastern U.S. Amateur
Baltimore 5, Philadelphia. Final.

Boston Olympics 8, New York Rovers 2

Quebec Senior
Hull Volants 8, Quebec Aces 5
Edmonton Senior
Canadians 13, Edmonton Athletics 2.

Canadians lead best-of-five series 2-0.

No. 2 Air Command Senior Final
Saskatoon R.C.A.F. 12, Winnipeg No. 7 Equipment Depot 3

Thunder Bay Junior Final
R.C.A.F. Fort William Wet Ends 8, Port Arthur Flyers 4

Best-of-three series tied, 1-1)

Southern Ontario Junior
Moose Jaw Canucks 5, Regina Commandos 3

(Moose Jaw leads best-of-seven series, 2-0)

North Sask. Jr. Final
Saskatoon Navy 6, Prince Albert Black Hawks 1

(Saskatoon leads best-of-five series, 2-0)

New Brunswick Senior Final
Shediac Bowers 14, Amherst Ramblers 2

Saint John leads best-of-three series, 1-0)

Halifax Senior League
H.M.C.S. Cornwallis 4, Halifax Navy 1

Sunday

Eastern U.S. Amateur
New York Rovers 5, Washington Lions 2

Interprovincial League
Shawinigan Falls Cataracts 12, Cornwall Flyers 7
Valleyfield Braves 6, Lachine Rapids 5

Quebec Senior League
Quebec Aces 8, Montreal Royals 4

WEEKEND STARS

By The Canadian Press
MAURICE RICHARD, Canadiens, who scored his 46th goal of the season as Habitants defeated Toronto Maple Leafs 5-3 Sunday, establishing an all-time scoring record.
HANK GOLDUP, NEW YORK, AND JACK McGILL, BOSTON, who scored two goals each as Rangers tied Bruins 4-4 Sunday.
JOE CARVETH, DETROIT, — whose two goals Sunday put Red Wings on the road to a 5-1 victory over Chicago.

LEAGUE LEADERS

By The Canadian Press
Standing — Canadiens, won 32, lost 5, tied 4, points 68.
Points — Lach, Canadiens, 21 goals, 46 assists 67 points.
Goals — Richard, Canadiens, 46.
Assists — Lach, 46.
Penalties — Egan, Boston, 64 minutes.
Shutouts — McCool, Toronto; Karakas, Chicago, 4.

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Dorothy Lamour		7.30 - 9.30
Eddie Bracken	Irene Dunne	
Gil Lamb	Charles Boyer	
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		8.55

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THE SECRET OF THE MARSHBANKS

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

CHAPTER THREE

"I'm not going to live at the Marshbanks'," Cherry told her. "I'm going to take a position!"

"The judge said you'd be with us only a few days. He is going to play bridge somewhere tonight, and he's having his dinner at seven, Mrs. Marshbanks and Miss Amy are going out to dinner before a party, and he's to bring them home dear knows when. It's a boring-out party for Miss Patsy Randall."

"I know. A debut. Then Miss Marshbanks is a debutante's chaperon," Cherry brightened, eyes shining in a grimy pale face. "I'll bet she has a beautiful dress! I suppose she has! She said, hastily substituting the latter phrase for one of which Sister Seraphine certainly would not have approved.

"She's not two", the maid said, a little grimly. "She'd not made up her mind when I left which one she'd wear!"

Cherry was not only imaginative by nature, but she had a quick intuitive sense of what others might be feeling.

"Oh, and you had to come away to meet me!" she apologized quickly. "Mr. companion gave her an odd look.

"I didn't mind that my dear," she said. "There we are." Arrived at, as the car stopped at the foot of an imposing flight of stone steps. "I'm going to slip upstairs and I'll not see you again unless you want me...Mollyil show you your room. I'm taking off my old lady after dinner, but she's away and I'm trusting to a movie tonight. You ask Molly anything you want."

Cherry and her patient-leather bag were abandoned for just a few moments in the big entrance hall. She had time only for a stone-staring impression of such spaciousness and beauty and color as she had never seen before, of soft rugs beneath her feet and dimly lighted rooms on all sides, of potted palms and bursts of winter flowers, before Judge Marshbanks came forward to take possession of her, and confide her to the care of Molly, a pretty maid with very black eyes and a very white skin, a white lace apron and cap, and a neat little gray woolen uniform.

By this time the girl was too much dazed to believe her senses. She followed Molly upstairs to an incredibly luxurious bedroom, with an unbelievably complete bathroom next to it, brushed her hair and washed her face in a dressing table complete bewilderment, and descended again, still under Molly's escort, to the dining room where it appeared that she and her host were to be the only persons at dinner.

He was halfway through his meal; here was served to her fresh and hot, but she was unable to eat. The quality of the Italian lace that was spread on the polished wood, the beauty of china and crystal, the soft light of candles and such as Cherry had never seen in her life before, her every demand could exist, and the numbing sense of being only in a dream made it impossible for her to taste or swallow anything. Even the food was beyond what had been her most fantastic imaginings; a spoonful of whipped cream spreading itself upon her plate, a golden crust of hot butter but sweet and hard and twisted like a tiny rails. Her hot roll made into a lover's knot bound together with poppy seeds, her prune garnished with crisp curls of bacon and a buttery crisp brown sauce and a clear as amber jelly.

"Don't you like that?" the judge asked, looking over his paper.

"It's wonderful", the maid's valiant attack upon it.

"What is it by?"

"Sir, sir. Chicken, I guess".

"That's partridge, sir; you don't like it Martin will get you an omelette".

"Oh, no, please! It's delicious". Th her own disgust and surprise, her voice thickened. But he did not seem to notice it, and when he returned to his paper she managed herself finish her dinner, and felt her self more steady.

A sudden sense that she did not belong in this scene, that it had nothing to do with her, that she never should have entered it, had almost wrecked her self-control for a moment. With the blinding force of a revelation she knew that her rumpled childish dress was absurd, that the dowdy hat she had left upstairs, the shabby patent-leather bag, the ugly school shoes and cotton gloves and stockings had no place in this house, and were like nothing that had ever been here before. She knew, inexperienced as she was—she had read it in her host's first look—that her shabbiness and homelessness had shocked him. And he had seen only once before, flushed with excitement, the lovely dresses made up into her handsomest self as a brown-skinned little girl eye in feathers and fringes.

The knowledge that came to her in this flash of shame and pain made the big dining-room chair in which she sat seem a place of torture to her, dried her throat so that she could not swallow, caused her fingers to feel clumsy and helpless, to drop knives and spill water and crumble bread untidily.

But she did her best to conquer the feeling, and was quite calm when a man came in, unannounced, and drew a chair to Judge Marshbank's side.

The judge, after a casual friendly greeting, glanced over at her and said, "Mr. Lester, Cherry", and then, "This is Miss Rawlings, Kelly".

Judge Marshbanks' visitor, twisting a little to look at Cherry, acknowledged the introduction only with a nod and with a level, curious look, and went on talking in a low tone.

"You're not going to this jamboree tonight, Jud?" he said.

"Good heavens, no! But I may pick you up later if you like. It's late enough, I'm going to the club, myself, to sit at the Randall party, I suppose. You dressing later?"

"Oh, I don't think I'll go at all! I think I'll go home," the visitor observed. "But, of course, I had to see what one deb looked like before I left. Isn't this the first job of fair for her?"

"She was down here a few minutes ago, sure that she was going to look awful and that nobody else was growing on the tip of her nose," the older man said in tolerant explanation. "She's dining at the Sogrese', in Burlingame, going down with Fran, and will come back to the party."

"Darling!" said Kelly Coster, flinging up his wrists to see the time. "What time do these bullets dine? It's eight now."

"The dinner is supposed to be at eight—seventeen miles away," Judge Marshbanks said, "and they have to till time until midnight so they're not worrying! Fran's dining down there, and she'll play bridge until it's time to go to the party."

They talked on of places and personalities unknown to Cherry, and Cherry had a chance, over a fluffy souffle of chocolate and whipped cream, to study her hostess' companion. The judge was tall and handsome, with a fine head, rather coarsely bulit, with big, hard, nervous hands. His hair was parted far from his square, fine face, less for style than a mouth that Cherry found a certain fascination in watching.

It was not that it was handsome, as the judge's fine clipped mouth and restrained rare smiles were. Kelly's was a wide, hard mouth, packed with big, shining teeth, and he used his mouth forcefully, now pressing it firmly closed in denial, now splitting his brown-red, square face with a great flashing smile, now widening his thin-lipped lips together into an expression of scorn that snatched his quickly folded arms and tossed head.

To her he seemed old; but not as old, certainly, as the judge. Thirty, perhaps. She marveled from what she could not help overhearing, that he was a sculptor, that he lived in some place across the bay called Sausalito.

Two women came downstairs. One was a girl of Cherry's age, as fresh as a spray of apple blossom in a fluffy frock of pallet yellow, with silvery yellow orchids pinned at her shoulder. An innocent-faced girl, with a lovely heart-shaped little face framed in soft curls, who nodded that had ever been discontented blue eyes.

The other woman was dark too, but of a very different type. Cherry's first impression was that she was very tall and very thin, with a long face, deep-set eyes, and straight black hair that was cut in a deep bang. Her skin was dead pale, her lips startling in contrast, for her mouth —wide, soft and full—was colored like flame red of a poppy. A tight, black velvet gown outlined her body, its full skirt swirled about her many seams. Long diamond earrings dangled almost to her shoulders, and at her breast a circle clip of diamonds blazed in the dining room's fading light.

"Skunks," she said simply. Her voice, hoarse and deep, thrilled suddenly in the silence. Both men were on their feet as she came languidly to the table. "Of course you don't know your're polecats!" she said.

The girl, after having said, "Sam's here," and been told that Fran had walked back in the direction of the main salon, and had disappeared, introduced Cherry to his wife, who acknowledged the little ceremony only with an absent glance in Cherry's direction.

"And you do all the dirty work," said Fran Marshbanks, in a lazily amused voice, and again her voice shocked Cherry with its very beauty. It was a rich, low voice, that seemed always about to be broken with laughter or tears or both, shattering. Somehow it was that yet clearly indicated its ownership of beautiful and flawless and pride.

"And you are running out on this party," his wife accused him.

"Well, my dear, a debutante party—", he pleaded.

"I know. But you owe it to Amy. But she did not care very much, either way. "As for Mr. Lester, he went on, carelessly reproachful; "he is apparently engrossed in his soul; he ought to be cultivating rich, homely girls who will buy their portraits painted, and here is an occasion when he could meet, not one of them, but all of them! Are you dressed?"

My dress clothes are circa Pre-Marsters, Mrs. Marshbanks," the painter said. "If I painted anyone it would be myself, and you say you won't sit for me."

"Because I won't go to Sausalito and dress in a transformed barn," Fran answered composedly. "Because I won't, that's all."

"I know it's like that. Besides, I'm just bringing Amy out in society," the woman went on, "and I have maternal obligations."

"Maternal! You!" What's she to you? Sister-in-law?"

"I wish that's what they were to hear you!" Family intricacies then must and drink to her," Fran said. "She's getting back from Florida Monday, by the way; you might come in for a cocktail and meet her. She'd be a subject for you! No, she added, returning to the original topic, "Amy's not my sister-in-law. Amy's my work that out, Jud. What's Amy to me?"

"She's my brother's child", he elucidated. "She's my niece, and that makes her your niece by marriage."

"That makes her my niece by marriage," Fran repeated, turning the slow beauty of her dark eyes upon Kelly. Cherry saw the look and it made her feel oddly hot and then cold. There was flame in it and challenge in it and provocation, and though the girl could not have given these things names, she knew what they were and what they meant.

"I'll have to come here and paint you at the house," Kelly said in an odd voice after a moment.

"Ah, well, if you could do that!" —I don't see that we're such criminals, I do, Kelly," she said, "you're two perfectly good escorts, out there in the lady's dog-cart; dance; very little; I hardly know these people—why on earth should I go?"

"To please me," Fran suggested, with an oblique glance at her husband and the hint of an unwilling smile.

"You'll be dancing or playing bridge."

"I'll be bored. I know that. I'd much rather stay at home and read Coventry Patmore. But for one thing," Fran said confidentially to the painter, somewhat lowering her tone as the judge went away to answer a telephone call. "I do it for Amy. After being so much abroad with Jud's mother, spending Winters in Palm Springs and New York, she's out of everything. We have to give her some sort of party next month. I must get a fresh my mind as to how it's done. It isn't to be now that I'm going to sit at home with Jud," he said, his tone quite changed.

"You don't really know me at all, you fine nervous fiery fingers were busy with the delicate lace on her handkerchief. "You've seen me only conventionalized."

"Janie saw Beatrice once," he said.

"It's so pleasant," said the woman, "to talk to a man who doesn't think Dante's a hospital and who pronounces Beatrice properly."

"I shall hope as our friendship ripens into real affection," Kelly said with little inclination of his head, "to please you in more important ways."

"Our friendship is going to ripen? How nice!"

"I don't be sure it will be nice. It may be — distinctly unpleasant," he warned her lightly.

She looked at him through half-closed lids at this, in a silence so long that Cherry, who had finished with cheese and coffee, could feel her heart beat in her throat painfully.

"You interest me," Fran presently said quietly.

"I can't think at this moment of anything I'd rather do," he answered in the same deliberate, half-serious fashion.

The judge returned before either spoke again, for although there was nothing in their words, Cherry noted that they did not say them but sat looking deeply at each other for a full half minute before Fran dropped her eyes. Amy came in from the box, following by two young men in formal evening attire that Cherry was little stir of departure. Cherry instinctively triumph when the others rose, that was convent training, but she suffered agonies of shame when nobody paid any attention to her.

When they all left the room she followed, not knowing what else to do, and slowly mounted the stairs between the great sweeps of her heart that no one would notice her or speak to her. Completely out of coats and sitting down on the stairs until they should be gone, she heard Fran's loud voice behind her.

"You'll have to ask Jud that," the woman said.

(To Be Continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

MONDAY, FEB. 16.

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WOR—News, 6.30 sports.
CJBC—Farm Forum.
CBC—News.
CBL—Happy Gang.
CFRB—Tom, Dick and Harry.
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CFRB—Tom, McKnight, sports.
CBC—News and Comment.
CFRB—Tom, McKnight, sports.
CBC—Don't I Say That?
CJBC—Horace Heidt.
WEBW-CBM—Morning Melodies.
WOR—Radio Patrol.
WEBW-CBM—Redda Hopper.
CFRB—Tom, McKnight, sports.
CKEY—Dina Ellis.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
WEBW-CBM—Thanks to Yanks.
CFRB—Lum 'n' Abner.
CJBC—Bulldog Drummond.
WEBW—H. V.Kaltenborn.
CBC—The CBC News Roundup.
CFRB—Cross-Fire Vox Pop. Interviews.
WEBW-NBC—Breakfast Clubb.
CBL—Music Club, Coca Cola.
CBC—News.
CJBC—Blind Date.
CFRB—Sing and Win quiz.
WBEN-WGY—Howard Barlow's Or.
WEBW-CBM—Burns and Allen.
CBC—News.
CFRB, CKOC—Radio Theatre.
WOR-BLUE—Breakfast Club.
WBEN-NBC—Telephone Hour.
CBC—News.
CJBC-NBC—Information Please.
CBL—Canadian Singers."
CBC—News.
CFRB—Music.
CKOC-CBC—CBC National News.
WOR-BLUE—Johnny Morgan Show
CJBC-NBC—Contented Hour.
CFRB—Big Screen Guild Th.
CBC—News.
WBEN-NBC—Dr. "I. Q".
CBL—Mickey Lester.
CBC—News.
CJBC—Music for Dancing.
CBL—Current Events.
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City and District News

FOUR DISTRICT VETS ARRIVE AT KINGSTON

Fourteen soldiers, veterans of varied periods of war returned to Kingston early this morning aboard the Canadian hospital ship Letitia, it was announced by Public Relations officials concerned today. Five were taken to the Kingston Military Hospital and the others to 3A, Ford.

Among those from the immediate district are Private G. N. Harvey, discharged to return for the time being from Army Service Corps who suffered the loss of his right leg when a truck collided with his motor cycle while on duty near Aldershot, and Private E. Hebert, Belleville, Pte. Hall, Port Trenton, and Signalman T. J. Smith, Trenton.

DISTRICT OFFICERS GIVEN PROMOTION

The Department of National Defence today announced the promotion of district officers and other ranks serving in the Canadian Active Army.

Included in those from Military District No. 3 are Lieut.-Col. R. Robillard, Canadian Infantry Corps, Trenton; Lieut. John A. Rogers, General List, Frankford; Lieut. Keith M. Rose, Canadian Infantry Corps, Trenton, and Sergeant to the rank of acting captain.

TWO DISTRICT MEN IN CASUALTY LIST

Names of two district soldiers are included in the Canadian Army casualty list released for publication today. Pte. Gerald Lee Redden son of Mr. Leo Redden of Napanee, Canadian Infantry Corps, Eastern Ontario regiment, is listed as having been killed in action. His wife resides in Napanee.

Pte. Robert Ernest Westlake of the Royal Regt. of Canada son of Norma Westlake, Frankford, is listed as having been seriously injured.

LIBERAL CONVENTION INDEFINITELY POSTPONED

The convention of the South Hastings Liberal Association, scheduled at the Collegiate Institute on Wednesday night, has been indefinitely postponed, it was officially announced today. The convention was called to nominate candidates to contest the riding in the event of a federal election.

However, the announcement stated that the meeting called for Tuesday night will be held to select delegates to the convention, which date is yet formally planned.

WOLVES ON PROWL IN NORTH TOWNSHIPS

Wolves are still on the prowl in the northern townships, the big grey marauders no longer showing fear, are venturing close to human habitation in their search for food.

Reeve Harry Minnie, Madoc Township, saw one of the pack following prowling around his property and a few days later brought it down with a well-aimed shot. The pelt was brought to the County Treasurer James Haggerty where the usual bounty was collected.

INDOOR ATHLETIC MEET HELD AT Y.M.C.A.

In a series of tests conducted at the Prep Boys (10 and 11 years) Gym Meet held on Saturday last under the supervision of Bill Hewitt, Y.M.C.A. physical director, competitors the following proved successful:—

100 Yard dash — Heat winners Jack Kemp, Bob Hutchison, Norman Fox, Wayne Orriss, Richard Morden, Blake Jones, Barry Schneider tied for second, Larry Palmer, Bobby Hutchison; third place winner Lynch.

Push-Up — First, Larry Palmer second, Gerry Schneider, tied for third, Jimmy Orriss, Glen Cornell.

The tests on Saturday were followed by use of showers and locker rooms. Prizes for the first time were shown to the boys.

Belleville Shrine Club Guest of Kingston Group

With Imperial Potentate N. D. P. Kelly, Ramses Shrine, Toronto, and party as special guests, the Kingston District Shrine Club held a Ladies' Night in Masonic Temple with members of the Belleville District Shrine Club as additional guests for the function.

Accompanying the Imperial Potentate was Past Potentate Ed. Kelley, and his divan and staff.

Approximately 100 members of the Belleville Shrine Club headed by President Noble Fred D. Storey made the trip by bus. The party was met at the district line and accompanied into Kingston by motor escorts.

Featuring the meeting was an outstanding floor show brought from Toronto for the purpose. A number of dances, vocal and instrumental acts featured the entertainment.

Brief addresses were given by the Imperial Potentate and Noble Storey of the Kingston Shrine Club, Noble Austin Peters, who also was welcomed his guests and Noble Storey of the Belleville District Club.

Flt. Lt. Hyndman Completes Set of Airmen's Portraits

Flight Lieutenant R. S. (Bob) Hyndman, of Ottawa, a Spitfire fighter pilot with a tour of operations to his credit, has added, temporarily, he hopes, the flaming career of his aircraft and taken up the less adventurous life of a war artist.

The artist-fighter pilot is the husband of Joan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Van Skaiken, Bridge Avenue.

Bob enlisted in Ottawa, the "Flying Capital" in 1940 and after Williams and Saskatoon, received his wings, taught flying for two years at Uplands and was then posted to Digby-ville. Then he went overseas.

He flipped his "Spit" in the air for the first time in August, 1941, and during the next thirteen months piloted his fighter with bombs, V-sites, railroads and other enemy targets. He completed his tour of operations last January.

Bob at present is specializing in portraits of famous Canadian personalities, but regards his present wartaistic role as a temporary interlude with the hope they'll let me fly again.

Many Noted Airmen.

He has completed a set of portraits of the Canadian fighting leaders as well as outstanding Canadian airmen in other branches of the service. Included are AVM. C. M. McEwen, D.S.O., O.B.E., Air Officer Commanding the Bomber Group and former commanding officer of the Trenton Operational Training Unit; Wing Commander "Johnny" Fauquier, DSO and Bar, DFC; Group Capt. J. E. Lane, DSO, DFC and Bar; Group Capt. "Al" Deere, DSO and Bar, DFC, former group captain in the RCAF; Flt. Lt. "Buzz" Beurling, DSO, DFC and Bar, DFM and WC. R. W. Reid, DSO, DFC and two Bars, a black and white sketch of which hangs in a recent edition of "Wings Abroad," RCAF publication of overseas.

Besides these portraits, done in oils, he has also completed some charcoal sketches of other well-known fliers.

Bob came by his artistic ability naturally, as his grandfather was noted under Cecil Schaeffer, now RCAF war artist, at Central Technical School, Toronto.

1937 to 1939 he was an illustrator for a publishing firm in Kingston and in that period studied at the London General School of Arts and Crafts.

Sketched in Spare Time.

He didn't lose sight of his art while he was busy knocking Jerries out of French skies during the following D-Day. During his life in his fighter squadron he was busy in his spare time painting and sketching his crew mates and other service friends. He produced at least eighty full fledged "oils" and numerous sketches.

Some of his work is included in the service exhibition now being arranged by the RCAF at the National Gallery in Ottawa next year.

He is a son of the Hon. J. D. Hyndman and Mrs. Hyndman, who reside at 100 Park Road, Ottawa.

WATCH IS GONE

$ cents; Gold, Pelt. 2630 (AP)—R. George Woods, executive secretary of the Colorado Sheriffs and Peace Officers Association, was presiding at a meeting of the Colorado Protective Association. He put his watch on the table to time speakers. When he returned from a recess, the watch was gone.

Woods complained to police.

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Bateman Motors Safe Cracked, $56 is Taken

Robbers blew open the office safe of the Bateman Motors on East Moira Street, Tweed, early Sunday and stole the cash contents, which Proprietor Bateman placed the loss, police learned over the weekend.

Entering a small bake near the combination knob of the safe, the robbers are believed to have used the nitro-glycerine method of placing a "soup cup" around the knob and affixing the cap with "soup", blew the safe combination off.

The robbery was discovered by company employees who returned to the office at 8.30 o'clock Monday morning. Police were immediately notified. Investigation, which followed lasted all day, revealed sufficient evidence to have the matter still being closely observed. The safe robbery occurred sometime after 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon when the premises, while on patrol at that hour, were checked by Mr. Bateman, the proprietor of the garage, and the major portion of the week-end's receipts, which, barring only changes money behind.

Resident Found Dead in Bed

Found shot to death with a bullet wound in the centre of his forehead, a shotgun lacking into the death of Verlent D. "Bert" Snyder, 260 Coleman St., was held at the Belleville Coroner's Office before Coroner Dr. J. J. Robertson on Saturday afternoon. Investigation by the body was released for burial and the inquest adjourned until Tuesday.

Mr. Snyder, who has been in ill health for some time, was found lying on his bed by his wife, who had left him at 2 o'clock while she discharged shell in the barrel. The shotgun was found lying alongside of him was a .32 calibre rifle which had discharged shell in the barrel. The shotgun was found lying alongside of the centre of the forehead. Autopsy findings revealed this to be the cause of death.

At the inquest Mr. Jack Grills of this city identified the deceased man. The investigation was conducted by Assistant Crown Attorney S. G. Robertson.

780 City Workers Visit X-ray Clinic

Approximately 780 workers in city small businesses, hotels, shops, restaurants and small plants, swelled attendance at the City Hall clinic made possible by the Ontario Department of Health here on Thursday and Friday of last week.

In addition to the staff and factory personnel of the larger war and industrial plants of the city were "photographed" prior to the decision of the Department of Health to make the service available to other workers of the city.

While all workers who had been their staffs' appear as periodical hours of the clinic, a number of workers of the city made it a point to visit the clinic as they were exceeded their early anticipation.

Mrs. Dorothy Hodgins in the former Standard Bank building at the corner of Front and Bridge streets concluded late Friday afternoon. Results will be forwarded to employers and private applicants as soon as available.

Fire Protection Costs for Twp. Property Set

Fire protection for township property immediately adjoining the city limits will cost rural municipalities $100 for the first $100,000 for each additional hour that actual fire fighting is required as required is has been decided by the local fire committee.

The clerks of Sidney and Thurlow townships, at a meeting held in the above decision, according to a special committee of the local fire committee regarding city fire fighting equipment going to rural centres or areas a few days ago. Prior to the past firemen had to have the permission of the committee chairman before equipment could be moved outside the city and for rural areas outside the city this procedure will still be followed. The matter of rubber equipment for outside services, however, was not decided.

Sale of equipment by the local department to rural areas, however, was approved.

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Hope to Increase Summer Resort Accommodation

Discussion of plans for 1945 publicity for the city of Belleville and the County of Hastings will take place next week when the executive of the county of the city and county met, it was considered.

The discussion will be unique in that in former years the main points were those designed to attract tourist trade to this area, while this year efforts will be made to induce county resort owners and others who cater to the tourist trade to increase certain types of accommodation.

Many Disappointed.

This is an aftermath of the experience of 1944 when tourist resorts, hotels, cottages and other vacation spots were crowded to capacity with a large number of potential vacation holiday makers turned away because or lack of the part of accommodation desired.

This situation was general, according to Mr. J. A. Gray of the Belleville Chamber of Commerce. Neighboring counties had the same experience, he declared, and county directed through Chamber of Commerce channels met with similar disappointment.

Hope to Help.

Due to gasoline restrictions, the greater number of tourists travelled by train. They came, it was felt, in the main, to this area because of its nearness to the large influx of vacationists, but it is felt, will equal or even better that of 1944.

StokerMcCormick Listed as Missing

On constant service since D-Day in waters in and about the British Channel, Stoker John McCormick, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCormick, North Park Street, is reported missing according to word received over the week-end from the Admiralty. No details of any action were given in the communication which stated a letter would follow.

Stoker McCormick was born in Belleville and attended St. Michael's Academy prior to his enlistment in the R.C.N.V.R. in July of 1943. He went overseas in February, 1944 and had visited many of the London-derry in Northern Ireland.

Besides his parents, Stoker Gunner McCormick is survived by his brother Arthur, Gunner McCormick, presently stationed on the East Coast of Canada; two sisters, Mrs. Jack Snowberry, the Lethbridge and also Miss Mary Ann, living a special course. There are three other younger brothers, Joseph, Terry and Charles, and one sister, Margaret.

Obituary

WILLIAM ROBINSON ROSE

(Sidney Township)

William Robinson Rose, an aged and respected resident of Sidney Township, died early Friday at his farm on the sixth concession of the township, after a long illness. A highly resident of this community having been born on the farm where he was being the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose. His wife, the former Rosena Rikley, predeceased him two years ago. His death occurred on the old Rose homestead and he was the last of his family. Mrs. Beth Trotter, Sidney Township, is survived by two sons, Percy of Trenton, W. Ross of Thurlow, and one daughter, Mrs. Ada Mumford, Sidney Township.

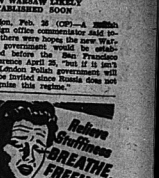
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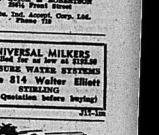
NEW WARSAW LIKELY, ESTABLISHED SOON

London, Feb. 26 (CP)—A British foreign office commentator said today there were hopes the new Warsaw government would be established before the Crimea Conference April 25, "but if it isn't the London Polish government will not be invited since Russia does not recognize the regime."



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THIS TIME ITS GERMANY WHO SUFFERS



In their drive through France, Belgium and Holland since D-Day, Canadians have passed through scores of towns and villages in liberated countries which have suffered the horrors of war. But never, and can't take it—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.) aerial gun fire. The Canadians here are members of a well known Canadian tank regiment. The Nazis are now getting a taste of their own medicine

King Henry VIII And Anne of Kleves

It is not the first time, in all probability, the British foreign office have been heard from in regard to Anne of Kleves, usually described as the northern anchor of the Siegfried line, writes the York Times columnist. Actually, it may be remarked, in parenthesis, this final defence has in possess remarkable flexibility, both in depth and length. Allied troops hacking their way through the German defences are every little while described as having cut their way through the Siegfried Line, only to have it appear in later despatches that the Siegfried Line consists of a great number of separate lines, many of which still remain to be pierced.

It is not really a line at all, but a zone apparently capable of taking on additional girth. Similarly, it would be no great surprise to hear now that the Anne of Kleves line, better to retain as the place from which came Anne of Kleves. And she in turn lives in history for the remarkable fact of being married to Henry VIII and not getting her head cut off. She was the fourth to be married, and one of her by having Parliament annul the marriage after few months. Authorities seem to agree that Anne of Kleves was remarkably ugly and dull, but that this was why Henry treated her more humanely than he did poor Anne Boleyn. Anne of Kleves lived in retirement in England, surviving her former husband by a good many years.

But though King Hal treated Anne of Kleves with leniency, all things considered, it would appear that he took it out of the man who had to do with arranging the marriage with Anne. This was Thomas Cromwell, who rose from obscure beginnings to the highest office of state. Earlier in his career Cromwell was secretary to Cardinal Wolsey, who, it may be remembered, himself came to grief over Henry VIII's easy way with marriage and divorce, the occasion being the first and most famous case of all, hivolving Catherine of Aragon, with far-reaching historical consequences.

Shakespeare's Version.

It was Cardinal Wolsey who said to his secretary, as recorded by William Shakespeare:

O Cromwell, Cromwell,
Had I but served my God with half the zeal
I serv'd my King, he would not in mine age
Have left me naked to mine enemies.

But it seems that Cromwell did not take this warning to heart, or perhaps no amount of good advice would help when a person was up against King Hal. Ten years after Wolsey died, a heavier axe because he failed to give satisfaction in the case of Henry's first wife, Thomas Cromwell went to the block, partly because of Anne of Kleves. The trouble was not wholly with Anne's unattractive personality. With Henry VIII marriage was largely an instrument of policy. His foreign policy on the continent changed abruptly about that time, as foreign policies have been known to do.

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Matter of Portrait.

This is a very few words we have got around to the reason for our opening statement. In suggesting that long before Field Marshal Montgomery the streets of Kleves may have resounded to British footsteps, we assume that at some point in the marriage negotiations between Henry VIII and Anne of Kleves a representative of the English King may have visited the lady in her home surroundings. But that is only conjecture. Anne father was dead at the time and she may have been living at the court of her step-in-law the Duke of Saxony, to whom Henry lspelled out a portrait of his intended bride. The Duke was sorry to report that his court painter Lucas Cranach was ill, and finally Henry VIII commissioned no less a specialist than Holbein the Younger, who was then in his employ, to do the work.

Holbein produced a portrait of Anne with which Henry VIII seemed to have been greatly pleased. The picture is now in the Louvre, and the experts speak of it as painted "with great fidelity," so it is a little difficult to say why Henry should have been pleased with it, considering his later feelings. But perhaps at the moment he was more pleased with the foreign policy than with the lady.

Mess Room Chatter Of Canada's Airmen

With the R.C.A.F. Overseas, Feb. 24—(CP)—A Saskatchewan gunner helped bring down a Messerschmitt 109 after an attack on Osterfeld though his Lancaster had been badly damaged and both its turrets were wrecked.

P/O. W. A. T. White of (3568 Trimble St.) Vancouver, was pilot of the plane. The ME109 overtook the aircraft, firing at intervals. The Lancaster was riddled with holes, the trimming tabs and elevators shot away and the port outer engine stopped.

Then the German made his mistake. He flew to within about 50 yards of the starboard. Plt. Sgt. R. J. Jones of Kindersley Sask., and Sgt. G. H. Hopkins of Northcon, Ontario, in the damaged mid-upper turret, swung their guns by hand.

They poured bullets into the enemy at point-blank range and watched him burst into flame and go straight down.

While piloting "X for X-ray" back to a southern England airfield

James Donald Techee, 23-year-old New Brunswicker an airman mechanic in the R.C.A.F. three years ago, has been promoted flight lieutenant commanding a flight of rocket-firing Typhoons of the West Riding Squadron with R.A.F.'s 2nd Tactical Air Force in Holland.

Jimmy is "techee" to everyone, his surname becoming a nickname because of his more than six feet in height. The son of a St. Stephen, N.B., sawmill agent, Jimmy says he's found flak big main worry.

"When I've been on ops. I've never once seen an enemy aircraft . . . not even a flying bomb," he said.

Canadian flying Liberator bombers helped prepare the way for the invasion of Samrez Island off the Brittany coast, Reuter in the South East Air Command's offensive against gun positions on the Japanese stronghold. It was published the greatest air offensive of the Burma war.

Wing Cmdr. Hugo Beall of London, Ont., a Canadian in the R.A.F., led one Liberator squadron, and watched his men obliterate their target. Not a single enemy aircraft rose to intercept.

"The navy was blasting away as we arrived and as we bombed the landing barges were moving into shore," said WO. Howard Hughes of North Bay, Ont. His co-pilot was P/O. Ted Rawson of Kamloops, B.C. Other Canadians on the operation were Sgt. Henry Moorman of (7500 Osmond St.) Vancouver and Plt. Sgt. Charles Butcher, Sackville, N.B.

Ranging north to the Verona area in Italy on a recent operation, the R.C.A.F. City of Windsor squadron bombed and cut a supply line serving Kesselring's northern-most troops. The disrupted line was a railway between the manufacturing towns of Bologna and Monselice.

"There was lots of flak in the area but none for us," said P/O. Frank Doyle of (2021 Ave. W.) Vancouver. "We sailed over the target and let fly with bombs from 2,000 feet. The first one did the trick."

P/O. H. R. Curtis (140 Erskine Ave.) Toronto and the four planes that attacked, Capt. Spitzenberger (Plt. Offr. F/O. G. J. Hélmer of (20 Burnside Ave.) Ottawa and FO. R. O. Webster of (33 Brock St.) Kingston, Ont.

"SMOKY" THE TOWN HERO

Edenderry, Eire (CP) — Smoky, a fox terrier, saved eight lives when the town hall was destroyed by fire. Then he was sentenced to death because he was considered dangerous to children. He has been temporarily reprieved by a petition of the townspeople.

SECTION WIRE CUTS OFF 'PHONE SERVICE

Kincardine, Feb. 24 — (CP) — Telephone service has been cut off in the business district of nearby Tiverton and in part of the residential section after a hydro wire carrying 2,300 volts broke in a windstorm and dropped on the main line of the Bruce Municipal Telephone system.

FIGHTING LAWYER DIES

London (CP) — Charles-Louis Nordon, 60, known as the "fighting solicitor" and a champion of the small investor, has died. One of the stormiest scenes was in 1930 at a meeting of the Hudson's Bay Company when he was speaking on behalf of small shareholders.

KILLED BY ROBBERS

Washington, Feb. 26 — (AP) — The bodies of two men, gagged and bound and both shot between the eyes, were found last night in an auto trailer parked on a used car lot in downtown Washington.

Police believed the men, Edward F. Barker, 64, hall owner of the lot, and Fany Cabarian, 52, a government printing office employee, were killed by robbers.

HARROW WAR MEMORIAL

Harrow, England (CP) — An appeal for contributions to a Harrow War Memorial Fund will shortly be sent to Old Boys of the famous English public school. The objective is £500,000 (about $1,250,000) for general school purposes to supplement previous bequests which usually are tied to some specific use.



Public Requested To Use Care in Mailing Parcels

To speed morale-building mail to members of the armed forces overseas and particularly to those soldiers who may be convalescing following wounds received on the battlefront, the postal department again is asking the general public to use care in addressing parcels and mail for overseas.

The department advises that addresses printed in block letters are much more clear than ordinary "hand-writing." Complete addresses make for speed in sorting and delivery of mail "over there." When writing to wounded men who are in hospital the usual complete address should have in large letters and preferably in red ink the two words "IN HOSPITAL."

So, if you have a friend or a relative "over there" who is under hospital care, address your parcel or letter just as you have been doing before, giving the unit as usual, and then in big bold capitals "IN HOSPITAL." That little extra care will speed the message to its destination and will mean a lot to the lad in the hospit.l cot.

Sidney Teachers' Association Meets

On Monday evening last the Sidney teachers met in the Public School with Miss Ella Phillips as hostess, in the absence of the president, Miss Verna Bemis presided. The treasurer's report was given by Miss M. Pound showing that $102.56 worth of books had been bought for the 16 Sidney teachers' circulating library. Mrs. Jones, the Sick Benefit convener, gave her report. The fee of $1.50 was collected from these teachers present.

Col. Vanderwater was called on and arranged the people in groups for the Farm Forum meeting. A discussion was held on "Should Producers Control Marketing?" Mr. Maclean thanked Col. Vanderwater and the trustees present for coming and helping to make the evening a success. Mr. Watson invited the teachers to Frankford for their March meeting. Mrs. M. Campbell, assisted by Mrs. L. Le-Fontaine led in a sing-song. Games were played after which Miss Phillips served lunch.

Marmora

Marmora — Mrs. Dorothy Cron of Belleville, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gray.

Gunner Hugh Phillips has arrived home from overseas and is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips.

Mrs. Don Osborne is spending a couple of weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Ivan Hall and family.

Miss M. Brown is visiting her niece, Miss Flora Sanderson, in Toronto.

Mrs. Wesley Grant and her sister, Mrs. Hyland of Toronto, are visiting relatives in Picton.

Miss Audrey Burrows of Whitby Ladies' College, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Burrows. She was accompanied by Miss Betty Fuller of Nova Scotia.

Mr. C. R. Whitemore, Research Chemist of Deloro Smelting and Refining Company, attended a meeting of the Toronto Branch of the Canadian Mining and Metallurgical Institute last week.

Allan Mills

Allan Mills — On Tuesday morning, Mrs. Edwin Smith of Peterborough, and Mrs. Lorne Mitchell of Campbellford, motored to Toronto and attended the funeral of their brother, Mr. Harold Stiles on Wednesday afternoon.

Madoc Junction

Madoc Junction — Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley and Donna spent a few days recently in Kingston and Latrines in Kingston.

Mr. Gordon Hudson attended the Normal "At Home" in Peterborough on Friday night and spent the weekend at the home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lake in Warkworth.

Mrs. Fred Haight, of Belleville, has returned home after visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Raymond Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Wannamaker and Miss Ella Wannamaker had Sunday tea with Mrs. Leonard Wannamaker of Stirling.

A Stag Social in aid of Red Cross was held on Friday evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clarke. Mr. Will Stapley auctioned off the articles the sale of which amounted to $28.00. Contributions were handed in later bringing the total to $32.00.

Several from here attended the Stirling Carnival held in the Stirling Arena on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chambers spent Wednesday evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley.

Mrs. Kenneth Stewart spent the tea hour on Friday at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. N. Wannamaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Murney Kirker spent Monday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stapley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Sharpe, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley and Donna, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Reids and children, Miss Helen Middleton and Mr. Hugh McMullen were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wannamaker on Thursday night.

Note— At the Belleville General Hospital on Thursday, February 15, 1945, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Madill, a son.

Mrs. Dean Ashley spent Saturday afternoon with friends in Belleville.

The February monthly Sunday School meeting was held on Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Wannamaker, with 37 in attendance. Mrs. Fred Stapley prepared the program. Meeting opened with hymn with Hilda Pinchin at the piano. The Scripture lesson was read by Gladys Clarke. Readings were given by Mrs. Arlow, Mr. Bert Reids and Mrs. Pinchin. Mrs. Fred Stapley sang a solo with Mrs. Bruce Stapley playing her accompaniment. Mr. Stewart gave an interesting talk. Hilda Stapley took on a Bible contest. Meeting closed with prayer. The hostess and the lunch committee then served dainty refreshments.

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Churchill Promises Future Aggression To Be Impossible

Terms Proposed Polish Boundary Fair Division

By JAMES P. KING
(AP Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 27 — (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill declared today the great powers were completely prepared to take collapse of Germany, said the proposed Polish frontier would "not sow the seeds of future war," and gave his personal assurance of Russia's good faith in plans for the peace.

The prime minister demanded a vote of confidence from the House of Commons on the Crimea plans for a peaceful world, challenged particularly those who have criticized the Polish decisions.

He promised drastic and effective steps "to render offensive action by Germany impossible for generations to come", and called on Germans again to surrender.

Stevagar Rale by U. S.

Mr. Churchill said the United States would play a "vitally important part" in a new, far-stronger World League "which will be not shrink from establishing its will against the evil doer" by force of arms.

Giving the first public account by one of the principals in the momentous Crimea Conference, he termed the proposed Polish boundary "the fairest division which can be made between the two races."

Marshal Stalin has given "the most solemn declarations" that Poland's sovereignty and independence would be maintained, he said, and "the decisions now have been joined in both by Great Britain and by the United States."

Then Mr. Churchill added:

"The impression I brought back from Crimea and from all my other contacts is that Marshal Stalin and the Soviet leaders wish to live in honorable friendship and equality with the western democracies. I feel also that their word is their bond. I know, as a British statesman who stands on its obligations more solidly than the Russian Soviet government."

To Save World, Not Rule It.

He declared the objective of the great powers was "to save the world—not to rule it," and declared "the world organization cannot be based upon the dictatorship of the great powers."

Mr. Churchill interrupted his address an hour luncheon.

At one point the Prime Minister delivered a warning which indicated that the question of Russian participation in the war in the Pacific may have been at least raised at the Yalta conference.

He said the San Francisco World Security conference opening April 25 "will bring together the chosen representatives of the United Nations who have declared war upon Germany and Japan by the first of March, 1945, and who have signed the United Nations declaration."

Among diplomatic and parliamentary observers the question was whether Churchill meant that Russia would declare war on Japan by March 1—the day after tomorrow—or whether he merely was referring to the tickets of admission to the San Francisco conference.

The Press Association first gave the Prime Minister's words as "Germany and Japan."

In a later version of the text issued, the words were "Germany or Japan."

Then, by telephone to a query, the Press Association corrected the text to the original version, leaving it stand at "Germany and Japan."

Plan Drastic Steps

In shaping the new peace, "we intend to take steps far more drastic and effective than those which followed the last war so as to root out or eliminate by Germany utterly impossible for generations to come," the Prime Minister said.

Mr. Churchill demanded a vote of confidence in the Yalta plans for a peaceful world, especially challenging those who have created their criticisms upon the Polish decisions.

"If we were confronted tomorrow with a collapse of the German

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Counter-Attack Thrown Back

Rome, Feb. 27 (AP)—The U. S. 10th Mountain Division has thrown back a strong German counter-attack in the area of Mount D'Elia Toscana, inflicting heavy casualties and capturing a number of prisoners, the Allied Command announced today.

The enemy counter-attack, which was launched in a dawn mist, was preceded by a heavy artillery barrage. After being forced to withdraw, they continued to throw heavy fire against the American positions in the mountains.

Brazilian troops who had moved to Mount Castello when the U. S. mountain troops made their push to Mount Belvedere and Mount D'Elia Toscana last week likewise were subjected to heavy enemy artillery fire. The Germans apparently up a small counter-attack near La Serra.

On the 5th army front the story was one of frequent patrol clashes.

British Troops Capture Pagan

Kandy, Ceylon, Feb. 27 — (CP)— British and Indian troops have captured the ancient Burmese city of Pagan, 30 miles southwest of Mandalay, with a drive far inland from field territory that caught the Japanese by surprise.

A southeast Asia command communique last night announced the capture of Pagan, a censorship permitted description in a front dispatch of details of the river crossing, which took place Feb. 14.

The communique said the troops crossed the river in strength for a two-pronged drive on the big oil field towns of Chauk and Yenangyaung, and that Pagan, with its airstrip, a bridgehead four miles deep and a front wide was established.

Pagan is famed for its 5,000 glittering pagodas, and is considered one of the wonders of the East. Burma's great central oil fields stretch south from that city.

25,000 to 30,000 Casualties Caused In Attack on Berlin Says Report

New York, Feb. 27 (AP)—From 25,000 to 30,000 casualties were inflicted in Berlin yesterday by the 2,000-plane raid, Stockholm's Tidningen said today in a dispatch reported to the office of War Information.

Central and northern sections of Berlin were the worst hit, with "thousands of freight cars destroyed," the dispatch added.

A new type of incendiary bomb which cannot be extinguished with water, and which causes huge fires of unprecedented extent," the newspaper declared.

London Attacked

London — A fleet of 1,100 American bombers made another daylight attack on Berlin where fires still burned from yesterday's record blow that swerved south and pounded the big railroad centres of Leipzig and Halle.

The bomber train, protected by 700 long-range fighters, stretched for 150 miles as it roared to the targets 80 to 100 miles southwest of Berlin.

The Americans left the objectives, the German radio said, formations of R.A.F. bombers were flying in from the west and that yet other formations were heading for Berlin.

It was the 15th consecutive day of powerful attacks on Germany.

The first attack on the German capital was continued during the night by R.A.F. bombers.

Hitting Berlin for the seventh night, the Mosquito crews said they observed scores of fires burning over a wide area. The R.A.F. struck at Berlin every week and struck anti-aircraft fire from the U.S. Flying Fortresses and Liberators crippled over Berlin and Leipzig, scoring a single enemy fighter. The Americans lost eighteen planes over the seven fighters.

Crews thought I would see the day when one could attack Berlin with so little trouble," said Capt. Joy Smith, of Weeping Water, Neb., Yesterday's load of more than 3,000 tons of explosives was unloaded in the very heart of the German capital, destroying railway stations were the primary objectives.

CANADIANS REACH OUTER DEFENCES OF HOCHWALD LINE

Five-Mile Advance Made Since Attack Opened Monday South Of Calcar

By ROSS MUNRO
(CP War Correspondent)

With the 1st Canadian Army in Germany, Feb. 27 — (CP Cable) — Canadian troops today fought their way through the mud into the outer defences of the Hochwald Line as their new offensive gained momentum, mauling the German 180th Parachute Division and taking 1,000 prisoners.

A five-mile advance has been made since the attack opened yesterday south of Calcar on the towns of Keppeln, Hollen and Todtenhausen have been captured. Ontario troops entered Hollen on foot, mopping up that important town.

"The Hochwald Line in which the enemy is fighting is Siegfried's third and final line of Siegfried Northern defences between the Maas and Rhine Rivers, and was the way to the industrial Ruhr, which the Germans have been calling on to defend to the last man, Canadian Lights

Canadian casualties have been comparatively light and the whole operation is rolling ahead to plan. But there were some gloomy periods yesterday when heavy ground fighting developed with the infantry and tanks pushed on with grim determination.

By this overnight comeback, several vital features of the Hochwald Switch Line have been occupied and the Canadians finally on the slopes dominating the Hochwald Line itself.

This morning, under gray skies which still are restricting air support, the infantry and tanks slowly moved down the slopes west of Hochwald Switch Line itself.

The German 8 have a

The German 8 have taken a heavy beating in both the switch before the line and the 9th Parachute Division has been nearly torn apart. How they are drawn back behind anti-tank guns across the Hochwald tank guns screening the Hochwald Line itself.

British Artillery Smashing.

British armor now is operating with the Canadians in this overnight derbolt attack which is breaking through the outer defences on the northern Rhine front.

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Motive Sought By U.S. Police

Binghampton, N.Y., Feb. 27.—(AP)—Police sought a motive today for the non-burial of five bodies, found on display after shifting them in a downtown cemetery, it was learned.

Detective Capt. Otto J. Kreutzer said Oscar Harding, a son of Mrs. Hattie A. Harding, 82, identified as one of the dead, was buried in another cemetery Oct. 9, that he had attended the funeral from the same casket, which he believed contained the body of his mother. Mrs. Harding's daughter, Mrs. Krause said the funeral arrangements had been operated by Donald Colling, Ackley and shandler for two months ago.

He added that the local rationing board reported that it had issued gasoline to Colling for a trip to drive to California upon his statement that he planned to go to another undertaking establishment there.

27 SENTENCED TO DEATH

New York, Feb. 27. (AP)—The Bulgarian People's Court has sentenced 27 Bulgarians to death for collaboration or anti-partisan activity, the Sofia radio said today, it was broadcast reported yesterday by the Political Commentators Committee.

Citizenship, Freedom Of Empire May Go To Poles in Br. Forces

London, Feb. 27 (CP) — "The Citizenship, Freedom of the British Empire"—if the Dominions approve—were offered today by Prime Minister Churchill to Polish forces serving under British command.

Paying tribute in his speech in the House of Commons to the large forces of Poles in the Middle East and airmen now fighting gallantly, as they have fought during the whole of the war," Mr. Churchill said Britain never would forget the debt it owes to the Polish troops.

His government, he said, is resolved that as many as possible of these forces shall be returned to Poland to participate in the life of their country and added:

"And for all those . . . under our command I earnestly hope it will be possible for them to have the citizenship and freedom of the British Empire if they so desire.

"I am not able to make a declaration on that subject today because all matters respecting citizenship are required to be discussed with the Dominion country and the Dominions and that takes time."

MAIN AIRFIELD ON IWO JIMA USED BY U.S. PLANES

Half of the Five-Mile-Long Island Now in American Hands

Guam, Feb. 27—(AP)—Capture of Iwo Jima "in a few more days" despite heavy fighting was predicted today by Lt.-Gen. Holland M. (Howlin' Mad) Smith, after his Marines won a critically important hill in the Central Plateau defense area.

The 400-yard advance through probably the heaviest fire of the bitter campaign.

Lieutenant-General Smith—now from Iwo's main airfield—said: "At this time, the Marine commander estimated that almost half of the five-mile-long island was in American hands at the start of the second week of the fifth month of the Pacific war.

Motorcade Airdrome No. 1 on southern Iwo Jima was put to use for the first time yesterday as fighter artillery spotter planes, little ways being put into operation between the Japanese defenses and bombers. The field is 700 yards long.

In the centre of the American battle line, Marines captured Hill 362 just east of the central airfield for a military triumph as significant as the earlier capture of Mount Suribachi at the south tip of the little island.

The Hill provides direct observation of the major Japanese defences and troop dispositions around the centre of the north, across which the assaulting Marines still have to make an uphill fight.

The central airfield, Motoyama No. 2, was virtually in American hands. Only the northeast tip of the two-strip fighter field remained of the enemy control at nightfall yesterday.

Mopping up was progressing in the central airfield area, Major Gen. Schmidt, at the southern end of Iwo, said little enemy fire fell on the beaches. Supplies and reinforcements were pouring ashore in increased quantities.

GEN. MACARTHUR RESTORES CIVIL GOVT. AT MANILA

Proclaims City Capital in the Philippines With Osmena as President

Manila, Feb. 27—(AP)—Gen. MacArthur proclaimed Manila today capital of restored civil government in the Philippines even as fighting continued within sight of the presidential palace and the Japanese defenders.

While MacArthur spoke in a moving ceremony at Malacanan Palace, Filipino troops, assisted by a new landing behind the enemy, were locked in a fierce struggle for control of Nichols airfield, seven miles south of Manila.

Japanese resistance in the south was strong, although in the north the Filipinos had driven through to within two miles of Baguio, summer capital of the United States and revered the stricken city.

Gen. MacArthur, surrounded by high officials, read a letter from President Roosevelt.

"Your country once again is at liberty to control its destiny to an honored position in the family of free nations," he said.

"Your capital city, severely punished though it be, has regained its ancient place as a symbol of democracy."

President Osmena, accepting the responsibilities, declared that in resuming the hope it might be possible to "restore the Philippines to have complete independence this year."

Earlier today, Filipino troops had dislodged in a commanding area the Japanese defenders of Nichols airfield, only 11 miles from Manila. Yesterday they landed Sunday on the Zig Zag Pass, 11 miles south of Manila, and by last night had driven a 1 mile channel between Luzon and Mindoro Islands. They also have moved west end of a direct route through the Zig Zag Pass to Batangas. Less than a week ago, the area was held by the Japanese invasions of Capul and Biri islands in the San Bernardino Strait between Luzon and Samar.

BULLETINS

5-MILE ADVANCE

Paris, Feb. 27 (AP)—American tanks and tank-riding infantry broke through German defenses in the Siegfried Line yesterday and today in a raging attack into Germany in Rentgheven, 15 miles southwest of Aachen, front dispatches here said from the Eifl River.

DAMAGE JAP PLANE FACTORIES

Guam, Feb. 27 (AP)—American carrier aircraft heavily damaged two Japanese aircraft factories, destroyed 26 damaged 18 planes and sank five small enemy vessels in strikes at Tokyo and Yokohama said Headlip Jima, 172 miles to the south, Sunday and Monday, U. S. Pacific Fleet headquarters announced today.

Passed by only light opposition, although flying under extremely adverse weather conditions, the attacking force lost nine planes and one pilot, it was announced. Two of the fleet's fighter units participated during the action.

(Communique No. 224.)

Weather Forecast

Lake Superior — Generally fair today and Wednesday; cold today.

Eastern and Rainy River — Generally fair and somewhat milder today and Wednesday.

Georgian Bay — Generally fair and a little milder today and Wednesday, then becoming colder with snowflurries.

RUSSIAN TROOPS REACH BUBLITZ IN BREAK-THROUGH

Only 28 Miles From Baltic Coast Between Danzig and Stettin

Germans Report

London, Feb. 27—(CP)—Russian troops in a break-through in Pomerania have reached Bublitz, only 28 miles from the Baltic coast between Danzig and Stettin, the German High Command said today.

The push, aimed at cutting off Gdynia and Danzig, also thrust to Rummelsberg, further east and 38 miles from the Baltic, the broadcast communique added.

The German broadcast reports of heavy tank battles all along the Oder-Neisse river facing Berlin from the east, the veteran 1st While Russian and 1st Ukrainian armies meanwhile were jumping off from a front offensive for the Reich capital.

The German communique said the Russians crossed the Neisse at several points, but were stopped. It but declared they were repelled.

Moscow Gives No Hint.

Moscow gave no hint, however, of what was happening on this vital sector. LAST nightMy Soviet communique, one of the shortest in weeks, reported only minor actions on the Prussia and in besieged Breslau.

Coupled with the Nazi reports of fighting in Pomerania, where a new German assertion that Red army fighting patrols to the north had driven to within 23 miles of Stettin, Pomerania capital and Baltic port at the mouth of the Oder.

By German account, large Russian and German infantry and armored forces were fighting on a 100-mile line extending from Kustrin on the Oder-Neisse line southeast of Berlin, southward to the Lusatian Neisse at Guben, Goerlitz, Niesa's second city of 44,000 and the outskirts of Dresden.

Reich Neisse Everywhere.

Front reports from the Nazi Transocean Agency said Marshal Ivan S. Konev's 1st Ukrainian Army had reached the Neisse "everywhere" but that the German hold on its confluence with the Oder southeast of Guben, the agency said the opposing forces were locked in a "merry-go-round of death."

Berlin has reported the Russians fighting in the suburbs of both Guben and Forst, Neisse river towns.

Guben gains in East Prussia were announced in the Soviet communique last night, with fierce fighting on both sides of Koenigsberg, key to the Baltic coast, for more than 2,000 German days.

Rail Communication Opened.

The German declared yesterday the Berlin-Danzig garrison had opened rail, water and road communications again from the West through Pomerania capital to Pillau, scene of German Heydekrug, 30 miles west of Koenigsberg Jan. 21 through capture of Gross Heydekrug, 30 miles east on the northern shore of Kurisches Haff.

Moscow announced capture of 15 more blocks of buildings in Breslau, Berlin's last army shock troops were within two miles of the heart of the city.

Youthful Paratroop Germans Taken, Found Far Below Usual Standard

With the 1st Canadian Army in Germany, Feb. 27 — (CP Cable) — The armored strength is fighting in the Canadian Army in yesterday's offensive on the Hochwald Line was a great surprise to German prisoners, according to prisoners.

A German lieutenant, captured with his company early in the battle told you: "We had only small numbers of tanks in this area. If we had known you had so many we would not have fought at all. There were too many of them, so many."

It appears that the German Army on the Rhine is having a tough time keeping even its crack units up to standard due to losses and fast-diminishing manpower resources.

The Canadians captured hundreds of 17-year-old and 18-year-old youths from the 6th Parachute Division, one of Germany's elite formations. They had been in the line only since last November when they began infantry training. Their fighting qualities were far short of the usual standard of German paratroop formations.

Many of these youngsters were stationed in northern Holland but several days ago they were rushed by train and truck to the Hochwald Line.

Heavy Artillery Already Shelling Cathedral City

Defences Splitting at Seams Along 200-Mile Nazi Front

London, Feb. 27 —(AP)— A Berlin broadcast said United States troops had reached the Erft river at Bedburg, within eight miles of Cologne.

Paris, Feb. 27. (CP) — Massed Allied drives toward the Ruhr intensified today, with Canadians fighting into the last defence line guarding the northwest corner of the German industrial district, and American tanks breaking into the outlying defences of Cologne.

Canadians advanced five miles capturing the strategic road centre of Udem and reaching the outer defences of the Hochwald line, less than 12 miles from the Ruhr. The U. S. 1st Army, to the south, was closing in on Cologne, its heavy artillery already shelling the great cathedral city.

The U.S. 3rd Army, captured high ground overlooking the Erft River, moved to within a mile of strategic Bitburg and drove to within towns in the Rifels along a 30-mile front to which we present pressure gave forward the middle Rhine and Moselle Polders.

Splitting at Seams.

All along the 200-mile Assault front from Emmerich on the lower Rhine to the new solid bridgehead across the Sgar River six miles east of Saarlnrg, the thinly spread German defences are splitting at the seams. Spokesmen for both the 21st and 12th army groups declared that clean cut break-throughs had been achieved. Prisoners captured in February alone passed 80,000; the total since June 6 has passed 1,300,000. Yet only a fraction of Gen. Eisenhower's 73 German divisions had been identified in the battle of annihilation to clear all Germany west of the Rhine.

Reports hours behind the fast pace of the U.S. 1st Army said its men were looking at Cologne chimneys and spires 10 1-2 miles ahead. Capture Six Towns.

The 8th Army captured six towns including Venrath, five miles from Munchen Gladbach, westernmost point of the Ruhr, 12 miles away, and Rodert, administrative centre of the Ruhr, and only 13 from Cologne. Flies across the Rhine from Dusseldorf.

The Canadian advance carried to within 22 miles of Duisburg, world's greatest inland port and chief centre of the Ruhr which in 1943 crafted three-fourths of all German war plants.

1st Canadian Division.

The Canadians captured Keppeln, Hollen and Todtenhilgel and badly mauled the German 8th Parachute Division, from which 1,000 of the 2,000 captives were taken.

Troops crocked into Odor Calcar and unmoored Rundstedt's "Caen Ridge" on the northern front. The Canadians took and firmly established all high ground dominating the Hochwald and Siegfried line defences of the forest's outer defences, in which a switch line of the Siegfried defications awaits them. A few odd elements still were being wiped up in the Udem area, 5,500 in a five-mile valley 15 miles west of the Ruhr city of Wesel.

Canadian officers termed the progress "good," and said that the greatest handicap. The mud is the only thing to be critical on the northern front, heavy dispatches said, because the enemy is in a precarious position.

The Hochwald is the last big German stronghold in the northern Rhineland, and forward positions have within 1,000 yards of the woods with tanks and artillery.

A few German tanks were defeated in Keppeln in an armored battle in the streets. Southwest of Endern, the Canadians were holding ground in great strength.

West of Goch, Scottish troops were battling furiously and waging a battle in a seminary near the Maas River.

The Canadians and the American 3rd and 9th armies captured 20 German towns overnight. The largest was Hasiena, a critically important road centre and the last large place before Mienchen Gladbach.

At places on the water-logged Cologne plain, the Americans had penetrated 33 miles from Germany and about 100 miles from Berlin. They were less than three miles from the Erft river, where a stout German defence line based on a wooded ridge and old style trenches was given Field Marshal von Rundstedt his last chance to stop the Allies from reaching the Rhine.

Great gains were within grasp. These included Cologne, 598,000, greater Cologne-Leverkusen-Opladen, 1,000,000; Dusseldorf, 540,000 and 111th in size; Duisburg, 451,000 and 19th; Munchen Gladbach, 127,000; and the Ruhr metropolis of Essen, 901,000, which the Americans will menace from the heights 18 miles away. Outflanked Trier, 96,000, was within sight and four miles of the 3rd army.

The battle on the Cologne plain was a rout, but the gains were virtually as fast as the engineers could wad and wade across the rolling country. The Germans had tried to convert into a field Eisenhower's 73 divisions, but the man strength left west of the Rhine was not enough to stop the onslaught.

Hundreds of the hard pressed eastern front were known to be accounted for much of the thinest. Rundstedt appeared to have been placed in a position where, against a major force attack, he has to retreat, since he lacked troops be ascribe in middle ranks. He had assigned 10 divisions to the Roer front and 10 to the Saar.

German Press Weakly.

Even if German rule weaker than it does appear, there was more than 60 divisions, many of them fresh and reinforced, that force guarded the 400-mile stretch from Aachen to the Swiss border. Also, von Rundstedt was believed to have the 5th Panzer Army east of the Rhine for a counter-attack to save the Ruhr, but that army had been smashed in the abortive Ardennes offensive.

The American army, forming the northern jaw of the trap that is closing around the Ruhr, advanced 21 miles yesterday, near the Hochwald Line, believed the Siegfried system of defence line in that sector. Stouffville-Uxbridge Orange Hall, to said to have been entered.

Field Marshal von Rundstedt called upon his command to have "fanatical Ruhr approaches to the last man, and to the last round, that they otherwise all would be lost.

Coming Events

EUCHRE IN CONSERVATIVE Club Rooms, Wednesday night, February 28. Auspices L.O.A. and L.O.L. 274. Jack Pot and regular prizes. P26-1t

BELLEVILLE AND DISTRICT Fish and Game Protective Association Meeting, March 2nd, at Y.M.C.A., at 8 p.m. Movies and speakers. P26-1t

MEETING OF FOXBORO FARMers Co-Operative, Wednesday night, February 28, Orange Hall, at 8 o'clock. Interest to farmers shown. Everyone welcome. P26-2t

BINGO TONIGHT, 8.30 SACO Club Rooms, Front St. Admission Women of the Moose. 23 Games. Three door prizes and specialties. 26-1t

THE RED CROSS UNIT OF Thurlow Township will hold an afternoon tea and sale of home cooking, aprons and other articles, Thursday, March 1st, in Church Parlors, 3.30 to 6.30 p.m. You are welcome. P26-1t

PATRIOTIC TEA IN ODDFELlows' Hall, Thursday, March 15, 3 to 5. Aprons and home cooking for sale. Auspices Belleville Chapter, O.E.S. P27-M12

City and District News

PAPER 113 YEARS OLD UNEARTHED BY RESIDENT

In a state of perfect preservation, a copy of the Christian Guardian, published at York, Upper Canada, 113 years ago, was found by Geo. G. Thain in a house he is said. It was considerably some old papers in the family up today. Mr. Thain is of the opinion the paper was originally put away by his mother into a family trunk.

The date line on the paper was set at May 30th, 1832. It was published on King st., east of Yonge st., in York, Upper Canada. It is a four sheet paper and was published each Wednesday, according to the editorial page. The paper print is still legible and the paper in a perfect state of preservation. Printed in the interest of Christian teaching, the paper was found by Mr. Thain while he was seeking other credentials in an old trunk.

ARTHUR McGIE HAS LEG BROKEN WHEN HIT BY LARGE MASS OF ICE

Struck on the leg by a heavy mass of ice which fell from the roof as he was entering his home, Mr. Arthur McGie, Bridge street, East, retired local tailor, is in the Belleville General Hospital suffering from a broken leg. Examination at the hospital revealed the leg was broken just below the hip. Present thaw had loosened the heavy mass of ice resting on the eave of his home with the result that it broke loose just as Mr. McGie was about to enter his home.

NO POLICE COURT

With five pleas of guilty entered prior to the court hour today, there was no necessity of holding police court in Belleville. The five pleas of guilty, with fines already having been paid into the court clerk, were presented to Magistrate T. Y. Wills for approval at his office in the Court House. All were for minor infractions of the Liquor Control Act.

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McKEOWN'S DRUG STORE

H. W. Greenleaf, Ex-Mayor of City, Dies at Home

Henry W. Greenleaf, ex, Mayor of this city, died at his home in the Bellevue Apartments, Pallister street, on Sunday evening. He was in failing health for several months.

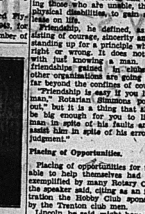
The late Henry Wilbur Greenleaf had reached the age of seventy-four years on the tenth day of this month. He was born in Belleville and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Greenleaf. His life was passed here and his many early manhood he was prominent in the business life of the city. For over fifty years he was the head of the Greenleaf Foundry and Machine Shops, and prior to that time he was associated with his father, the late O. C. Greenleaf, who was the founder of the business. For the past three years he took no part in the management of the business which is now managed by his son, Mr. Errol Greenleaf.

In the affairs of the city Henry Greenleaf took a keen interest and during 1922, 1923 and 1924 he served as a member of the city council and in 1925 he was elected Mayor of the city and filled the office in a most capable manner. He was a member of the Kiwanis Club. In religion he was a member of the Bridge Street United Church. Henry Greenleaf was a lover of sport and in his youth he was a boy, FO. Welch comes naturally as a gunner. Back in 1941 when he enlisted in the service he was advised by his father to join the Air Force because "you can see what you're shooting at when in the air."

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FO. HOWARD WELCH, D.F.M.

operations against the enemy.

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FO. Welch, DFM, Returns Home From Overseas

Veteran of the equivalent of two operational tours, over enemy territory, Flying Officer Howard Welch, D.F.M., son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Welch, 337 MacDonald Ave., returned home Saturday after being away overseas for more than two and one half years. For the past 12 months he has been gunnery instructional work in air gunnery in England.

Awarded the Distinguished Flying Medal in September, 1943, for participating in a "large number of

Depth of Snow Greatly Decreased In This District

Despite the recognized excessive depth of snow in the north, until the past week, the absolute minimum quantity of water thaws, tops of high knolls and hills with a southern exposure in some instances are already beginning to appear through their winter mantle. Depth of snow has very noticeably decreased since last Wednesday when the first thaw came. Rain fell Thursday and Friday of the snow was reduced until although no water has yet appeared on the surface, farmers generally are beginning to take on new life with a corresponding reducing of labor required for supplying water for stock.

In the city the milder weather has been evident by the drying of sidewalks in the downtown areas, while snow in backyards has been measurably reduced with the city as a whole presenting the annual dirty appearance of late winter.

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Three Outstanding Rotary Principles Theme of Talk

Three outstanding principles of Rotary International, in the commemoration of its 40th anniversary, were clearly outlined by Rotarian Reginald Hamilton, president of the Trenton Rotary Club, in a talk given before the members at the weekly luncheon on Monday.

These principles, Mr. Hamilton said, were friendship, the opportunity for service, the ideal to help those who are unable, through physical disabilities, to have new zest in life.

"Friendship, he defined, as consisting of courage, sincerity and the standing up for a principle whether right or wrong. It does not deal with but knowing a man. The friendship idea in Rotary, like any other organizations are going to go far beyond the confines of the club.

"Friendship is easy if you like a man," Rotarian Hamilton continued, "but it is a thing that should be big enough for you to like a man in spite of his errors of judgment."

Placing of Opportunities.

Placing of opportunities for those able to help themselves had been exemplified in Rotary, Rotarian the speaker said, citing as an illustration the Hotel Club sponsored by the Trenton club men.

Lincoln, he said, might have been a still greater statesman had he had the opportunities now available to the boys of the country.

Parents, he added, having in mind the man of design of the future should place every opportunity before their own children for the great men in the future will be yours or mine."

Rotarian, the word go, should look with justifiable pride on their achievements in the rehabilitation of crippled children, "inasmuch as there is one in your club or one of these our children" may not deserve the people in the ordinary sense of the word, but they are still in touch with actual work for the children when the words were born with emphasized meaning.

Rotarian Hamilton then stated International Rotary convention in 1937, the speaker had visited Holland and had the honor of Belgian women to commemorate the battle of Waterloo. Two days and limbs, the tonsili and other operations of crippled children were done by Rotary could be turned into things material, the mound would be larger than that of Waterloo," he said.

Case Cited.

He cited one of the cases of the Trenton Rotary Club, that of a bright brave 11-year-old boy who was stricken with a fatal disease. His people were underprivileged and lived "close to the ground" in fact the lower floor of a dwelling was ground itself."

The boy developed tumors off the spinal cord that ran the length of the spine. A spongy growth pressed underneath an arm. We took him to Toronto after which expert gave him six months to live. The lad never complained. He endeared himself to his nurses and was satisfied to play with a toy or a book or a game. Both his parents he chatted with everyone. Then doctors decided to operate on the arm growth and the lad was taken to the big chief mourners in Trenton, where he was buried in the side of a hill, were past presidents of the Rotary Club.

"The gratitude of the parents was marked. But more, it was suggested that the club help others in the community. "You have done enough for us. We cannot thank you for much, was their reply."

"Then the case have had a Skippir ending, Rotarian Simmons said, and it is one of the things that all Rotarians should be proud.

Great Unselfish Movement.

In wishing "many happy returns of the day" to Rotary International, which he defined is as one of the greatest most unselfish movements, that has been in vogue for many years. But he greatest work he already done there is a research committee in Rotary he said, that is finding out its pulse on things to come. "May that research voice of Rotary International be a great success."

A toast was introduced by Rotarian Ralph Mathias with Rotarian J. C. Herity expressing the club's appreciation. President "Pink" Pitcher was in the chair. Several Trenton Rotarians were present as guests.

CHURCHILL

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forces, there is nothing that has not been foreseen and arranged beforehand by the European Advisory Commission," he said.

He gave no hint as to when he believed that collapse would come. Significant he did say that the war in Europe had been prolonged a good many months beyond the hope of last autumn while the eventual collapse of Japan was nearer than previously anticipated.

From the 50-year-old Prime Minister came definite assurance that the great powers had taken into consideration the role of the little nations in the future World Security League to be established at the San Francisco parley.

"The world organization," he said, "cannot be based on the dictatorship of the great powers. It is their duty to preserve the world, not to rule it."

The Prime Minister said his government had "a right to know" where it stood in parliamentary opinion on the Yalta Conference.

Mr. Churchill pledged himself to a showdown with his critics in opening a discussion of the Crimea Big Three pact in which members of a small group of Conservatives have been sharpshoot at the "Big Three" Yalta Conference.

The debate, heralded as one of the most important ever held in the British House of Commons, was the biggest crowd to the House in years.

Among early arrivals in the gallery was the Russian Ambassador Gusev.

At the outset Mr. Churchill gave no hint that he would spend days of grueling debate.

He said he was against Japan was discussed by him and President Roosevelt and the joint British-American staffs at Malta before they proceeded to Yalta to meet Marshal Stalin.

He declared that within the war in Europe had been prolonged what a good many months beyond what the year period against Japan had been shortened by months by the American victories in the Pacific.

As for the Polish question, he said the Big Three "faced realities in a manner that is unexceptional in any act of gaise on which parliament has to express its opinion."

The government feels that it must know where it stands with the Yalta Conference.

Plans already made, he declared, are fully reaching that "if we were confronted with a number of colleges or the German forces there would be nothing to do but to have seen and arranged beforehand by the European Advisory Commission."

Another note of criticism came from both sides of the Atlantic over the failure to invite France to the Crimea Conference. Mr. Churchill said the three great powers felt they could not "cast upon France the cruel and burden of the war, and could not be expected to be asked to be placed upon their fighting line together."

He added, however, that during the last five days the French Provisional Government headed by Miss Bidault had been "fully informed" of the decisions which had been given an opportunity to express their most effective manner the views in it.

"France may find many reasons for contentment with the Crimea Conference," Churchill said.

Swinging into plans for the future, the Prime Minister caused laughter in the House when he said:

"The San Francisco conference will bring together all the nations who have been at war with Germany and Japan and many are declaring war on Germany since Yalta."

Mr. Churchill announced for the first time that Foreign Secretary Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., Undersecretary Clement Attlee, would represent Great Britain at San Francisco.

Words Closely United

"The Crimea Conference," the Prime Minister declared, "finds the Allies more closely united than ever before, both in the military and political sphere."

Quite more warning the German people that they had better surrender now, Mr. Churchill declared:

"Let Germany recognize that it is futile to hope for a division among the Allies and that nothing can avert her utter defeat.

"Further resistance will only be the cause of more suffering. The Allies are resolved Germany shall be completely disarmed, that militarism in Germany destroyed and war criminals justly and evilly punished."

Then he gave a more detailed account of what the Crimea Pact means, saying:

"It is not the purpose of the Allies to destroy the people of Germany, but when them without the necessary means of subsistence. Industry is not revenge but to take such steps as are necessary to enable us to secure the future peace and safety of the world.

"There will be a place one day for Germany in the comity of nations, but only when all traces of Nazism and militarism have been finally and irrevocably eradicated."

He warned, however, that "Germany's capacity for war and production shall be eliminated or controlled and Germany shall make compensation in kind to the utmost of her ability for damage "done the Allied Nations."

He did not specifically mention the demand of Russia — and some other Europeans — that German labor be forced into repair work. But Britain and the United States have clearly stated they would make no claim for such labor.

Mr. Churchill carried the fight directly to critics of his government's Polish policy and asserted he believed the Russian claim to land east of the Curzon Line was just and reasonable.

"If I demand this frontier for Russia," he declared sharply, "it is not because I bow the knee. It is the fairest division which can be made between the two unequal races.

"I cannot conceive that we should not regard it as well informed and fair proposal."

Churchill explained in accepting a frontier which over intervening distances is 200 to 300 miles further to the east than was Russian territory for many generations under the Czarist regime."

Two Main Issues

He said the Polish problem was divided into two main issues — the frontier problem and the freedom of Poland — and asserted:

"The freedom, independence, integrity and sovereignty of Poland have always been the British government more important than the Polish frontiers.

But for the "prodigious efforts and sacrifices of Russia," he maintained, "the Poles as a nation and as a race were doomed by Hitler to be destroyed or reduced to a servile state.

"I repudiate and repulse any suggestion that we are making a compromise with principle or yielding to force and power against right and established convictions. We cannot forget that for five years, at the time, all the three great Allies were fighting for life.

"While new Polish frontier, he said, will not sow the seeds of future wars.

In stopping the new peace, he said, we desired to take steps for more drastic and effective than those which followed the last war as to render offensive action by German militarism impossible for generations to come.

Mr. Churchill said the Yalta agreement did not "by far" give Britain's continued reception of the Polish Provisional Government in London and explained the negotiations would be resumed, "until such time as the Polish Provisional Government has been reconstructed on a new and broader basis and a new provisional government formed in principle."

The Yalta agreement, he added, did not "involve the exercise of mediate" recognition by Britain of the Lublin Government, devoid of national government now operating in Poland.

"There would have been no hesitation," he declared if the Polish Government had consulted us or taken counsel," he contended. "The Polish

Three Delegations, Including Chairman, Members of Parks Board, Appear Before Council

Program for Coming Year Outlined to Members, Other Business Concluded

Between delegations and business the regular session of the City Council on Monday night did not conclude until after the midnight hour, Reeve W. C. Mikel, Chairman Cleo R. Young, secretary-treasurer-Orland Pinkston and Commissioners Charles Symond and Maurice Callaghan of the Parks Board, Lorne Munro, local last year-er and Police Chief Walter Probert all appeared before the members and it was after ten o'clock before the regular session of the council was started. The time was extended two hours at one point of the proceedings to allow the business to be completed before adjournment.

Mr. Mikel came to the council with a request, that the city celebrate its Air Home Week in 1946. He stated that Belleville was incorporated as a town in 1850 and a re-union was one of the best things for a city because it received a lot of publicity at low rate of cost. The members looked with favor on the proposition and it was decided to

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The Recent Clinic

When almost eight hundred persons, members of the staffs of the city businesses, hotels, restaurants and of other employers attended the two-day chest clinic under the Division of Tuberculosis Prevention of the Ontario Department of Health at Belleville last week, they indicated in a clear manner how health-conscious men and women of the towns and cities and countryside of Canada have become, and the task of educating the people to regard their health as the most treasured possession has reaped already a good harvest and offers the promise of still happier day when the population will be one hundred per cent alert to every requirement of health protection and maintenance.

These eight hundred persons do not make up all who have been examined here by the provincial and local health authorities for employees of the large industries had previously been examined.

The efforts of health authorities and public men have long been directed to the work of educating the public to care for health. This publicity has been one of the agencies leading to this growth of general interest in personal health, and also the general health of the people.

The great struggle now being waged in Europe and in the Pacific have laid stress upon the necessity of health, the sound body and the sound mind. Examinations of young men for the services have revealed many physical handicaps and this has emphasized the need of health measures to maintain the nation's people as well as in war. Industry has learned a lesson in the need of health through the incidence of illnesses and the loss of man-hours through inability of some workers to attend to their duties efficiently at times.

The Provincial Department of Health is to be commended on the steps which have been made and are being taken in improving the health of the people of Ontario. Improvement of the conditions of the people in respect to tuberculosis is one of these. A great improvement has been attained but more remains to be done to guard and guide the people in the way of health for their own and society's sake.

All this gives a forecast of further progress.

The hearty co-operation of industry and employees in this clinic at Belleville is deserving of praise. They have done well.

Hitler Pessimistic

Hitler has at last admitted that Germany has been given a terrible beating so that "there is no greater terror in store for us." This he wrote in an address which was read at a meeting of the old Nazi guard on the twenty-fifth anniversary of the announcement of the National Socialist program. A part of the text said on Saturday that his sense of duty and work prevented his attendance at the anniversary meeting.

His entire speech except for a brief change in attitude at the close was one of pessimism and he seemed to revel in dark thoughts and to toy with the idea of himself as a martyr. Characteristically he attacked the "Jewish Bolshevist plague" as he called it and also characteristically he threatened shirkers with annihilation and demanded sacrifice to the last breath.

Hitler's type likes to relish the thought of sacrifice and he said that he would be "happy to bear everything others have to bear to the last as long as it is possible to be human." Along the same line of thought was his statement that he was sorry that his mountain retreat at Berchtesgaden had not been destroyed in the recent Allied raid and remarked that "whatever I can call my own is no more valuable than what belongs to any people." He is posing as a martyr before himself and Germany. He was not posing as a martyr in May 1940 when he danced a jig at the time of the fall of France.

He admitted that Germany was putting up or would put up a last-ditch stand and repeated again and again that he hoped Providence would not let down the nation when it put up such a fight.

He is in a mood that is most pessimistic and he seemed to delight in thinking thoughts of gloom associated with destruction. At the time of the Allied landing in North Africa he had a spell of gloom resting upon him at a meeting at Munich and seemed to take sad pleasure in conjuring up a picture of himself as staying in Germany in the event of the war going against Germany. He said he would not leave Germany, a reference of course to the flight of the Kaiser to Germany as the First World War was closing and revolution broke out. Now events have turned against Germany very definitely and these events are enough to throw him into deep gloom. So he spoke in such a vein about Berchtesgaden. It suits his mentality and mood to speak of destruction. All his regime has been marked by destruction which has been the prevailing attitude and finding his program collapsing he still likes to cherish thoughts of destruction. He has been a destroyer because he delighted in it for he is a glorification of selfishness first of all, despite his references to his love for "his" people. Under his regime his associates have been destroyers and criminals of the worst type and their atrocities will not be forgotten for there are to be tribunals set up to try the offending Huns. Hitler is a study in evil.

112 Spellings

(Christian Science Monitor)

How many ways can you spell Aleutians? A censor reports that letters from soldiers assigned to a single Pacific station spelled the name of those islands 112 different ways. Our guess is no recipient scoffed at the spelling.

In another period like this one when great Americans were doing considerable writing—turning out things like the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution—a person could indulge his every taste instead of the dictionary about many words, and be counted none the less a scholar. We like to recall also the remark of the professor of literature who said: "It doesn't matter much if a person writes 'I seed' for 'I saw' provided that person has really seen something."

Last night the boys wrote Aleutians 112 different ways, have certainly seen something, and, what's more, done something. They may spell Aleutians as they wish, for all we shall say. One word, however, we emphatically will spell with a capital, and the right way, homebodies and soldier boys alike, it has four letters that spell—home.

What the Servant Knew

(Manchester Guardian)

Mr. Lloyd George's earldom has resulted in a flood of information about the exact position and titles of all his sons and daughters. It seems to be thought that no one nowadays appreciates the correct form in such niceties. A hundred years ago the servants' hall was naturally acquainted with those details—and may be so today in establishments where they are of vital importance.

G. W. E. Russell used to tell a story of the two little boys, respectively the eldest and second son of an earl, who were playing on the front doorsteps of their home when the elder fell into the hall below.

The younger called to the footman who picked his brother up: "Is he hurt?" "Killed, my lord," was the immediate reply of a servant who knew the devolution of a courtesy title.

Prices of Stock

(Minneapolis Star Journal)

Two Hereford bulls sold at $50,000 each at auction in Denver, and stockmen, prettly excited, talked of record prices. That may be a record so far as Herefords go, but dairy breeds have sold much higher.

During our previous war-inflationary period, a two-months-old Holstein bull sold for $35,000 at the 1918 national Holstein sale, at the Minnesota Fair Grounds. The year before, Mike Enright of East Grand Forks, Minn., sold a bull to Col. Gustav Pabst of Milwaukee, Wis., for $65,000.

And at the national Holstein sale in Milwaukee in 1917, the Carnation Company paid $106,000 for a bull, believed to be tops for a public sale.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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WISE GRANDMA

The time when I was sick-a-bed
The doctor shook his head
At many a thing my Grandma said.

"Give onions once or twice a day,
Until typhus fever keep away!
Bread mould is good for cuts!" she'd say.

"When pennies in the damp, turn green,"
She told us with a smile serene,
"They'll help to keep a sore spot clean."

The doctor viewed her with alarm.
Said he: "In spite of all their charm,
Old women do a lot of harm."

Now moulds, produced by science pure
And methods new, precise and sure,
Are working miracles of cure.

Through long the tribute's overdue,
I'd say, in light of knowledge new:
My grandma knew a thing or two.

OUR THE RECORD

By Ed Hood



"Care to step over to the mirror, Madam?"

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

FEB. 27TH, 1925.

Mr. Robert Moore and Mr. Blake Parks of McRae, Sask., former residents of Hastings County, are visiting friends in the city and county, after an absence of several years.

Mr. Robert Tannahill and Mr. Henry Taylor of this city, who are on a world cruise, are at present in India.

Mrs. Sid. Mitchell, Miami, Florida, entertained a number of friends recently in honor of her mother, Mrs. J. C. Brimmell, who was celebrating her 76th birthday. Those present were Mrs. (Capt.) Danborn, New Haven, Mass.; Mrs. M. Potts, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. J. B. Brimmell, Ogdensburg; Mrs. Melinda Hunter, Boston, Mass.; and Mrs. A. Brimmell's three daughters, Mrs. Sid. Mitchell and Mrs. Alex. Wilson, both of Miami, Florida, and Mrs. Kay Pyne of Grand Forks, North Dakota. Mrs. Brimmell, formerly lived on Dundas Street in this city.

In a bowling match between the Knights of Columbus and the Empress team the latter won, the score being 2486 to 2127. The following composed the teams and scores: K. of C.—F. Corrigan 397; Dr. Fahey 400; P. Barrett 430 and Harry 378. Empress Team, Harris 567; Bostien 606; Nichols 433; Garvin 497; Bawden 604.

30 YEARS AGO

FEB. 27...., 1915.

Miss Ella, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. William Robertson, in Chicago, Ill., has returned to her home in this city.

Mrs. G. R.-Thrasher and Mrs. R. J. Clarke, left yesterday for their home after spending several days in Kingston.

Mrs. S. Simmons has returned to her home in Toronto after visiting her mother, Mrs. Fleming, Cedar Street.

City Assessor C. A. Kerr will be absent from his office for a few days.

Messrs. T. D. Hughes, North, Dakota; Mr. E. Hughes, Belleville, and Mrs. Thomas McCaw, Tweed, visited their brother, Mr. William Hughes in Marmora last week.

Chief Pilot of Pyle's Plane Has Had Noted Career as Airman

Ernie Pyle is with the Navy in the far Pacific. This is an article written on his way.

By ERNIE PYLE

In the Marianas Islands — (Delayed) — Our chief pilot on the last long leg of our flight from Honolulu to Guam was Lieut. Comdr. Don Shirvin. He's from the family that owns the hotels in Oklahoma City and even if you didn't know it you'd know from his creased heads and neck that he's either a Texan or Oklahoman.

Commander Shirvin has never worked at the hotel business though he has to have freedom, and said about the hotels: He has been flying 26 years — flew for oil companies in South America, went to Spain during the revolution and flew combat there.

Then came the war and he went into the Navy and flew combat in the South Pacific. But he likes big plane best, and now is transferring from airplane to flying boats.

Just before daylight Commander Shirvin sent the orderly back to wake me up, and sailed me to come forward to the pilot's compartment. Then he had me sit in the co-pilot's seat, and from that exalted vantage point on this monster of the air I saw the dawn gradually come and lighten the ostiony acres of clouds on three over the wide Pacific.

Flying is mostly monotonous and dull. But there are always little peaks of grandeur in every flight. Seeing this dawn come was one of them. It was an unutterable thing, and couldn't help but be thrilled by it.

Commander Shirvin likes flying as a hobby, and has taken 1600 feet of color film of just such dawns and sunsets as this one. He said the folks at home wrote that if he saw such things often, no wonder he liked to fly.

* * *

We came out of the boundless sky and over our island destination just a little after dawn. The island was very beautiful — and incredibly far from home — down there in the Pacific blue.

It seemed unbelievable that we could find and drive ourselves to it unerringly out of the vast Pacific spaces. It was like a blind man finding a dime across a field, and putting his finger directly on some previously planted knob of a wire fence on the other side. But as I say, they do it all the time. (Thank the Lord.)

Then Commander Shirvin asked if I would like to stay up there while we landed. Indeed I would. For that is a rare invitation. I stood just behind the two pilots while we circled the field and dropped lower and circled again.

The instruments of these immense planes is like a ritual in school. The co-pilot takes a printed list, entitled in daylight, "Pre-Flight," of instrument board. Then he starts reading aloud, down the list. After each item the pilot calls back "check."

It takes five minutes to go through all the complicated adjustments to change the plane from something that will only fly, into something that will also range successfully with the earth. Always the typed list is read aloud and checked to make sure that no single thing is forgotten.

And then we were ready. It was right down close to the ground, and sweat was pouring off me. Over his shoulder Shirvin gave commands and radio the coming and the ground

Premier Drew Defines Government Attitude Toward Allowances Act

Toronto, Feb. 27 (CP)—A statement by Premier Drew, defining his government's attitude toward family allowances, was expected to end speculation of the Ontario legislature today. But the possibility of an early termination of the present session was not yet ruled out.

Debate on the controversial issue was deferred to the Throne Speech debate after Premier Drew told the government is not opposed to family allowances but suggested that the Act be permitted to lapse in order to prevent the Federal Act going into effect. A. A. MacLeod (Lab.-Prog., Toronto, Bellwoods) called the Premier's statement a "humiliating retreat" and declared it is certain that the House sit down to discuss the allowances question.

It was Mr. MacLeod's motion that today opened the way for vigorous attack on the administration by representatives of all non-government parties, leading to the persistent rumor yesterday that dissolution would result. It was thought the government might seek a confidence vote and, if defeated, would dissolve the assembly.

Crisis May Again Arise.

When the issue comes up in the Throne Speech debate tomorrow or Thursday, a crisis may again arise. Mr. MacLeod, C.C.F. opposition leader, is expected to move an amendment on the subject, which will probably be supported by the Liberals and Labor-Progressive as well as the C.C.F.

Premier Drew told the House that Mr. J. G. Althouse, M.P., has calculated this in my own family would entail the purchase of vitamin supply....

Excuse me, but I must interrupt right here to call to the attention of these puzzled nutrition authorities who take frequent issue with the sound off on the half-baked theory that a well balanced diet supplies all the vitamins the ordinary individual needs. Here is the considered judgment of the Professor of Experimental Medicine in the medical city of Cincinnati, that his own family scarcely gets enough vitamins from what he eats and he presumes to be a reasonably well balanced one. Maybe some of the prominent debunkers of the vitamin school tell the Professor how to do the trick. I notice that no one ever offers a simple menu of the well balanced diet so difficult to attain.

I have accomplished this in my own family (Dr. Mills means) by reinforcing the dietary vitamin supply with the regular addition of a crude extract of alfalfa leaves—alfalfa is one of the richest known sources for most of the B vitamins. (End of quotation from Dr. Mills' book.)

That reminds me, Brady, that a long time ago we printed in this column a report by a western farmer who declared that his cows never ever he felt the need of a lift, and a cup or two of freshly brewed alfalfa tea never failed to refresh and restore him when he came in feeling depressed and weary. Now I do not guarantee any result from alfalfa tea, but better alfalfa tea can do no harm in any country you may like or in any form. If you do try it and fail to feel the desire to look to your head and prance about the pasture — don't write to me about it. Remember, in this instance I'm merely passing along Dr. Mills' suggestion.

The B vitamins are soluble in water and hence alfalfa tea will contain a considerable amount of them, and also a certain portion of steeping or heating the better.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Lenterhos

Physicians to whom I have complained of leukorrhea at one time or another always dismiss it as of no significance. (M.S.)

Answer—Send stamped envelope bearing your address and ask for booklet on Leukorrhea.

Gray Hair

Would like to have any article you may send on restoring gray hair to natural. (E. P.)

Answer—Subject of premature graying of hair, anti-gray hair tonics, etc., is fully covered in booklet "The Hair and Scalp"—for copy send 10c and self addressed stamped envelope bearing your address

Fourteen Girls

Fourteen girls in this ward like you much better now that you have learned something about pneumothorax. We are receiving pneumothorax treatment.

(R. P.)

Answer—And if had to learn it the hard way, Mr. Brady, so did I, Salvygrams

Following your suggestion I have been using lanolin with oil as complexion wonderfully, but friends of mine—nurses with whom I work—tell me it will grow hair.

(Miss S. M.)

Answer—They are too gullible.

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PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

ALFALFA SUPPLIES THE B VITAMINS

It is quite possible that better resistance to colds and other winter respiratory infections (both your allergic ones and those due to bacteria) could result from the prudent consumption of alfalfa leaves as a vitamin supply.

Dr. Mills refers us to vitamins otherwise known as the vitamin B complex in alfalfa leaves.

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YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

INFORMATION ROUNDUP

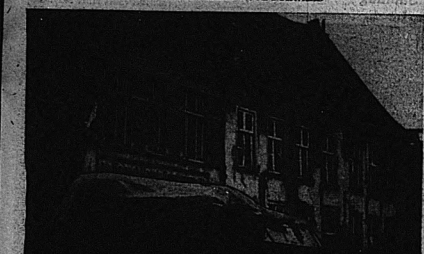
The majority of cattle raised in Montana are of the type commonly called "criollos." Some of them resemble the early longhorns of the southwestern United States, except they are smaller. The Mexican cattle now used in buildings are descended from the Texas longhorns than any other cattle.

Andrew Jackson said of Sam Houston that he was "A man made by God and not by a tailor."

The Julian calendar, so called because it was made under the supervision of Julius Caesar, was used for 1600 years. Most people naturally assume "Julian" comes from the calendar in his capacity of dictator. The calendar was drawn up under the jurisdiction of the Roman pontiff, however, and Julius Caesar was elected "pontifex maximus," equivalent to "pope" of the Roman Roman religion. It was in his capacity as pontifex maximus that Caesar extended the duties and function of revising the calendar.

The Julian calendar was in general use until the adoption of the Gregorian calendar, which was put into effect by the supervision victual.





Slogging their way through the mud flooded swirling waters. In flooding the country, the Germans countryside in their hasty retreat through Germany, thought they could stem the British-Canadian Canadians have been nicknamed "The Water Rats" in their advance . . . they failed.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.) Here a sturdy truck rolls forward through the

MARMORA

Rflm. R.K. McFall Returns Home

Marmora — The homecoming of Rifleman Robert K. McFall to his wife and two children at Roseville on Saturday afternoon was a happy one indeed. Rifleman McFall, who has been overseas for the past two years, was met at the station by his wife and family and friends.

Rifleman McFall was with the Canadian Scottish Regiment when he was captured on December 19, 1941. He crossed to Sicily with the Canadian Scottish Regiment with D-Day, 10 days after. Subsequently he took part in the landing at Reggio on the toe of Italy. After being in Italy for a few months he was travelling with comrades in a Bren Gun Carrier when it was struck by a German 88 shell. Rifleman McFall was unconscious for a short time when rendered first aid for further treatment. Duty and the command was short, discipline was the most salient feature of the army, he was not unduly concerned about the goings of the Atlantic. Looking back on his experiences Rifleman McFall recalled the strafing and bombing of Naples and his countries found awaiting the Allies on the blanks of the W.V.S. and the Red Cross of Canada.

"Wherever we landed," he said, "we found the English people very good." Several interesting things Mr. McFall saw during his time in Italy, but his grandest thing, he said, was the warm welcome he received from his wife and family. His elder son, Robert Allen, celebrated his third birthday on February 8th. This boy, it is interesting to note, is the fourth generation of the McFall and Irving families. Rifleman McFall and his father and grandfather bearing the same name.

Personals

John Freeman of the R.C.N.V.R., West Coast, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman.

Mrs. and Mrs. D. Courneya of Tamworth spent the weekend with Mrs. Isabel Francis, Bell and Mrs. R. D. O'Connor.

Miss Ann Hopper spent the weekend in Ottawa.

Miss Evelyn Stephens Reg. N. of Peterborough, visited over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stephens.

Pte. Bernard Doyle of the West Coast is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle.

Mr. Joseph Gallery of Kingston spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Gallery.

Mrs. Fred Lewis is a patient in Kingston General Hospital.

Mrs. T. Rickey of Toronto is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman.

Mr. J. M. Brownlie has completed his examination classes at St. Paul's and at Toronto.

Mrs. Eva Johnston of Bancroft and Mrs. Fred Johnston of Belleville spent the weekend at their home here.

Mr. J. Murray is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough.

Group One of St. Paul's Church held a successful afternoon tea and bake sale in the church block on Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Cruickright, convener, appointed convener of the group, in charge. The proceeds from the cake took-place, Miss Miriam Savage holding the lucky ticket.

ALLAN MILLS

Nine-year-old Boy Wins $168 In Radio Contest

Allan Mills — Master Teddy Grills, aged nine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grills of English Line, was the lucky winner of the first prize of $168 offered on the Maker Shoes Stores program on Monday night.

The prize was won when Teddy's letter was drawn in the "Spots for Shoes" contest, and in this case the following question was answered correctly, "On what kind of shoes does a horn grow?"

Mrs. J. G. McKeown called on Mrs. W. Gilbert on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Tucker of Stirling visited their daughter, Mrs. Harold Stiles who is suffering from rheumatic fever.

Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

TULIPS AT EDGE OF SNOWBANK

Port Hope, Feb. 27 (CP)—Native Motherlovers would probably be amazed at the hardiness displayed by their favorite tulips at Dale, Ont., near here.

Bulbs, ranging in height from one-half to two inches, are already thriving at the foot of a snowbank. Reason for the early growth is that early snows prevented the ground from freezing.

PRESIDENT RESTING

Vatican City, Feb. 27 —(AP)—Monsignor Walter Carroll of Pittsburgh, Pa., American chaplain to the Vatican Secretariat of State said Sunday he had learned that President Roosevelt was "resting and returning home from the "Big Three" conference. He said he had heard nothing about any illness of the President.

90 Canadians Among 3,000 Prisoners Of War Liberated by Reds

Moscow, Feb. 27 (CP Cable) — Ninety Canadian officers and other ranks are among 3,000 Allied prisoners of war liberated from German camps by the Russian Army who will be home shortly from a reported 1,000 miles away, Brig. Hereward Lafferty, Canadian military attache, announced today.

No names were available.

Col. Admiral E. A. Archer, Chief of the British Military Mission here announced that about 2,000 British officers and 1,000 other ranks former prisoners, will go home shortly. All have been found "in very good physical state," he said, but the majority are officers, non-commissioned officers and men.

The first group is expected to arrive in London March 6th (tomorrow).

The authorities hope to make broadcasts in English, Russian and Polish, directing all liberated prisoners to collection points which they will be guarded to Odessa.

At the camp teams of experts will, usually under Red Cross identity of all prisoners. It is known that some Germans already have tried to pass themselves off to the Russians as Americans, Britons or Canadians.

Brig. Lafferty is furnishing the press food copies in accordance with a prisoner repatriation agreement signed at Tehran.

The Russians are preparing a transit camp near Odessa until they be taken over by a British repatriation party at Tehran.

The team includes Australians, Australians and New Zealanders.

Pass in Review.

Prince Albert, Sask., Feb. 27 (CP)—The 120th, 121st and 122nd Battalions in the open, in temperatures ranging to 30 below zero, the 1,760-men and officers of Canada's "Eskimo force" marched past Governor-General Alexander, Premier Hon. Mackenzie King, M.P., and Premier Hon. Jean Lesage in the saddle of two horses, passed in review before Brig. G. A. H. Trumbell, officer commanding Military District No. 12 Sunday, to mark the completion of the first phase of exercise in fighting under sub-zero conditions in Saskatchewan.

Platoon of the R.C.A.F. army co-operation squadron, which participated, rossed overland during the 30 kilometres required for the long line, 1 vehicle, a jeep, in the reviewing stand.

Commander of the international aspect of the exercise, representatives of the British and United States armies were on the reviewing stand. Also on the stand were Lt. Col. W. E. Medlicott, D.D., district chief of Staff of the exercise, and Lt. Col. Trumbell.

Of the 1,500-men and N.C.O.'s, 80 percent are R.M.A.s personnel. It is stated they are slated for overseas service, senior N.C.O.'s and key personnel were granted service furloughs.

Several score of observers representing the United States army and the British War Office participated in the exercise.

Following a return to Prince Albert completed a six weeks' tactical exercise at Big Bonge, 180 air miles north of Prince Albert and 300 from the starting point. Including taxi-ing, manoeuvres, about 800 miles were covered. For the six weeks the men had no shelter other than the special winter tents prepared for the exercise.

Mechanical equipment put to the test included virtually every vehicle which operates in a potential north role in Winter fighting. There were tracked carriers, ambulances and jeeps, in addition to wheeled vehicles which included jeeps and tracked vehicles from lumbering tanks to the gun carriers, weasels, and others specially designed for use on snow covered terrain.

LOOTED OF TREASURES

Toronto, Feb. 27 —(CP)—Francis H. Taylor, director of the Pennsylvania Museum of Art, New York, Saturday night told the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada that the German armies looted Europe of about $26,000,000,000 worth of art treasures and gold and jewelry.

46-Below Weather, Night Treks, Live Ammunition Simulate Battle Conditions in North Saskatchewan

Ottawa, Feb. 27 (CP)—Night treks in 46 below zero temperatures in northern Saskatchewan with 1,150 airborne and ground troops engaged and live ammunition used in simulated battle conditions were part of the first-of two winter army exercises announced by defence headquarters.

The exercises were described as the "most extensive" undertakings of this nature ever attempted by the army in Canada."

The Saskatchewan "Zhilmo" exercises covering 270 miles on a round trip from a Prince Albert base, ended after six weeks and were designed to test the mobility of modern formations in underveloped country during acute cold weather.

A British Columbia "Polar Bear" exercise, still continuing in the area between Williams Lake and Bella Coola, is similarly designed to test the movement of an airborne force in mountainous wet cold conditions with limited shelters and transport.

Defence headquarters said they could not give any indication as to ultimate use of the knowledge gained and training gained in the schemes but they announced "extensive co-operation" have been given in equipment and experts by Britain and the United States.

Only likely theatre of operations for use of such knowledge as gained in northern Saskatchewan, would be the interior of northern China where conditions on the British Columbia coast might be likened to those of German-occupied Norway.

The headquarters announcement referred to peacetime benefits to the Canadian northland and added:

"The general benefits include the building and improvement of roads, the resultant changes that may be expected in design of vehicles, clothing and shelters and in the fields of medicine, dentistry, nutrition and hygiene."

The R.C.A.F. assumed the role of supply, dropping casualty evacuation, photo reconnaissance and tactical airdrome maintenance in northern Saskatchewan. Few details of the British Columbia scheme were given but an mension was made as to whether the navy was used on this coastal project.

WITNESSES TWO JIMA INVASION

New York, Feb. 27—(AP)—James Forrestal, navy secretary, in an eye-witness account of the invasion of Iwo Jima, described Britain's economy both through manpower and resources and volunteers for the fighting forces.

5 Neutral Nations, Possibly Six, Reported Banned

By ALEX SINGLETON

(Associated Press Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 27 — (AP)—Spain, Switzerland, Portugal, Argentina and Eire said Reuter have been banned from the San Francisco conference, it was reliably reported Saturday night.

Even a declaration of war—the ticket for admission to the peace table for other neutral nations—apparently has been turned down in the case of these countries.

Only a change of government, it was reported in responsible quarters might win some of these countries a place back in the good graces of the major powers and a seat with a vote—in the projected world security council.

It is significant that none of the countries declared war on Germany in the "Big Three" decisions to give other neutrals until March 1 to make up their minds.

But at the same time, it was obvious that countries which persisted through dealings with the Nazis right to the Axis were in the ascendency will have to pay in the form of pressure.

The decision—confirmed by Turkey's announcement that it had until the first of next month to make up its mind—was regarded here as chiefly the result of an ultimatum laid down by Russia.

Reuter's dispatch indicated she would refuse to share the peace table with any representative of Gen. Franco's regime.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Pte. Graydon Ackerman, of the Newmarket Military Training Centre, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ackerman, Ogden Street, over the weekend.

Mrs. L. J. Sharpe, of Belleville, was among the students who passed final year in the annual examinations of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto.

Cpl. John Mosher is spending a leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Mosher, 72 Victoria Avenue.

Art Bourdeau, of the Merchant Marine, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lavender, 44 Station Street.

Surgeon Lieutenant Ryan G. Cameron, of Kingston General Hospital, spent a couple of days last week with his aunts, Miss Winnifred and Miss Carrie Miller, Glen Miller. Dr. Cameron left Kingston on Monday for the Naval Hospital in Halifax.

Mrs. W. J. Price, 47 Gordon St., has left for Vancouver, B.C., where she will spend a few weeks visiting with her daughter and husband.

Mrs. W. W. Phillips, of Trenton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harrison and Barbara, 87 Dundas Street.

The Avondale Neighbors' Aid sponsored a euchre party in the Oddfellows' Hall on Monday evening, and considering the inclement weather it was a gratifying success. There were eleven tables of euchre in play with the prize winners as follows: ladies' Mrs. F. Bymer, men's, Mr. A. Wilson; lone hand, Mrs. H. Stridger; consolation, Mrs. D. Cameron, Mr. S. Lough. committee in charge of the affair is very grateful to all those who turned out on the occasion. Convener of the committee was Mrs. H. Stridge. Refreshments were served by members of the committee. Proceeds are in aid of War Work.

AIKENS' MISSION BAND

The February meeting of Aikens' Mission Band was held at the school on February 18th with the President, Vivian Pearson, was in charge of the program. The story for the worship service was that of Joseph as a shepherd boy and was given by Margaret Kelly. This was followed by prayer led by Grant Kells. Nineteen members and five adults were present. The offerings was taken by Douglas Vaughan.

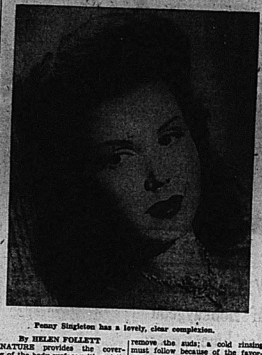
Doreen Pearson read a story of Jack Miner and his love for birds and children.

The Superintendent, Mrs. Brickman was assisted by Mrs. Marshall in the dramation of the Study Book, "Tommy Two Wheels".

A few minutes were spent on the Trail of Valladeres.

The meeting closed with the statement of the members' purpose and the benediction.

Conditioning the Complexion



Penny Singleton has a lovely, clear complexion.

By HELEN FOLLETT

NATURE provides the coverings of the body surface with a delicate and marvelous oiling system. In every pore is a tiny gusher to exude what the skin needs for its well being.

For some reason or other, this lubricating system isn't always properly regulated. It spouts too much oil, causing complexions to shine like a good deed in a naughty world, or it may shut up shop, so skin sticks, let the epidermal coat carry on as best it can. Which isn't very good, as the women who suffer from a dry skin well testify.

Sebaceous Glands

It is likely that sebaceous glands are affected by the diet; many skin specialists suggest certain foods for overcoming conditions of the skin that are not normal. The "oilies" are warned against fried foods, pastes and chocolate. It is suggested that the face should be well soaped twice a day, but water should be frictioned into the flesh for a minute or two.

A warm rinsing is necessary to as eight glasses of water a day.

remove the suds; a cold rinsing must follow because of the favorable reaction on the blood stream. Astringents are helpful. Witch hazel serves as a corrective when sebaceous glands are over-active.

Dry Complexions

It has been noticed by facial operators that women who suffer from dry complexions and scaling scalps usually are on a fat-free diet because they are afraid of gaining weight. A little more fat should be added for the complexion's sake.

After the reception Cpl. and Mrs. Adams left by train for Toronto, while to spend a few days in London, Ont. Upon their return Mrs. Adams will reside in Napanee and Cpl. Adams will report to his unit at Moncton, N.B.

Minerva Chapt., 138, Observes Anniversary

Following the regular Chapter meeting on February 20th, Minerva Chapter members and their guests enjoyed a very Happy Birthday Party. Mrs. Harry Hawkins, Worthy Matron, Mr. Robert Orr, Worthy Patron, graciously welcomed their guests. Chapters represented were: Toronto, Bancroft, Deseronto, Tweed, Wellington, Trenton, and Belleville.

A very interesting Birthday ceremony was presented by the charter members, honoring the present and past worthy matrons and past worthy patrons of Minerva.

Mrs. Margaret McCaw, D.D.G.M. of District No. 12, cut the decorated cake. Refreshments were served and a most enjoyable evening was brought to a close with dancing.

Rebekah Assembly President Visits Quintena Lodge

A very pleasing event took place in the Oddfellows' Temple on Thursday evening last when Quinte Rebekah Lodge had the honor of being honored with a visit from the President of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario, Mrs. Edith Hall, of Kingston.

A banquet was served at 6.30 p.m. The tables were beautifully decorated in red and white, and a very beautiful repast was served. Special praise is due the committee in charge for the success of a much enjoyed dinner.

The Toast list was as follows— The King—Proposed by the chairman, Mr. L. Pollitt, response, The National Anthem.

The Order — Proposed by the D.D.P.G., Mrs. I. Adams. Responded by the President, Mrs. E. Hall, and the Grand Patriarch, Mr. O. Kerr.

Our Visitors — Proposed by the M.G., Miss P. Twiddy. Responded by P.D.D.G., Mrs. Malcolm Cowell—Tweed.

Our Men and Women in Service— Proposed by the V.G., Mrs. O. Charlton. Responded to by Mrs. E. Turner.

A meeting of the Rebekah Lodge followed the banquet, the business being exemplified in a very pleasing and creditable manner.

During the evening the special guests were escorted through the Grand of Honor. The President, Mrs. E. Hall, was introduced by P.N.G., E. Turney; the D.D.P., Mrs. I. Adams, by P.N.G., Mrs. Ethel Twiddy; the Grand Patriarch by P.D.D.P., Mrs. A. Bonney; the Grand Sentinel, Mr. L. Pollitt, by P.N.G., Mrs. O. McEwan.

The honors of the degree were given and an address of welcome made by the N.G., Mrs. Ethel Twiddy.

Many visitors were present from the districts of Tweed, Wellington, Bloomburg and Stirling. There were also visitors from Kingston, Trenton, Brockville and Wheatley.

During the evening, Mrs. Hall received a beautiful gift from the Lodge this being presented by Mrs. O. Charlton and Mrs. M. Bray.

A very inspiring and instructive address was made by the President. Short remarks were made by Mrs. I. Adams and Mr. O. Kerr.

The event will be long remembered as another pleasant milestone of the Rebekah Order.

WEDDINGS

ALLEN—KIRKEY

A wedding of interest took place at Bethel United Church, Sine, Ont., Saturday, Feb. 24, at three p.m., when Lorna Jean Kirkey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kirkey, of Harold, was united in marriage to Cpl. Harry H. Allen, RCAF, Camp Mohawk, Deseronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orvis Allen, St. Martins, N.B. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. P. Towns and, Shirley and Mrs. Roy Shortis presided at the organ.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was becomingly gowned in a white satin brocade, princess lined with lace inserts. She wore a shoulder-length veil, and carried an arm bouquet of red roses.

Miss Myrtle Kirkey, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid, was gowned in a dusty rose crepe street-length dress with lace inserts and wore a shoulder-length veil. She carried an arm bouquet of pink roses.

The groom was attended by Mr. Lorne Kirkey, brother of the bride, and Mr. Walter Warren, Sine, acted as usher.

During the signing of the register, Mrs. Walter Warren, with Mrs. Roy Shortis at the organ, contributed two vocal solos, "O Perfect Love" and "O Promise Me".

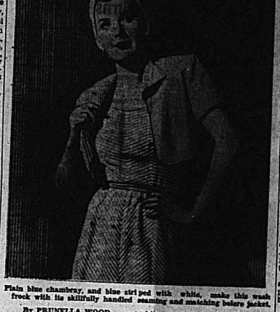
A reception followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warren, where luncheon was served by Mrs. Walter Warren, Mrs. Roy Shortis, Mrs. James Warren and Mrs. Samuel Clute, Sine.

The groom's gift to the bride was a gold heart-shaped locket and the bride's gift to the groom was a Sterling silver compact. The groom presented corsage gifts to the soloist and organist of sterling silver compacts, and to the best man, a black leather wallet.

The out-of-town guests were Miss Dorothy Dowdell and Miss Edith Chamberlain, Consecon; Mr. Jack Gray, Sault Ste. Marie; Cpl. K. H. McNutt, LAC. G. R. Lees and LAC. G. E. Allen, Mountain Mead; Deseronto; and Mr. Maurice Tierney, Napanee.

After the reception Cpl. and Mrs. Allen left by train for Toronto, while to spend a few days in London, Ont. Upon their return Mrs. Allen will reside in Napanee and Cpl. Allen will report to his unit at Moncton, N.B.

Shopping or Sunning



Plain blue chambray, and blue striped with white, make this wash frock with its skilfully handled

By PRUNELLA WOOD

CRISP as a sunny morning with a blue sky and just enough chore to clothes to decorate it . . . that's the cotton chambray frock. And it's in that same color scheme, too. The dress, of plain and blue and while striped chambray, has a sun-suit top and skirt full enough to become a figure, which has shed its girdle. The jacket covers the bodice and surrender to make this suitable model a useful one for marketing.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

The Problem of Acknowledging a Compliment

Dear Mrs. Beeckman:

Recently I had the opportunity of singing at a large church affair and since then I have been receiving many compliments about my singing. I acknowledge these kind words with a smile and a "Thank you." My friend says that for me to thank you makes me sound conceited, because it means that I know I have a fine voice. What do you think about her comment, Mrs. Beeckman?

Donna.

Your friend's comment doesn't make sense. Saying "Thank you," as you properly do, means that you are expressing your appreciation to the person for his or her kindness in saying something pleasant. How in the world could there be any showing of conceit in your gracious "Thank you?" Indeed you have a right to be proud of these good words, and if I were you, I'd add to the "Thank you" . . .

"You are very kind to say such nice things, and you make me very happy and proud. (Tell your friend that's a good healthy pride doesn't mean "conceit!")

In thanking for a compliment there are two kinds of people: (1) the ones who make pleasant comments seem bigger or stupider by saying, for example, "You know, singing terribly." I think it was awful;" and (2) the ones who, like you, accept the compliment with a gracious "Thank you" or adding as I have suggested, a few more words of appreciation.

Rules for a Church Wedding

Dear Mrs. Beeckman:

My wedding is to be in church; formal; paid of honor and best man. Will you please answer several questions for me?

1. Do I pay for the maid of honor's bouquet?

2. In a double ring ceremony does the maid of honor carry the groom's ring?

3. On which side of the church does the bride's mother sit, and on which side the groom's parents?

4. When the bride is married in church does she change her street clothes, or wear her wedding gown to the reception at her home?

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1. Customarily the bride or her family pays for the flowers to be carried by the maid of honor. These flowers are an important part of the attendant's costume, since they must harmonize with it in color and design. Therefore it is practical to order them when the decoration flowers are ordered, for church and reception.

2. Yes, the maid of honor is the custodian of the bridegroom's ring, handing it to the bride at the moment that the best man gives her ring to the bridegroom. Then the bride puts the bridegroom's ring on his finger immediately after she has received the ring from him.

3. The bride's mother sits in the first pew on the left of the aisle; and the bridegroom's parents, in the first pew on the right of the aisle. The reason for this is that since the bride-groom's parents are the guest of honor at the wedding, they sit on the right of the bride's mother, who is the hostess, and the host, the bride's father, who joins his wife after the part of the ceremony in which he gives the daughter in marriage.)

4. The bride wears her formal bridal attire during the reception as custom decrees she should wear it during this glamorous hour of glory!

Preview of Summer



Spun Rayon Resort Dress

By VERA WINSTON

MOST OP, the resort clothes shown so far are of the simple, effective type that can go through a torrid summer looking gracious and charming whatever the scene. Effectively simple is this resort and summer frock of spun rayon in a delightful shade of coral. Black satin braid is used on the bodice, in rows that extend to the back. Two flaps pockets on the bodice are braid trimmed. It has a circular skirt above matching plastic buttons of throat-to-hem closing.

Fashion Flashes

A CRISP FEELING marks the fashioning of spring—what with crisp sailors and suits of such crisp fabrics as faille, taffeta and moire. One of these silk suits in black, brown or navy is a smart after dark as during the day. Simply tailored, they take briefly to accessories.

NO END TO the ingenuity with which milliners use ribbon. A charming pillbox is trimmed with high front bows of satin and tulle. In back there are long wide streamers to hang or to be tied under the chin in a big bow.

THERE'S NO ARGUMENT possible against the assertion that pearls are popular, since the shops report that they're going practically sold out as soon as advertised. A nice idea for a new treatment is to twine a double strand of pearls around and around a black velvet neckband.

GROWING SMALLER, yet quite adequate for the job, is the verdict on the handbag, after seeing all the new offerings. Nice for afternoon dress-up is a purse of black suede, a small oblong softly scalloped edge. It is trimmed in the centre with jet and crystal beads in a flower design.

FROM ALL ACCOUNTS, there'll be plenty of black at the shore come summer. A pretty bathing suit is in black taffeta styled on princess lines. The top is in self fabric lattice work over pale pink or pale blue jersey with shoestring shoulder straps.

The Experts Say

By HELEN BANNERMAN
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Ottawa, Feb. 27 (CP)—A dose of sulphur and molasses used to be generally the lazy tired, end of winter feeling that little most of us take these days, but grandmother's cure was sound from a nutritional point of view, says Ann Bunna, assistant director of the Consumer Section of the Health Department's Nutrition Division.

Important vitamin B1 is found in oats, pork, green vegetables and whole grain cereals, while molasses is mainly in darker colored foods like dry fruits, red meats and especially liver, and also in whole grain cereals.

Molasses tops the sugar foods in nutritive value, contributing calories to the diet plus worthwhile amounts of calcium, iron and B-complex vitamins, it says. Dr. L. B. Pett, director of nutrition, present day molasses is neither so dark nor so nutritious as old time black-strap.

Anne's menu containing plenty of vigor-giving iron and B1 might include these foods: At breakfast, a glass of orange juice, a bowl of whole grain cereal like cooked rolled oats, topped with wheat germ sprinkled on top, a poached egg on toast, milk and cocoa. Approved bread, and coffee for the family; and members, milk for the children.

Lunch or supper; cream of tomato soup, fresh fruit in season, Melba toasted bread and butter, gingerbread with lemon sauce.

Dinner: pork chops, baked potatoes, buttered carrots, stewed dried fruit (prunes or figs) and oatmeal cookies, milk, tea or coffee.

Skin care pays dividends in the kitchen as well as in the bathroom and here are helpful tips on the subject from the Agriculture Department Consumer Section:

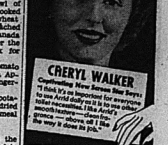
An old story, but worth retelling, is the one that most people fruits and vegetables except when they're consumed raw. Cooking takes the food values where they belong —in the blood.

Grate the skins of citrus fruits before peeling to keep the gratings in a covered jar in the ice box. They will add interesting flavor to cookies, a fruit salad, sugar cubes for hem and countless other dishes.

Vegetable Razzle: The cooked and vegetable razzle will be a nice addition to Sunday's supper when served with a salad, and the Consumers of the Agriculture Department. A salad with apples in it seems to have a natural affinity for this combination.

For the razzle heat three cups of tomato juice and one bay leaf. When hot add 2 1-2 cups of grated soft Cheddar cheese, stirring it in slowly and continuing to stir until the cheese melts. Add three level teaspoons dry mustard, one teaspoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon pepper, three teaspoons Worcestershire sauce and one tablespoon butter. Season with cook or reheat three cups of mixed vegetables and make six slices of toast. Arrange the vegetables on toast and top with the rarebit mixture.

GOOD PROMOTION marks many of the new fashions. A charming laundry-purdy print in rayon crepe is used for dresses, under hats, gloves and even umbrellas.



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RETURNS FROM "DEAD"



Pte. Billy Homan of St. Mary's, Ont., who was listed as dead in military records, and whose mother received a Silver Cross, arrived home a few days ago looking very much alive. He had been in a German prison camp. Here he is with his cousin, Marie Marley, who is showing him his memorial cross.

MASCOT OF THE IRISH



Canadians in Italy have many types of mascots with their regiments. One of the most common to be seen in rest areas are Italian youngsters ranging in age from 6 to 12 years, decked out in real Canadian uniforms. Some have even acquired the rank of corporal and sergeant. They may be seen strutting through the streets with grown-up soldiers and here is little Remo, mascot of the Irish Regiment of Canada, examining the bugle of Bandsman James Bennett of Toronto.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

LLOYD GEORGE, LEADER IN WAR AND PEACE, IS SERIOUSLY ILL.



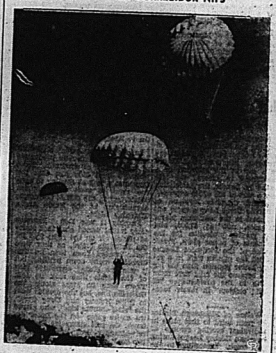
Earl Lloyd George, 82-year-old elder statesman who was British prime minister during World War I and one of the leaders in that war's peace settlement, is seriously ill at his home in Wales. The colorful white-haired Liberal was recently elevated to the peerage by King George VI in recognition of his long service to the empire. His physician reports that though he is "resting comfortably", his condition is serious and he is suffering from "increasing physical weakness."

BRITISH GEOLOGIST GREETS MacARTHUR



Brig.-General Pellers, military secretary to General MacArthur, is greeted at the door of the civilian section of Bilibed prison, Manila, by Arch Skarl, British geologist and member of the committee which headed the group of 400 prisoners until they were freed February 5.

DROPPING ON CORREGIDOR NIPS



Parratroopers of the 503rd. Parachute Infantry descend to a 'chute covered field on the historic island bastion of Corregidor during the brilliant operations that won the island back from the Japs.

AFTER 16 YEARS



Pte. Harold Dost, 20, of Fort Lewis, Wash., and his sister, Mrs. Eleanor Giraldin, 19, of New Brunswick, N.J., swap a way 16 years of separation as they meet for the first time in 16 years. The two were reunited through efforts of the New York Daily Mirror on request from Chaplain Leonard of Fort Lewis. Sixteen years ago the parents separated and the boy and girl were adopted by different families. Now Eleanor tells her soldier brother that he can always have a home with her.

BRITISH TOMMIES MARCHING ON THE ROAD TO GOCH.



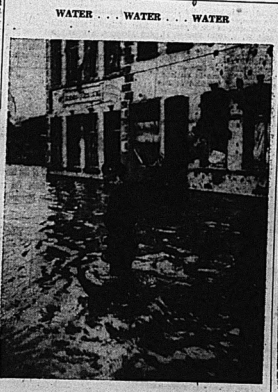
British Tommies of the First Canadian Army pass through a ruined village on the road to Goch, key point in the German defences at the northern end of the Siegfried line. Tommies moved in on Goch after the capture of Kleve by the Canadians. A slow, but steady advance continues in this area while the American armies to the south have now opened a drive that the Germans say is the long-awaited big push.

WORLD'S LARGEST AIR TRANSPORT



Here is a model of the giant 204-passenger Consolidated Vultee airplane—largest yet proposed. Pan-American World Airways has ordered and 15,000 pounds of mail, baggage and express. New York to London will be a 9-hour trip in this great ship which will be twelve times the size of the present standard 2-engine commercial aircraft. The great planes will be 182 feet long with a wing span of 230 feet and have six engines to produce power equivalent to the output of 535 average automobile engines. It will have two decks with luxurious accommodations.

WATER . . . WATER . . . WATER



The Nazis flooded the countryside in an attempt to stem the British-Canadian offensive that has bitten deep into Germany . . . but failed. The men of the First Canadian Army have been nicknamed "The Water Rats." Here is one, a military policeman, waist deep in swirling waters, waiting to direct traffic through this German village.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

"WATER RAT"



One of the First Canadian Army "water rats," a military policeman is shown waist deep in the swirling waters of a German village, waiting to direct the traffic.

THE WATERY ROAD TO CLEVE



Fighting through the flooded areas of the North West battle front, Canadians have won the name of "The Water Rats." Here on the road to Cleve, this graphic shot shows Canadian convoys wending along the flooded road to close in on their objective. The Nazis flooded the surrounding countryside in an attempt to stem the Canadian advance . . . and failed.—(Canadian Army Overseas Photo.)

HOW JAPAN FACES TWO-WAY THREAT



As Marines battle furiously to wipe out the Japs on Iwo and seize airfields within 750 miles of Tokyo, the clearing of Manila bay for American ships continues and the pattern of the two-way thrust on Nippon grows steadily clearer. Many observers consider the thrust up from Iwo, as indicated in inset map, to be the quick way, but others insist that after Manila must come a smash to the south China coast and the occupation of Formosa, indicated on large map, while planes batter Nippon from Iwo and move toward the Bonin Islands.

BRITISH TOMMIES MARCHING ON THE ROAD TO GOCH.



Captives of Red army troops, columns of war prisoners are shown plodding wearily along the roads of East Prussia after they had been taken prisoner by the advancing Red army forces. The majority of them are "Hitler's last hope"—the Volkssturm soldiers.

Belleville 'Bears' Defeat Stirling-Marmora Combines In Second Game of Playoffs

Locals Always on Top in 4-3 Victory and Many Fights Mar Contest

Stirling, Feb. 27th — (Special) — In a game marked with free-for-all fights, the Bears came from behind to win by the third period, the Belleville "Bears" defeated the Stirling-Marmora "Combines" from the round O.H.A. game with a 4-3 win here last night by taking the Third Inter Junior O.H.A. group series in two straight games. In a best-in-three series Coach "Toots" Holway's Belleville sextette took both ends of a two-game series and now meet the Kingston Victorias in the first round of the Junior "B" playdowns in O.H.A. with the first game slated to be played in Belleville Thursday.

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Locals Carried the Play

On heavy ice Holway's charges carried the play early and seemingly had more success with their combination plays than Coach Neal's Combines. Chasing an elusive puck-her-on heavy ice, Barrett successfully skirted the Combines' defence and broke hard, but, to no open the scoring. With Holway in the lib box for tripping, the Combines evened the count without hesitation when Trumble whipped in Coombs' pass. When it looked all even, however, the Belleville line of Day, Greatrix and Moher gave Holway a busy season, but the Combines' goalie rose to the occasion, following which Fitzpatrick twice beat Courtney and Bastedo at close range, sending back into form Coach Holway's initial line staged a three-minute passing play, that paid off for their second goal as B. Meagher stepped to pull Uiman out of position, passed to Barrett, who took care of Wright before giving the rubber to A. Meagher, who had only Mcilroy at his mercy for a second Belleville counter that ended the period scoring.

Series of Penalties

The middle session was a series of penalties as the officials were trying to keep the game under control with the existing conditions of sticky ice. Nine minor penalties were meted out, but only one resulted in a goal, that Barrett rifled to Coombs. While the latter was lamenting on the bench another Belleville three-way goal resulted with Bernie Meagher ringing the bell behind Uiman as Don Barrett as the period ended 3-1 for Holway's lads.

Came the third and most hectic frame that opened with Uiman, Stirling goalie, following a Belleville offensive, that saw Jean Barrett, the ice and Day relieved of the puck in the process. Belleville being the proverbial target of the Combines. Police and coolers-headed fans restored order, with the help of the referees, but no penalties resulted. Following the bedlam Coombs elevated the hopes of the home-town fans by napping Jacobs Coombs's pass-out during a scoring play by Bastedo, Cousins and Trumble.

Following the game the Combines swarmed the Belleville dressing room wishing the visitors every fortune in their future games.

The line-ups — Belleville: goal, Fitzpatrick; defence, Holway and Green; centre, Barrett; wings, Al Meagher and B. Meagher. Moher, Day, Greatrix, Reeves and Lyall. Stirling — Marmora Combines": goal, McInnoy; defence, Wright and Uiman; centre, Cousins; wings, Goodchild and Trumble; Coombs, Whitehead, Bastedo, Stapley, Nelder, Hastings and Mahon.

Referee: Burchell, Campbellford; Puffer, Hastings.

SUMMARY

1st Period—
1. Belleville—Barrett 4.44
2. Combines—
Trumble (Cousins) 9.11
Belleville—Al Meagher
Barrett (B. Meagher) 16.54
Penalties: Holway.

2nd Period—
3. Belleville—B. Meagher
(A. Meagher, Barrett) .. 2.57
Penalties: Cousins, Lawrence of Green, Holway, Moher, Uiman and Coombs.

3rd Period—
4. Combines—
Cousins (Goodchild) 4.09
5. Belleville—
Holway (Barrett) 13.59
Penalties: Holway, Al Meagher and Bastedo.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

New York — Steve Dudas, 198½, Edgewater, N.J., T.K.O. Jimmy Daddo, 186, New York, 8; Jimmy Bell, 178½, Washington, outpointed Danny Devlin, 178, Allentown, Pa., 10.

Chicago — Freddy Dawson, 140, Chicago, outpointed Jackie Wilson, 143, Chicago, 8; Charlie Wells, 153, New York, T.K.O. Chuck Swango, 180, Fort Wayne, 2.

Baltimore — Leo Q. Murray, 200, Norwalk, Conn., outpointed Al Hart, 200, Washington, 10; Ernie Pope, 196, Washington, T.K.O. Dan Bigelow, 179½, Baltimore, 6.

Cleveland — Leon Scarpner, 131, Cleveland, T.K.O., Kid Frawin, 130, Panama, 3; Gene Boland, 140, Detroit, outpointed Floyd La Vasseur, 144, Bay City, Mich., 6; Pat Scocano, 147, Toronto, outpointed Miguel Arzyo, 144, San Antonio, Tex., 8.

FRENCH FLOODS

In recent months, France experienced its worst floods in 80 years.



PLAYDOWNS

JUNIOR O.H.A.

HUME ARENA — BELLEVILLE

Thursday, March 1st

8.30 P.M.

Kingston

vs.

Belleville

Winners of the "Little Six," the Belleville Juniors now meet the Sarnided Kingston Victorias, one of the outstanding junior teams of Ontario. This will be one of those all-time Kingston-Belleville games. Don't miss it.

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NOT THROUGH YET — By Jack Sords



SAM BREADON SAYS MEETING IS POSTPONED

Committee Appointed to Select New Baseball Commissioner Not Ready

St. Louis, Feb. 27 (AP)—Mystery surrounded baseball's next move to find a new commissioner today, following an indefinite postponement of what was to have been the first formal meeting of a four-man committee considering possible candidates.

A secret meeting scheduled here for today became known publicly three days ago. Yesterday, Sam Breadon, St. Louis Cardinals' owner announced postponement.

Mr. Breadon has indicated many times that he felt the work of the committee—himself, P. K. Wrigley, Chicago Cubs; Don Barnes, St. Louis Browns; and Alva Bradley, Cleveland Indians—should be private. On-the-scene observers attributed the premature announcement of today's session figure in its postponement.

Mr. Bradley said he had been informed by Messrs. Breadon and Barnes by telephone of indefinite postponement. He said he plans to leave for New Orleans on business next week and does not expect to meet until after then.

Mr. Wrigley also said he had time to get much information to discuss with other members.

Mr. Barnes, in a statement to the press, said he was ready to meet any time. In announcing the postponement, Breadon gave no indication of when the four might get together.

Meanwhile, official action on the appointment of a successor for the late Kenesaw Mountain Landis remained at a standstill.

CZECHOSLOVAKIAN CITY

Before the war, Bratislava was Czechoslovakia's third city with a population of 160,000.

GALT RED WINGS DEFEAT OSHAWA IN FIRST GAME

Young Rangers Dispose of Marlboros in Other Bracket of Playoffs

(By The Canadian Press)

The first of the O.H.A. Junior "A" playdowns, in Toronto and Galt last night, gave early promise of keen competition from here forward the Memorial Cup finals. Galt, the Red Wings were forced to come from behind to down Oshawa Generals 4-2 in the initial clash of the best-of-five series while overtime was required before Toronto Young Rangers could dispose of their Orchard rivals, Marlboros 4-3 in the opening encounter of a rest-in-three grouping.

Generals, last year's Dominion champions, took command with a 3-0 lead against Red Wings but the latter evened the score in the middle session and Curtis carved the winning goal in 4:17 of the third period on a pass from Brompton inch, with Frenchy Mayer of Galt scoring an insurance counter a minute later.

Foglin, Adamo, Curr and Mayer scored for Generals in the first game while Oshawa counters went to Gallagher and Semanchuk. The rivals meet again at Oshawa Wednesday night.

Young Rangers and Marlies battled all through their all-Toronto debacle, with Rangers bulging the net first in each of the periods—once more in 24 seconds of overtime when Fleming gained the payoff goal. The scores were 1-1, 2-2 and 3-3 for the successive rounds, and they'll carry the close margins into the second meeting at Maple Leaf Gardens Saturday afternoon.

Matchmen for the Rangers were Payne, Dyzdale, Bishop and Fidelberry while the goal-finders for Marlboros were Michaelc, Two and Kirby.

MILES OF NERVES

Uncounted thousands of miles of nerve fibre comprise the brain and nervous system of the human body.

MARITIME CLUBS REACH PLAYOFFS

Halifax, Feb. 27 — (CP) — Maritime hockey clubs are swinging into the season's home stretch with playoffs in the Halifax City Senior Hockey League due to start shortly, the semi-finals in Nova Scotia's senior group are due to be shortly completed, and the New Brunswick senior playoffs are in the closing rounds.

In New Brunswick, the Saint John Beavers, who knocked Moncton Hawks out of contention in two straight games, continued with a 7-6 victory over the Amherst (N.S.) Ramblers to win the opening game of a best-of-three series for the right to meet Edmundston for the New Brunswick title.

The Amherst club is classed as a New Brunswick entry due to the sending player used by the Maritime Amateur Athletic Association Edmundston entered the finals by trimming Campbellton Papermakers 7-4 and 12-2.

In the A.H.O.-C circuit Pictou Rifflers and New Glasgow Bombers will tangle in the finals. New Glasgow gained entry by eliminating Robert Amy Seamens, and Pictou downed St. Francis Xavier University of Antigonish. Ebbert Air Force, which topped the league, was rested out by Army in the regular schedule.

In the Halifax senior league H.M.C.S. Cornwallis has top place, while Halifax Merchants and Dartmouth R.C.A.F. battle it out for second place, with the latter two having won three starts, while the Halifax Tars have lost their last two games.

ARTHUR KING WINS OVER SHEARS

Toronto, Feb. 27, (CP)—Arthur King last night edged Montreal's Jerry Shears in the Canadian featherweight boxing bout here to keep Jack Allen's record in circulation. Shears, who travelled from Montreal by air, where he earlier fought a three-round exhibition bout, defeated King last time they met.

Girard Boisvert of Montreal, and Jack Hamilton of Toronto, also produced the best fight of the supporting card, Boisvert, in the 135 pound Cordens was awarded the decision after a hard fight.

What's Doing in Sport

By The Canadian Press

A committee of 10 members representing the National Association of Basketball Coaches of America has resolved minor baseball should take over the duties of a commissioner to succeed the late Kenesaw Landis, the Association has decided. The committee, headed by President Clarence Rowland of the Pacific Coast League came out for a boost in the maximum player draft price to $7,500, and greater protection for the "B" and minor clubs. Frank Lawrence of the Association also suggested the minors were in a receptive mood for a merger of the two leagues because the fans were more interested in the appearance of new kids and oldsters" in organized baseball.

Bob Wilson of Pittsburgh Pirates Junior team limits his opponents to the individual scoring records of Maurice Richard and Elmer Lach of the past week, according to the latest released last night which showed he had registered two goals and seven assists during the period. Richard has scored two goals and one with 31 points, one less than Wilson's new total.

Credited with being the first overseas member of the Royal Canadian Engineers to win a decoration, Lieut.-Col. Bill Sweezey, R.E., C., former star of Western Mustangs, Edmonton, has won the Intercollegiate gold with 18 hits. He has been detailed to take an advanced staff course in England. He was seriously wounded at Dieppe.

The Saskatchewan Amateur Hockey Association last night announced Prince Albert Black Hawks would represent the Northern Junior hockey league in the Saskatchewan playdowns.

If Moose Jaw Canucks end their series this week with Regina Commandos, whom they lead three games to none in the best-of-seven series, Canucks will be home to Prince Albert in the first two games of the playdowns, on March 5 and 6.

The Quebec Senior Hockey League decided last night that its semi-final series would be best-two-of-three affairs, and that the finals on a best-of-seven basis, and set tentative dates for the semi-final. Four and fourth-place teams will meet in one bracket of the semi-finals, and second and third teams in the other. While Montreal Royals and Quebec Aces appeared assured of first two spots, is has not yet been determined which will be Commodores or Hull Volants will wind up in third spot.

Shrubb by a hockey stick during an American Hockey League game at Pittsburgh two weeks ago, defenseman John Kukkola, 26, of the St. Louis Flyers has lost the sight of his right eye, it was announced last night by his club following examination by five eye specialists.

RIVER ROAD

One of Germany's finger-highways roughly parallels the course of the Oder river.





Page Darwin.

An Irishman entered a barber shop for a shave. After he was seated and the lather applied, the barber was called to the adjoining room, where he was detained.

The barber had in the shop a pet monkey which caused amusement by imitating its master. As soon as the barber had left the room the monkey picked up a razor and, propping itself on the lather and proceeded to apply it to the Irishman's face.

Just then the operation was finished to the monkey's satisfaction, the little animal picked up a razor and, after stropping it, turned to Pat to shave him.

Irishman (firmly sitting erect)—Stop that! Ye kin tuck the towel in me neck and put the soap on my face, but begorrah, yer fathers not to shave me.

On to Kingston.

In one of those games played on soft ice, that is usually productive of out-breaks of flashcuts, Toots Holway's local kids beat the two Combines 4 to 3 at Stirling to earn the right to meet the Kingston "Victorias" in the O.H.A. playdowns commencing at the Hume Arena Thursday night.

Feature of the game was Don Barrett's early initial period goal that started things off on the right foot for the Belleville "Bears" and they never headed from then in. The Stirling-Marmora went down battling but it was the strong aggressive play of the locals that took its toll. There were two fights in the Belleville line, but the orchids went to Holway and Doug Trumble and Cousins who hit the twine, but it was difficult to play puck hockey on such soft sticky ice, although Belleville seemed to play good hockey well with the combination plays.

Tough Opposition.

Now Belleville meet the Kingston Victorias, a team that has been playing in the Kingston senior city league all winter. True enough the "Vics" have a formidable team on paper, but they didn't win the junior "B" title last year with a championship, so the fans can go to the rink Thursday well proud of the fact the Bears won the "Little Six."

Getting back to last night's game, the Combines went down fighting but did not take their reverses quite as hard as their fans. The third period was filled with fights, not the calibre that officials and players could not have handled, but the old-time free-for-als that saw the combatants swarm over the boards and take part. Following the game the Combines swarmed the locals' dressing room to wish them good fortune, only to see Doug Day, Bill Holway, Al Meagher and some of the rest showing outward signs of the physical pounding they received by the fans. The players had a good laugh, the Combines' executive did everything possible to avoid such trouble and all ended quite amicably.

Remember When.

The Kimberely "Dynamiters" were crowned amateur champions of the world when they won a 2-1 overtime victory over a Swiss team at London, England, eight years ago today, England, Olympic titleholders and previous holders by the Dynamiters, clinched second place with a 3-1 win over Sweden.

Incidentally with the recent abandonment of the Allan Cup series by the C.A.H.A. there will be no amateur world hockey championship until 1945. The C.A.H.A. announced the fact there would be no Allan Cup series this spring over the weekend. The Allan Cup champions are recognized as world amateur champions, except in 1936 when England won the Olympic hockey crown. However the Dynamiters recaptured the world title the next year.

Pitches Eight Shut-outs.

In addition to holding the major league record for consecutive scoreless innings, and being one of the four who are tied for the American League's longest winning streak, Walter Johnson also has a record—at least for pitchers of this century—for pitching the most consecutive games for his club and all of them shutouts.

In 1908, Johnson's first complete season in the American League, the Senators were seventh and the old New York Highlanders were eighth. Ty Cunnilline and his club arrived in New York on Friday, December 4 with only three pitchers—Johnson, Tom Hughes and Jim Keely. Hughes' wife became ill and he went back to Washington, Keely bobbed up with a sore throat.

Johnson worried for the first game of the series and won, 2 to 0, over Jack Chesbro and Slow Joe Doyle. On Saturday, Walter beat Manning and Lake, 6 to 0. There was a Sunday lull, but in the first game of the Labor Day double-bill, Johnson vanquished Chesbro again, 4 to 3. Hughes was back to work the nightcap, which also was won by the Senators.

In turning in his three shutouts, Johnson yielded six hits in the first game, four in the second and only two in the third.

Sports Roundup

(By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.)
(Associated Press Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 27, (AP)—When Charlie Berry, who quits 'em right in football and baseball, landed in Cleveland, Chief Boss Tamm, reveal that the ice was serene feet thick—and besides it was time to hurry back to camp.

One-Minute Sports Page.

Returning his 1945 contract unsigned, Third Baseman Willie Cardinal pitcher, remarked "I thought I was a major league success until I looked at the terms" . . . Memo to college football coaches: who think they might find a soft touch in the pro business: 23 of 24 National Football League clubs have gone to coaches who graduated from pro ranks . . . Tony Clark won the other at Detroit after he had been in the league six years.

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Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER

Toronto, Feb. 27 — (CP) — Canadian professional golfdom is soon to lose one of its most colorful figures when Vancouver's rotund little Scotsman, Davie Black, retires. Forty years a professional divoter in Canada—26 of them at the beautiful Shaughnessy Club on the West Coast—Davie soon plans to take a last look at the Emerald grass of the first fairway and at the snow-capped mountains he can see from the door of the pro shop. Born in Troon, on the west coast of Scotland—a golfers' town of 25,000 inhabitants and five courses—Davie took an apprenticeship at one of the clubs there. In 1905 he came to Canada and started as pro at Montreal's suburban Outremont Club. Five years later he went to Rivermeade in Ottawa and after 10 years there moved to Shaughnessy.

Winner of countless tournaments, his most notable feat was capturing the Canadian professional three successive years starting in 1919. For that he was presented with a duplicate of the P.G.A. Cup and is the only man in Canada to win that distinction. He also won the P.G.A. tourney in 1913.

He won the Pacific Northwest Open in 1926, '32, and '36. In the 1920 P.G.A. meet he set the golfing world a-buzz when he broke the Royal Ottawa Golf Club's record with a 68 in the first round and to top it off went out in the afternoon and did the course in 67.

Ten years ago he set a new course record at Shaughnessy with a 64, but it was broken the following year by one stroke. Davie start of a new championship rink doesn't mind that, however, for it was his own son, Ken, who snapped it and went on to win the Jubilee tournament at the expense of the foremost golfers on the continent.

Plugging for the Ladies.

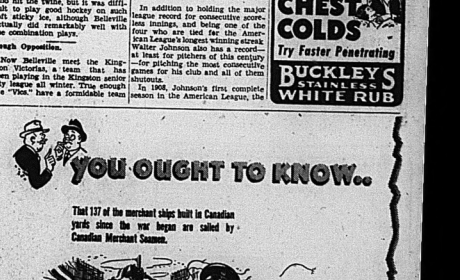
Northern Ontario's fleet sweetgrip "Rooster" of ladies golf, Barney Welch of Kirkland Lake, has been lobbying to revive the game in places where it has died out. Both North Bay (the Nuggets) Jessup reports that Barney is waiting to have re-opened the northern branch of the Provincial Women's Softball Association.

Tuesday Topics:

A new wrinkle for racing the puck comes from Doug (Windsor Star) Vaughan. The Windsor Big Ten loop rules have the ref place the puck on the ice for the start. Now the centres then assume their normal face-off position, taking the ref steps back and blows the whistle to signal start of the play.

. . . Lex Cook, coach of the Corral Cookies in the Interprovincial League, thinks young Freddie Cook, former Montreal sailor, is a better puckster than Gordon Cook. . . . Kingston city council has requested the Dominion Government to designate the hockey Hall of Fame as a charitable institution so that persons making donations to the Hall can deduct the sum subscribed from income taxes.

Calgary's Howard Palmer, 1941 Dominion curling champion, is the proud father of twin sons. The



Horse Sense Bridge

LESSON NO. 417
By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

Poor Eva Tyme takes all the bumps. When she gets to the latest out, trumps. And suddenly it hits her nanny is dead, she took out one too many.

Play around with this deal:

NORTH
♠K Q J 7 2.
♥K 10 3
♦K 10 3
♣6 4 3

WEST
♠6 4 2
♥J 5
♦K J 8 2
♣Q J 9 7

EAST
♠A 8 5
♥7 6 4
♦9 6 5 4
♣10 8 2

SOUTH
♠10 9
♥A Q 9 4 2
♥7 6 2
♦A K 7
♣K 5

The bidding goes like this:

SOUTH	NORTH
Pass	1 S
2 H	2 S
3 NT	3 H
4 H	Pass

How do these players know they have that many hids? An opener starts with a basic of five tricks. Responder worked from a basic of two tricks. Each raise in number shows another trick.

South has four tricks; three high cards and a short card in spades, for an in.

North has six tricks; five high cards and a short card in diamonds. See how they show their two tricks.

North's opening shows five tricks. His only raise is the three heart bid that shows his strength. South's showing four tricks with his balls of twos; a raise with two hearts; a raise with four hearts.

With south as declarer at four hearts west leads a club. The contract is made despite two losers; a spade, a club, two diamonds.

Winning the first trick with club king, south takes two rounds of trumps with ace and queen. A spade trick is lost to east who wills to take it on the second round of that suit.

Opponents also take two diamond tricks and then lead a diamond or a club. If a club, dummy wins with the ace, draws a third round of trumps, and leads the now set up spades.

If opponents return a diamond instead of a club, dummy trumps. A spade is trumped by south, who takes a trump round next before returning to dummy with a club to lead the spades.

On the spades, south stuffs, any losing card he may have left. The main idea was not to lead the third round of trumps until the spade ace was gone. And dummy must then be an entry to dummy.

When entries are thin, provide for an in.

AT THE CAPITOL
Alch Ladd

Dedicated to the proposition that American gangsters are gentlemen with hearts of gold in contrast to the mobsters of Nazi Germany, Paramount's swift and furious spy drama, "Cloak and Dagger", opened at the Capitol theatre last night. You may imagine the proposition adequately proved.

"Lucky Jordan" is Alan Ladd's first starring picture and in this offering his thriller he shows why Paramount decided him to cinematic heights with rare haste. He was previously featured with the chronicle Lake in "This Gun for Hire" and "The Glass Key", both smash hits.

In "Lucky Jordan," Ladd is supported by a brilliant young newcomer, blonde and gorgeous Helen Walker, Sonny Tufts of the Broadway stage, is a sure bet for star-dom herself. Others in the picture are Sheldon Leonard, Mabel Paige and Lloyd Corrigan.

"Man in the Trunk"
A friendly ghost with a knack for being humorous as well as tantalizing, makes for one of the merriest mystery comedies of the season, "The Man in the Trunk," which opened yesterday at the Capitol theatre.

A dead man comes back to life in this 20th Century-Fox film, and saves an innocent party from a seat in the electric chair by helping two young people solve the murder which considered him out of the world.

Raymond Walburn is the ghost while Lynne Roberts and George Holmes are the young people. Walburn, whose lines were mainly verbal in trunk, is hilariously significant upon his return to life. Indeed, he is a howl — or a horror, who would rather haunt a lady's boudoir than a house. Miss Roberts and Holmes, two fast-selling newcomers, handle their roles handsomely. And the story abounds in thrills and suspense, as well as rollicking humor.

The Universal News completes the double program.

Yesterday At Queen's Park

(By The Canadian Press)

Premier Drew states the Ontario Government is opposed to family allowances and intends no agreement with the federal act going into effect.

A. A. MacLeod (Lab.-Prog.-Toronto Bellwoods) withdrew a motion that the House adjourn, to discuss the allowances question, causing debate on the matter to be postponed until the Throne Speech debate.

The new securities bill provides for establishment of a securities commission and for tighter regulations on security transactions, was given first reading.

Final reading was given the active service election bill, which provides for the direct ballot for servicemen and proxy vote for prisoners of war.

Today: Throne Speech debate resumes.

BUTTON AND GRANT PART

Los Angeles, Feb. 27, (AP)—Barbara Hutton, dime-store heiress, and her actor husband, Cary Grant, announced yesterday they have separated a second time. They issued a joint statement:

"After much thought and great consideration we have decided we can be happier living apart. As yet no plans have been formed regarding a divorce".

DEMPSEY NAMES TEN BEST MEN HE HAS FOUGHT

Gene Tunney, Retired Undefeated Heavyweight of World, Placed at the Top

By RUSH NEWLAND
(AP Sport Writer)

San Francisco, Feb. 27 — (AP) — Puffing a big cigar, jauntily nonchalantly for rapid-fire comment, Jack Dempsey said: "I'll name you the 10 best men I fought. They may not be the best boxing men, but they would have licked a lot of the so-called top heavyweights and maybe some of our past champions."

The old Manassa Mauler, himself one of the real champs, was in San Francisco, his one-time stamping grounds, en route to the South Pacific on a tour of duty as head of physical education and recreation for the U. S. Coast Guard.

Question Dempsey: "Who was the best man? Why Gene Tunney of course. He licked me, right here in 1926 and defended it successfully against me the next year. Incidentally, he was the only man I ever fought, later than he was given credit for.

"After Tunney, they come this way. Tom Gibbons, Carpentier, Carl Morris, Firpo, Bill Brennan, Jess Willard, Luis Angel Firpo, Jack Blake, Fred Fulton and Battling Levinsky, in that order. That's 10. Other Good Men.

"Then had some good ones around here from 1915 to 1918 who made me believable for me. They were Willie Meehan, Jack Gardner, Jack Downey, Al Horton and Charley Miller. It was during the four-round days. The fights would be about over before I could get started. Meehan beat me five out of six. I think, and Downey boxed my ears off.

"The hardest hitters I met were Firpo, Blake, Carpentier, Tunney, Brennan and Fulton. Firpo could punch, and after them Gunboat Smith because he was a strong fighter man. The Gunner hit me so hard on the chin in 1914 that I thought that I was doing until I was walking down the street and found that I didn't even know I had won the fight. It was a terrific kick in that right hand. Tom Gibbons was a powerful left hook. Gibbons was the hardest to fight. He was fast, had good on the inside stuff, and was a clever boxer and got up. I was over the hill when I fought Tunney three years later."

Hockey Results

(By The Canadian Press)

Junior O.H.A. Semi-Finals
Galt Red Wings 4, Oshawa Generals 1
(Galt leads best-of-five series, 1-0)

Young Rangers 4, Marlboros 3
(Young Rangers lead best-of-three series, 1-0)

M.O.H.A. Junior B Semi-Finals
Sudbury Maroons 11, North Bay Olympics 3
(Sudbury game of two-game total-goals series)

Port Arthur Bay Junior Final
Port Arthur West Ends 3, Port Arthur Flyers 1
(Port Arthur West Ends win best-of-three series, 2-1)

Manitoba Inter-Services Senior
Winnipeg Navy 8, Winnipeg Army 5

O.H.A. Junior B
Glencoe 4, Watford 2
(Glencoe wins two-game total-goals series, 10-3)

Stratford Kroehlers 8, Brantford Lions 2
(Stratford leads best-of-five series, 3-0)

SECRECY VEIL LIFTED

Toronto, Feb. 27, (CP)—The veil of official secrecy last night was lifted from the part played in development of RDX, the world's most powerful explosive, by Dr. George Wright, professor of Chemistry at University of Toronto, and other Canadian scientists who helped establish the first manufacturing plant for the explosive in Canada.

A GOOD OPINION

Belgrade, Feb. 27, (Reuters)—Field Marshal Sir Harold Alexander, Allied commander-in-chief in the Mediterranean theatre, and Marshal Joseph Tito of Yugoslavia "a good friend, a tough fellow, sensible and far-seeing."

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150	25.98	13.47	9.24	7.20
200	34.64	17.96	12.32	9.60
250	43.30	22.45	15.40	12.00
300	51.96	26.94	18.48	14.40
350	60.62	31.43	21.56	16.80
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AT THE BELLE — Lana Turner and John Hodiak form a new romantic team in "Marriage Is a Private Affair," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's new picture based on Judith Kelly's best-seller novel, coming next to the Belle. James Craig, Emman Wynn and Frances Gifford are featured.

Hollywood and HERE

By HYE BOSSIN

Cecil B. De Mille, a member of the American Federation of Radio Actors, recently refused to pay a one dollar assessment levied by that union. He got much publicity out of it and lost the right to appear on the radio with members of the union.

Now Edward Arnold, a member of the AFRA, answered De Mille. "Mr. Cecil De Mille," said Arnold, "has discovered that his private one dollar autocracy is in conflict with the march of working men toward a prosperous tomorrow. And his private decision must not be forced on his fellow workers."

Gregory Peck, star of "Keys to the Kingdom," is a Gary Cooper type and he is preparing for future cowboy roles by learning to ride and rope. . . . "Stole Fate" is being made on the 20th-Fox lot and a real circus was hired to provide background. Director Walter Lang was forced to bar visitors because all the nearby droppings and odors played hookey to ride the merry-go-round, the ferris wheel and on Segalcheated Hollywood . . . Talk about types, Franklin Pangborn became a hotel clerk for the first time in "You Came Along."

"O. Henry," the life story of that fabled author, will become a film if this try is more successful than the previous attempt. There is a story cost of $900,000 against it now . . . The largest television company in the USA proposes a weekly payment plan, through which a person gets a set and the right to tune in for $2.25 per week until it's paid for . . . Some Winnipeg listeners were tossed by a jurisdictional dispute between two rival unions and one of the idle movie projectionists made some humorous comment. "Most of us," he said, "haven't had a holiday except Sunday in years and when we get a day off our wives want to go to the movies!"

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Overheard: "It takes all kinds of people to make a world — and a few to make a fool." . . . A producer sent a vacationing actress a telegram: "Move heaven and earth but get back Friday." The actor replied: "Am raising hook. Will be back Saturday" . . . "Greed," someone remarked, "is a strait jacket with pockets." . . . "I'm going to quit my job," a secretary was heard to complain, "my boss is on the phone so much I can't get any dates!"

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David O. Selznick got Ingrid Bergman from Sweden and has made arrangements to import Frank Sundstrum, one of his leading young actors . . . Sabu, whom the USArmy Air Force knows as Sabu Dastagir, has been on more than 25 bond promotions as a rear gunner . . . Errol Flynn, who has a talent for acting, writing and getting himself into trouble, is also a top-notch tennis player. He recently teamed up with Bill Tilden for some charity games . . . "If you want to make money," Flynn once said, "be around where it is." Bill Farmer, radio effects boy, seems to have benefitted by proximity. He having been chosen for a role in "They Were Expendable."

DAY DISPLEASED WITH SHOWING OF MAPLE LEAFS

Recalls Eric Prentice From Pittsburgh Hornets to Try and Put Life Into Squad

By The Canadian Press

The singular lack of success which Toronto Maple Leafs have shown in recent contests has brought the club management almost at close to a state of pleasure as the team is in occupying top place in the National Hockey League race.

Riddled by injuries, Leafs still are in the throes of a month-long losing streak, have dropped five of their last six starts and blew a big goal lead to tie in the other clash against New York Rangers last Saturday. Montreal Canadiens are 20 points ahead of Toronto who have 41 while Detroit Red Wings enjoy a 12-point advantage.

Coach Gene Conacher (Hap) Day said he is "extremely displeased" with Leafs' lackadaisical performance and recalled young Eric Prentice, who played five games for the team last season and has spent most of the year with Pittsburgh of the American Hockey League, is expected to play against Chicago Black Hawks at Maple Leaf Gardens.

"No other Maple Leaf team has ever had a record as bad as ours during the last month," he said, adding that "something" has to be done to put some spark into the squad.

Lach Leading Rocket Richard In Scoring Race

Montreal, Feb. 27 — (CP) — With Maurice Richard and Elmer Lach of Canadiens each waging their Alphonse-and-Gaston battle for top spot among National Hockey League scorers, much of the interest in the waning days of the regular season centres around Richard and Lach. Only two points separate the pair, between-zone Blake of the Canucks and Boston's Bill Cowley.

The weekly scoring records released by the NHL-AHA show Blake and Cowley still locked in third spot with 61 points each, as Blake battles to make it one-two three for the Canucks and put the Cowley calls on his wiles to prevent such a thing. Leafs are former winners of top scoring honors.

Meanwhile, Lach is leading Richard by a single point at the head of the list, participating in one goal that his line-mate didn't figure in to break the former deadlock between them. Lach has 67 points on 31 goals and 46 assists, while the habitat record—while Richard has 66, record of 30 goals and 36 assists for 66 points.

Harold Fyrton, who had failed the penalty parade with 96 minutes in majors and minors in 40 games.

SNATCHERS BABY BOY FROM PONY

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 27 (AP)—Mrs. Patricia Breslinger snatched her 20-months-old baby daughter from an icy fish pond, applied artificial breathing and revived him before an inhalator squad arrived. "The first thing he asked for when he regained consciousness," she said, "was a glass of water."

JACKIE CALLURA DEFEATS WILSON

Newmarket, Ont., Feb. 27 — (CP) — Pte. Jackie Callura of Hamilton, fighting under the colors of Newmarket Camp, last night knocked out Cpl. Jimmy Wilson of Hamilton Trades School in the third round to capture the Military District No. 2 Open Featherweight boxing crown.

L. Cpl. Len Wadsworth of the camp here, 1944 Army middleweight champion, successfully defended his title, winning easily from Pte. Art Steeves of Brantford.

Pte. E. Tyrrel of Orillia decisioned Pte. A. Tunelli of Brantford to take the light-heavy title while other results included:

Cpl. Ken Johnson, 130, Orillia, defeated Pte. J. Ward, 144, Brantford, decision.

Pte. M. Short, 158, Newmarket, defeated Pte. E. Yeomans, 149, Brantford, decision.

ALLIED CONVOY PASSES

Cairo, Feb. 27 (Reuters)— The first Allied convoy passed through the Dardanelles some weeks ago, it was learned here. Part of the convoy carried British equipment and transport for the Yalta conference. Previously Turkey had not allowed belligerents to use the route.

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AT THE McCARTHY — Vivien Leigh's brilliant beauty is richly dramatized in Alexander Korda's stirring screen romance, "That Hamilton Woman," starting tomorrow at the McCarthy Theatre, with Alexander Korda's technicolor production "Drums."

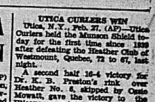
UTICA CURLERS WIN
Utica, N.Y., Feb. 27, (AP)—Utica Curlers won the Monson Shield today for the first time since 1939 after defeating the Heather Club of Westmount, Quebec, 72 to 67, last night.

A second half 16-4 victory for D. K. B. Preston's rink over Heather No. 4, skipped by Cecil Mowatt, gave the victory to the Uticans on points although they were able to win but two of six matches.

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By KATHLEEN NORRIS

CHAPTER 6

"Who is she?" said the Judge's grandmother, rather petulantly repeating a question that had been asked all through the dinner. "Is she a relative of Mrs. Marshbanks?"

"Not a relative, Mother," said Mrs. Marshbanks's husband, "but a friend of long standing. Her name is Kelly."

"I'm the mouthing season," said another male voice, and there was a laugh.

"And you don't have to ask people like that here, Fran' said without feeling. "You told me last week she was handsome. Honest-ly!"

The last word was rich with protest, reproach, indulgence. Cherry crouched close to the rail. She could present," seems to her mouth no one would ever know. But she felt as if her body and soul would be rent apart with the violence of feeling that possessed her.

"There's a subject for your next portrait, Mr. Oastler!" one Fran and Cherry who could not see them could tell from her tone that for the moment they were alone. "Take little what's-her-name Rawlings."

"Mr. Oastler!" he echoed. "I thought I was 'Kelly'."

"Did I call you Kelly?" the laughing deep, jolly hoarse voice said. "When did I call you Kelly?"

"At the table about a minute ago."

"It must do something about my subliminal consciousness."

Fran and Amy and the two young men in their evening clothes went away laughing, the door closed behind them, and Judge Marshbanks and Kathy Oastler came back across the hall and stood chatting for a moment. Then the artist said that he must start on his way to Sausalito, and the Judge's host called to his dog game. But by this time the stairway was empty, and Cherry was back in the luxurious, dimly lighted guest room, standing perfectly still at one of the big windows, looking out into the darkness of the mysterious world, studying the scene of the night city with eyes that saw nothing, trying to think with her mind and not with any kind of furious emotion.

Rage and shame and jealousy and a hundred other new and wretched feelings beset her. She shaken and throbbing and blinded, she rested her face against the cool glass of the window and pressed one hand against the turbulent pain that was her heart.

Now, for the first time in her life, the guidance of the Sainte Dorothée's girl swept over her. A girl to be laughed at and pitied and despised. It was a place for girls who "innocent enough themselves, were nevertheless victims of circumstances that were not alike; girls who had no home to which to go, no families to welcome them and miss them.

She had accepted it, all her life long, as had the others; had merely times found it even a romantic situation, something over which his specular and dream of Cinderella. Those dreams had all melted away into the air of which they were born during this one encounter with Hitler. There was nothing desirable, nothing stimulating and unusual about being a penniless color-girl of twenty, trained for hard work and loneliness and heavy unfulness in a world that held pleasures, exquisite girls with heart-shaped lips and diaphanous frocks of pale yellow!

Cherry Fran, hated Amy, with all the vigor of her nature. They had laughed at her, and she was helpless. They despised her and there was no reason why they should not. Life would not be hard enough for her to right the burning wrong of it.

"They all love her," she whispered. "Why shouldn't they? She knows and she wears beautiful clothes and her father was the Judge's brother and she is here in Grace Church tonight, and those orchids on her shoulder—and everyone asks her for dances. She breaks a leg!

"It shouldn't matter if she did," her unhappy thoughts ran on. "I forgot make-up, think about clothes, and I'm like Fran and Amy Marshbanks broke her leg tomorrow night! They'd carry her to bed and give her flowers and books and smash fuss as they passed. She'd have one to see her dress if she'd been in the car. I wish she had to have it off!

"And it isn't my fault, is it? my fault?" she sobbed, suddenly clenching her hands and lifting her face against the window. "It isn't my fault if I'm like this! I'm like to have everyone crazy about me. I'd like to have a grandmother and someone like the Judge to care about me, and live in a place like this!

"And what chance have I to be like them and talk the way they do and wear the clothes they do? No chance, and it isn't fair, and I hate it!" she breaks her leg. "Poor Amy Marshbanks may never walk again!

"I suppose I ought to love her, because she's my enemy. Christ-tackerdown. "There was one fellow that believed in me, and he was goin' to grow and prosper, yah, sir, and I'd be proud to call him my friend!" he had said. The filmiest mansion had been pointed out to visitors for thirty years as a visible sign of the city's wealth and progress.

"It's a wooden house much bay-windowed and balustraded with impressive columns flanking the front doors, a carriage drive sweeping from the western side to a porte-cochere, calla lilies and roses and shiny-leaved laurels banking its foundations and forms. From all the northeastern windows—in rooms used now by surgeons—the city hall, the Presidio, Tamalpais, Alcatraz and Angel Islands, Sausalito and the bay cities lie in their fairway and hills.

Massive steps rose from the street to the brick bulkheads of the garden; more steps led up to the side front door that got on the street. But this door, too, was never used any more. Mrs. Porter used the side door, which was close to the garage, where there was a shallow step or railer be hauled and shoved impatiently into her motorcar.

On the second floor at the back where the southwestern sunshine poured in warmly even on winter days, was her apartment; a big bedroom furnished in heavy walnut carved into apples and pineapples and bows of shining wooden ribbons; a big adjoining sitting room, most of her waking hours were spent, and a bathroom. Next to these was the small room in which Mrs. Porter's personal woman slept, and upstairs Emma still lived in an apartment with much the same arrangement, if somewhat smaller and plainer, as in Judge Porter's days. Besides these, there were four big empty rooms on the floor below, and another, furnished, kept warm, always closed.

Over Elizabeth Ann Porter had had an adored, pretty, giddy girlhood. Here had been the generation that tanned flowers in a hair and danced slippers to ragtime again, and in her rumpled wing the richest and most eligible young men in a city full of mining and railway banking and shipping interests soon, she had flashed upon a stunned group of admirers as the wife of a prospective European honeymoon trip with her husband, and her wedding, dressed oyster pattes lace, with the guests received with the date and the names engraved thereon, and these plates carried home by the guests were treasured in many a stately home ever after.

Upon her return the beautiful young bride, all roses and gold curls, had become the proud mistress of a home on the great Gladwin mansion. It had been no new home for more than half a century. Her husband, in his old never lost its glamor for her.

Cherry, the old colored woman, did for her each morning everything that a lady's maid could do for a small child: superintended her breakfast tray, carried her into her bath, powdered her face, and while old body as if it had been a baby's, got her dressed, and then, seated comfortably in her chair with her pillows again. Then there was the evening, and the old lady knitted or worked at her petit point, and they planned for the day. If notes had been written, the night before they must be stamped and mailed; from the dinner menus must be carefully arranged; the newspapers and the mail were brought in; the newspapers and magazines discussed; the magic and Keno, a quiet little Japanese maid, carried out the vases for an hour, and brought them back, fresh-filled and radiant.

Perhaps there were guests in now, who must be asked to tea; perhaps presents for someone's birthday or wedding must be selected. Cherry was with her every two weeks in the house before she went away for an elderly frail, imprisoned woman was the center of a crowded and exceedingly satisfying life, filled to the brim with the things she made important, and the rituals that every day and tea hour and luncheon tray had become.

Emma was indispensable. she kept the whole enormous machine running; she knew where business papers were, and what the lawyer came about, and when to call the doctor. But there was nothing gay, friendly, companionable about Emma. She was the telephone or when it came to special shopping she was grimly inadequate. Also, she was a monotonous and disinterested reader. Mrs. Porter had a large mail; she had long been unequal to it, and had engaged a satisfactory girl to act as secretary from time to time with wavering results.

So that Cherry soon found that she had plenty to do like the others in the kitchen, and the two maids who kept everything before stated in order, and Keno who arranged the flowers, all the gardening as well as the used rooms, and Al who swept steps and driveway and sidewalk, and Marshbanks who drove the car, and Frank who drove, on all forenoons every day off and Sunday the gardener and Patrick the chauffeur. Cherry, having found the kitchen and the clocks and the man who came to take the laundry away and brighten and wash the cleaner, who called daily.

Cherry had only to be quietly helpful in every direction that her imagination and willingness could discover to make a place for herself almost instantly. She looked well in her new brown cloth dress with its gold buttons; she was a young, pleasant element in the dreary old house. And yet she wasn't the pretty, lighthearted type who'd be getting married as soon as she got here, the old lady reflected. She could take dictation, she wrote a square, neat, legible hand, and she had a fine voice when she read aloud. Altogether, Emma's protege promised well.

Cherry began her duties with the trembling feeling that by no chance could her Fran and Amy Marshbanks possibly be in such pleasant places. To be sure, she was a step from the world that in one brief encounter had lifted her, and, in his herself here, with a lovely room for her own, a housemaid to book for company, amazing meals served as regular—or indeed, irregular—hours, and a gentle, if aloof, helpless old lady to amuse seemed too good a fortune to be true.

From this she passed to a sort of exhilaration that she had succeeded. She answered the telephone and wrote letters and drove out in the park in her own open coat and becoming brown hat, in a pleasant driver of feeling herself liked and needed and approved. She could not help but preserve the impression she had so gallantly made.

The third phase came only after several days, and was one of doubt, boredom and weariness. She wanted needs and interest and companionship; she wanted a sense of living; indeed she was like a girl caught in a dream.

(To be Continued)

RADIO PROGRAMS

TUESDAY, FEB. 27

6.00 p.m.
WGR, WBEN—News, Sports.
CFRB—Sport Moments.
6.15 p.m.
CBL—News, Farm Market.
6.30 p.m.
WBEN—News Quiz.
6.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wm McKnight on Sports.
7.45 p.m.
WGR—Gerry Bettell.
WBEN, WHAM-B—Lowell Thomas.
8.00 p.m.
WGR—Can I Say That? Quiz.
WBEN—NBC—Supper Club.
WKBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
8.15 p.m.
CJBC—Blackstone.
7.30 p.m.
WGR—Jack Benny.
CJBC-NBC—Haymoe-Forrest Show.
8.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Ginny Simms.
WKBW—Big Town.
CJBC—Guy Lombardo.
CKOC, CBC—Big Town Drama.
8.30 p.m.
CJBC—Blue—Alan Young Show.
CFRB—Fun Parade.
WBEN—A Date With Judy.
CKOC—St. Thingie to Come?
8.00 p.m.
WKBW—Radio Sanctum.
CJBC—Toronto Symphony.
WBEN-NBC—Mystery Theatre.
WGR-B—Orson Welles Show.
9.15 p.m.
CKEY—N.H.L. Hockey
9.30 p.m.
CBL-NBC—Fibber McGee
WKBW-CBS—This is the Best.
WGR-B—Bob Strong Orch.
10.00 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—CBC News.
CJBC-Fun, Quiz, Music.
10.30 p.m.
WGR-B—Let Yourself Go.
CBL—Make Way For Tomorrow.
CJBC—Bert Niosi Orch.
WBEN-NBC—Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.
CBL—Radio Newsreel.
CFRB, CHML, CKTB—News.
CKEY—News, Mickey Lester.
11.15 p.m.
CBL—Off the Record.
11.30 p.m.
WGR-B—"Met" Opera, U.S.A.
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12.30 a.m.
CFRB—NEWS.

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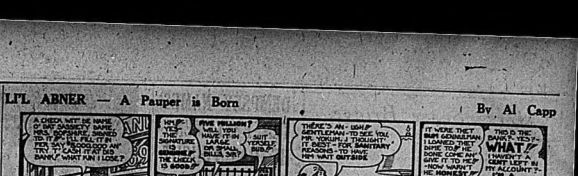
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City and District News

TWO H. & P.E. REGT. MEN PRISONERS OF WAR

Two members of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment previously reported as missing following action with the enemy, are now reported as prisoners-of-war according to the Canadian Casualty Lists just released for publication today.

The two soldiers now reported as being prisoners-of-war are Pte. Joseph Chartrand, son of Mrs. Marcelina Chartrand, 30 Bay Street, Trenton, and Lance Corporal Clayton Ray Daniels, son of Mrs. Ray Daniels, of Lanswate, Ont.

COUNTY HOME STUFF, FINDS RABBITS SCORN HIS FOOD OVERTURES

Scorning the offer of cabbage and other garden vegetables put out by the less experienced, to keep the pests out of the orchard, Instructor Mitchell Sinclair of the destroying young apple trees at the Hastings County Home, according to Mr. Elmer Sandercock.

The rabbits are feeding on the trees by eating the bark just below the branches while the depth of snow is such that the trees are too short to actually get into the branches to continue their destructive work.

And the crux of the situation is that a specific remedy might be secured before ammunition can be

274 Blood Donations Supplied by Air Force Personnel at Trenton Station

Personnel of the air stations of women of the city who go to the women in the district have been active in setting a splendid example to their citizens in the matter of blood donations for their fighting forces.

Periodical clinics held at the Kiwanis Centre here are large numbers of the boys in air force blue voluntarily giving their blood for Canadian soldiers, may live.

Another fine example of this unselfishness on the part of district air stations is the recent formation of a mobile clinic calling at the Trenton Air Station recently and securing 274 donors.

As a matter of fact, the station personnel went a bit farther than just giving their blood. They sent their motor vehicles to the Kiwanis Centre and with city taxis and automobiles owned by volunteer clinic workers organized the mobile clinic.

They took bottles, tubes and other clinic paraphernalia necessary to the securing of the blood while clinic nurses and volunteer workers travelled by motor car.

Five Station Doctors Attend.

At the station, five officers, headed by Squadron Leader James Forrester, worked with the clinic officials and in three hours the entire operation was ffinished. Eighteen beds were furnished by the station.

Clinic officials today spoke in appreciative terms of the splendid attended them at Trenton, and of the wholehearted support of personnel in the giving of blood. They have set an example of which they might well be proud, they said today, "and one which the residents of this city might well emulate. It would make a lot of people here think twice if they could see these fine young men step forward with a smile and give their blood. A large number of them have given several donations with some even reaching double figures."

Appreciation of the donations of soft drinks by the Coca Cola Company's branch here and butter by the Belleville Creameries was also expressed, while particular thanks was given, by the official to the unselfish little band of volunteer

ARMY OFFICERS HERE ON INSPECTION TOUR

Several army officers from National Defence Headquarters, Ottawa, are in the city on an inspection tour, and are viewing armament and technical equipment of the reserve army units here.

Included are Major McQueen and Major G. Carter, ordnance inspection service, also Major A. Gordon and Major E. J. Carter of Military District No. 3 Headquarters, Kingston.

The officers inspected the equipments of the 94th Field Battery on Monday night and today are working on that of the Argyll - Light Infantry.

MOHAWK RESERVE

Pte. J.E. Maracle Dies of Wounds

Mohawk Reserve — Official information was received Saturday night by Pte. Clark and Mrs. Maracle, Tyendinaga, that their son, Pte. John Earl Maracle had died of wounds received while in action on the Western Front. He was twenty years of age and was single. Before enlisting, he joined the armoured forces when eighteen years of age, and was overseas for about two years. He was a student at Deseronto High School, where he was very popular with his fellow students, for enlisting for active service, he was a member of the Reserve Army unit in Napanee. He served in England in August of last year, and went to France September 1st. In England he met his brother, Pte. Garnet Maracle, and they met again twice in Holland. Beside his parents and his soldier brother, he is survived by two sisters, Verna and Christina, and three brothers, Clell, Homer and Garnet Wilson, and a sympathy is felt for the family in their sad bereavement. A Memorial Service will be held in Christ Church at a later date.

Must Register Pistols, Revolvers

Commencing March 1st civilian-owned firearms must be registered, and be re-registered, Chief R. W. Frobert announced at the police station today following receipt of a letter from Commissioner S. T. Wood at Ottawa.

All types of firearms must be registered for the period extending from 1946 to 1950 and the registration must be completed before July 31, 1945, except those which include clubs types of pistols and revolvers which will require separate registration cards by applying at any police station, or police headquarters.

A part of Commissioner Wood's communication statement to Chief Frobert, read as follows:

"Attention is also drawn to the necessity of exercising extreme care to see that such firearms are kept in a place of security, especially out of reach of juveniles and young children," said the statement.

"Owners are again reminded to report immediately to their local chief constable, any case where a registered firearm has been stolen, lost, or found. Any person desiring to dispose of a firearm can arrange for this through the medium of his local police department."

Prince of Wales Pupils Hear Talk by F.O. Welch

The school in which he received elementary education was not forgotten by Flying Officer Howard Welch, D.F.M., when he returned to Belleville during the past weekend. Overseas since 1942, the young Belleville airman spoke to pupils of Prince of Wales School on Monday morning and told them some of his experiences during the last two years of operational tours as an R.C.A.F. air gunner.

The young officer took the pupils on a typical bombing flight over Turin, Italy, but seemed loathe to speak of raids on Lorient and St. Nazaire when his squadron accomplished raided the German submarine pens on the French coast. Direct

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NOTICE

After this date, February 27, 1945, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name.
VICTOR WILLIS.
215 Dufferin Ave. F27

SEVERAL MEMBERS OF ARGYLL R. PASS QUALIFYING COURSES

Qualifying courses in mechanical transport were held at an indoor field day in the Armouries when several members of the Argyll Light Infantry personnel underwent technical examinations.

Among those who passed the required examinations and who will receive certificates in the near future are Lieut. Don Osborne, Corporal Sergeant Major Jack Murphy, Sergeant Bill Hall and Lance Corporal Sergt. F. G. Fisher.

The instructors were CSM Charlie Tice and Staff Sergeant Don Brown.

The candidates spent the entire day in and around the Armouries where they examined on control of convoy by hand and whistle signals, vehicle guidance for parking purposes; towing exercises, administration studies of documents are concerned and a task system.

AUCTION SALE

1.00 p.m., Wednesday, March 7th, at 101 Bridge Street west, Belleville; will be held in the house). Very choice furniture and effects. Mrs. Philco radio; electric rangette with oven control; 6 cubic ft. Frigidaire with electric annex; electric kitchen set; complete breakfast suite; large quantity of canned fruit; 2 piece chesterfield suite; antique occasional; upholstered chair; mantel clock; several reading lamps; parlor table; smoking cabinet; chesterfield table; ball mirror; telephone table; congoleum rugs; 1 hall rug; beds; spring and Marshall mattresses; chairs and stands; bathroom medicine cabinet; 2 step ladders; ice box; cot; studio couch; chest of drawers; verandah mat; copper boiler; cooking utensils and garden tools; lawn mower; screens; marble top table; Quebec heater; new pipes; coffee table, and many other articles. No reserve as house is sold. Terms cash.

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When the Swedish liner Gripsholm, on another mercy mission, docked in New York on Wednesday, she carried many members of the Canadian army and the Royal Canadian Air Force repatriated from German prison camps for medical reasons. (Left) The Gripsholm will hold happy memories for these Canadians, for it meant return to homeland, via U.S.A. Pte. Michael Dunstan Chisholm, left, Florence, N.S., was a member of the 48th Highlanders. He was wounded and captured in Italy. Pte. Harold Raymond Bryar, 5 Elliott Row, Saint John, N. B., Carlton and York Regiment, became a casualty and prisoner in the Sicilian campaign. Right: A dental inspection was carried out immediately on arrival of the Gripsholm, for many of the sailors and airmen had long been neglected in this regard. Here Lt.-Col. F. Stewart, Ottawa, Dental Corps, carries out his inspection, with Flight Lieut. E. W. Slipp, Woodstock, Ont., in the subject.—(Canadian Army Photos by Lieut. Art. Cole.)

Newspaperman Samples Joys of Retirement

(By "L.S." in the Vancouver Daily Province)

A friend of mine retired the other day. To be exact, he took his plunge into idleness on January 1st, the first.

As is usual in such cases, he spent most of the two weeks prior to this attending parties given for him by his office associates and received his usual deluge of flowery tributes for his past performances and pious hopes for his future welfare, judiciously mixed with as much alcohol as the exigencies of the season and the combined permits could supply.

These parties over, my friend went home to the apartment in which he lived for years, sat him down among his packed belongings, soon to be transported to his new abode, nursing a sore head and a glowing conviction that he was, perhaps, making a serious mistake in leaving all these good friends to carry on without him—not forgetting that their chief interest was the mild binge they were having, with him as a first-class excuse.

He is on a rural mail delivery route, has electric service and his plumbing is not all in the back yard.

He has a car, an AA ration and a 125-mile drive to the city. His nearest village is just an easy mile and a half. He has a 'phone and good neighbors close but not too close.

His income is adequate for all his needs, with something for emergencies.

He is a bachelor and is neither blessed nor cursed with the rustle of a woman's gown—or do gowns rustle these days?

He has his typewriter and a free lance assignment. His writing unhampered now by the old newspaper deadline, which increasingly oppressed him has grown in strength and beauty.

He has achieved a lifelong ambition in the installation of a carpenter's bench and workshop in his basement, where he can create all the disturbance and make all the noise he likes. He has a fine set of carpenter's tools and a flair for making furniture.

As a counter-irritant, he has at his back door a large woodpile which he regards with a certain resentment and increasing profanity. He has so split it himself—help, these days, is just not to be obtained), his fireplace is large and greedy. I sat in front of it with him recently; he had a bottle of rum—it was good rum. I was sorry to leave.

His lines are cast in pleasant places, he has escaped the City Jungle, the driving rush of the newsroom. He misses his friends, his friends miss and envy him. This has been his ambition of late. He has attained it, but he still has a question mark. In his mind—I wonder?

I think it will work out!

Canadian Nurse Heads 68 Returned 'Angels' Of Bataan, Corregidor

San Francisco, Calif., Feb. 27 — (CP)—Sixty-eight "Angels" of Bataan and Corregidor—United States army nurses and technicians who endured three years of Japanese captivity after the fall of Luzon—were back in the United States under the leadership of their Canadian-born senior chief nurse, Maj. Maude Davidson, 59.

Maj. Davidson, born at Canningto, 15 miles west of Lindsay, Ont., was one of 14 who were classed as litter cases. A brother, Ernest J., Davidson, lives as R R 1, Canningto.

No' nurse was slapped or otherwise mistreated at Corregidor or at Santo Tomas, to which they were transferred nearly a month after the surrender, said the chief nurse.

STATE OF EMERGENCY PROCLAIMED IN BREMEN PORT

New York, Feb. 27 (AP)—The Moscow radio in a German-language broadcast Saturday said a state of emergency had been proclaimed in the Bremen port area following "disturbances" among German sailors. The broadcast was recorded by the Federal Communications Commission.

Guderian Reported Dismissed as Chief Of East Front Staff

New York, Feb. 27 (AP)—The Moscow radio said Saturday night that "well-informed sources inside Germany" had confirmed reports that Col.-Gen. Heinz Guderian had been dismissed as chief of staff and commander of German forces on the eastern front. The broadcast quoting Geneva reports said Guderian had been mentioned as one of the men "accused in the new trial of conspirators planned by the Nazi clique" in search of a scapegoat for defeats in the east.

NEW YORK RECRUITS

British occupation forces during the American Revolution recruited almost 25,000 servicemen in New York.

Investigate Robbery Of Postage Stamps

Toronto, Feb. 27 —(CP)— Police and Postal Department inspectors were investigating a robbery at a central Toronto postal station where $14,000 worth of postage stamps and unemployment insurance stamps were stolen early Monday morning.

Police said the thieves had forced their way through a window in the building and taken the stamps from a steel cabinet.

Thieves stole $2,000 worth of diamond jewelry and $182 in cash Sunday from the home of Nathan Kates while the family was absent, police reported.

Among the articles stolen was a diamond ring worth $800.

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Mess Room Chatter Of Canada's Airmen

WI... ...A.F. Overseas, Feb. 27 (CP)—A second R.C.A.F. squadron is known to be operating in support of the 14th Army's drive against Mandalay.

Within 36 hours of its arrival at a forward base after a cross-continental flight from training stations in between India, the squadron's aircrew were carrying urgent supplies across the Chin Hills and Chindwin River to airships in the Shwebo and other sectors on the Mandalay front.

Arrival of the first R.C.A.F. squadron in the Burma front was announced in January.

In the first three days' operations, the second squadron moved more than 400,000 pounds of supplies in its twin-engined Dakotas, several of the crews making two or three flights a day.

Commanding officer of this outfit is Wing Cmdr. Ralph Gordon of Bobcaygeon, Ont., veteran of the R.C.A.F. who piloted the squadron in England last summer and flew on anti-submarine patrols as a flight commander from East coast Canadian airfields.

First operational flight of Wing Cmdr. Gordon's unit was led by Sqdn. Ldr. Richard Dennison of (290 York Apts.) Regina and (1005 (McArthur Blvd.) Winnipeg, a flight commander with an R.C.A.F. staff instructor with his commander at Macleod, Alta.

With the squadron are such men as P.O. John Soden, Cranbrook, B.C. and Plt. Off. Jacques Gagnon (1 Jacques Ave.) Toronto, both captains; P.O. Ernest G. Lee of (218 Dovercourt Rd.) Toronto and P.O. F. Ross Dyon of (1822 Gerrard St. E.) Toronto, both second pilots; P.O. Ernest Dixon of (936 First Ave.) Moose Jaw, Sask., and Plt.-Off. J. W. Dophin of (144 Spence St.) Winnipeg, both navigators; and Warrant Officer E. F. P. Carriere of (131 Tower St.) Sandy Lake, Ont., and P.O. R. W. Eves, Harley, Ont., wireless operators.

A Cree Indian, member of the R.C.A.F. is serving with Transport Command in the Middle East. He is W.O. Arthur Moses of the Saddle Lake Reservation in northern Alberta.

A graduate of the Alberta Normal School who plans to teach in his home province after the war, Moses spent four years at the University of Saskatchewan. He enlisted in November, 1941, and before being posted to the east, formed part of a crew ferrying aircraft from England to Africa.

Noah's Ark Found in Ice

(Condensed From "Life Digest," Melbourne, Australia.)

Five thousand years after Noah's dove hovered over the Ark which was grounded atop Mount Ararat, bringing good new about the flood in the shape of an olive leaf in its beak, a Russian airman named Vladimir Agavitsky, gliding down the slopes of the historic mountain in Armenia, suddenly heard his co-pilot yell: "Look down there."

Following his companion's pointed finger Agavitsky saw a strange object: a huge hull, with an overall deck length stranded against the shore of a glacial lake. The pilot circled his plane as low as he dared fly, noting all the details visible from the air—the stubby masts and curved deck; built at least as the vessel's designer expected wavys to wash right over it.

Back at his base, the airman related what he had seen to his fellows. All greeted it with a mock roars of laughter, except the captain, who insisted on taking a look for himself. When the plane had again circled the ship on the mountainside, and landed, the captain said:

"I believe what we have seen is Noah's Ark."

As soon as conditions permit, an expedition of experts will visit the scene to attempt final confirmation of the Russian captain's verdict—which three subsequent investigating parties have concurred in.

The First Great War was being fought at the time of the first "rediscovery of the Ark," and the Armenians had more to occupy their attention than ancient history, so the story spread slowly. But when it reached Moscow, two companies of special soldiers were sent to investigate. Scaling precipitous cliffs and making their way over the fields, they finally reached the Ark, measured it, drew plans of it, and photographed it thoroughly inside and out.

The Ark was found to contain hundreds of compartments — in keeping with the Lord's instructions to Noah: "Rooms shalt thou make in the Ark." Some were very large, presumably to accommodate the large animals — elephants, rhinoceroses, hippopotamuses. Others had high ceilings, probably for the giraffes and camels. Still others were lined with stout cages, for all the world like monkey houses at a zoo. Some had rows of tiny bars along the front, as if for the multitudes of birds.

The protective deck planking appeared to carry out the order given to Noah: "Pitch it above."

A few days after the records had been sent to Russia, the Revolution broke out, and all the documents and photographs were destroyed, presumably by men who sought to destroy belief in all things Biblical.

In subsequent world turmoil, the "rediscovery" of the Ark was all but forgotten. Few Turkish officials, discovering a vague account of the Russian investigation of a few years before, decided to send a communication to the scene. After great hardships, the expedition reached the scene, and found the Ark in good condition, but largely embedded in ice.

An English expert in the party identified the wood of which it was built as the ancient "gopher" of the scriptures—a member of the cypress family.

Measurements checked closely with specifications laid down by the Lord in His instructions to Noah: "The length shall be 300 cubits, the breadth of it 50 cubits and the height of it 30 cubits." The cubit is generally held to be slightly more than a foot.

The sparsely-settled, half-wild mountaineers who lived near the resting-place of the Ark were reported to speak of the ancient ship, and even more unwilling to go near it. "Evil spirits" were supposed to have been seen at the windows, and it was a place to be avoided.

The inhabitants were, however, able to answer one question which had puzzled even those investigators most willing to believe that the vessel on the mountainside was indeed Noah's Ark, which had saved representatives of all the world's creatures. The Lord, in His wrath at the sinfulness of the newly-created earth, we remember, had sent the deluge. The problem was: How could a vessel, built of the stoutest wood, and "pitched within and without with pitch," withstand the ravages of 3000 years?

Dozy built of "gopher" or cypress bag been known to stand 1,000 years — but not 3000. And even though, in its present location, the Ark is sealed in a solid preserving coating of ice for 10 months in the year, the thawing and weathering for even two months of every 12 would long since have rotted the hull into nothingness.

But old residents explained that, in 1883, violent earthquakes had dislodged huge blocks of ice from the very summit of Ararat. And from one of these blocks, wondering explorers had seen this hull protruding, one July summer when the brief "summer" came. In other years, until 60 years ago, the Ark had probably never been touched by air, for it had been buried deep in eternal ice. Members of the expedition were convinced, with this final piece of evidence, that they had found the true Ark.

Another remarkable confirmation came later from Archdeacon Nouri of Jerusalem and Bahdan, a learned and noted traveller. After exploring the Euphrates, so rich in Biblical history, he reached Mount Ararat and, with his guides and servants, climbed to the resting place of the Ark. After thoroughly examining the vessel, he pronounced:

"I am positive we are beholding the Ark of Noah."

Great Tank Battle Looms Ahead On Plains of Cologne

By JON KIMCHE
(Reuters Staff Writer.)

London, Feb. 27 (Reuters)—One of the great tank battles of the war looms ahead.

The Germans report six American armored divisions waiting for the signal to advance behind the, United States 1st and 9th armies.

The Germans have no similar tank forces at their disposal since they transferred the 5th Panzer army to the eastern front. That left their western front with five to six Panzer divisions and the Germans are unlikely to risk these in an open battle in the plains before Cologne where they would be opposed by the full weight of the Allied tactical air force as well as Russian tanks and destroyers.

The German may, therefore, withdraw into the ruins of Cologne. The town, housing less than 10 per cent of its original population, 350,000 is an armed camp. Field Marshal Von Rundstedt, probably will avoid open battle and seek to conserve the Allied advance in the network of built-up areas and ruins that guard the Rhine crossings and the heart of the Ruhr.

But all the German spokesmen display great uneasiness as to whether this present attack really aims at a break-through or whether the so far unengaged British 2nd army will appear in the role which the United States 3rd played when it broke out from Normandy and raced east across France.

MANITOBA M.P. DIES

Selkirk, Man., Feb. 26 (CP)—John M. Turner, 44, Liberal member of parliament for Springfield constituency since 1940, died in hospital here Saturday following a heart attack.

Born in Beausejour, Man., Mr. Turner was well known as a brewery products salesman.

Son of Lt.-Col. R. A. Turner of the R.C.A.F., Saskatoon, and Plt. Lt. W. T. Turner of the R.C.A.F., Selkirk, he is survived also by his wife.

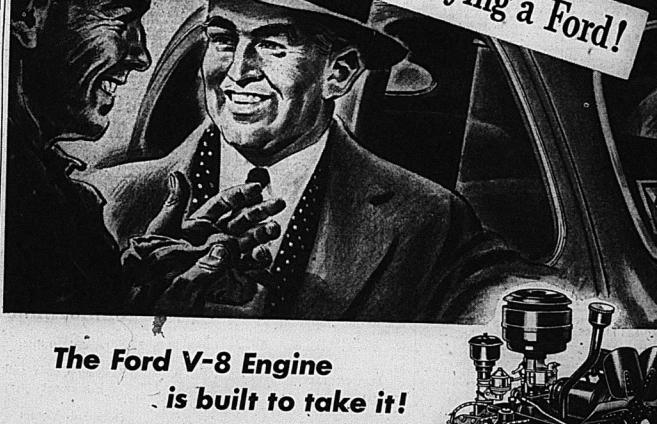
Mr. Turner's death reduces Liberal representation in the Commons to 168. There also are 40 Progressive Conservatives, 10 C.C.F., 10 Social Credit, 18 representing minor parties and 13 vacancies. There are 245 seats in all.

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Temperatures

	Max.	Min.
Today	31	11
One year ago	34	22

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GERMAN RESISTANCE WEST OF RHINE CRUMBLES

Neustettin Evacuated Says Berlin

Last Escape Route Along Baltic Coast Menaced by Reds

Zhukov Expands Oder Bridgehead at Kuestrin

London, Feb. 28. (CP)—The Germans announced the evacuation of Neustettin, today and said the Russians had raced on thirty miles to the north to Polinow, where they were within 15 miles of cutting the last escape route of German troops fighting in Eastern Pomeranyia and the Polish corridor.

Polinow is 13 miles north of Bublitz and only 30 miles from the Baltic. It is 13 miles from the coastal railway connecting Danzig with Stettin.

A transocean broadcast from Berlin said the Russians had reached Polinow and a military spokesman called the break-through "in that area toward Kosslin "and the dramatic event of the last 24 hours".

The capture of Neustettin and Bublitz by Red Army vanguards were constantly covered by the Nazi High Command spokesman said.

Neustettin is 90 miles east of Stettin and forty miles from the Baltic.

Moscow dispatches, however, said the Russians had forged even closer to the Baltic by taking the area northeast of Neustettin and were only about twenty miles from Kosslin, on the last railway route linking Danzig and Stettin.

A Reuters dispatch from Moscow said the Russian advance units had reached the Danzig-Stettin Road and were "in sight of the Baltic".

Another official dispatches from Moscow, however, said Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky's 2nd White Russian Army had been slowed by its push toward the Baltic by mud and fierce counter-attacks designed to prevent the closing of the trap on thousands of Germans in Eastern Pomerania and the rest of the former Polish corridor.

The German High Command reported that Marshal Gregory Zhukov's 1st White Russian Army had expanded its Oder river bridgehead below Kuestrin and driven east of Berlin.

In an order of the day, Marshal Stalin announced last night that Marshal Rokossovsky's 2nd White Russian Army had driven 45 miles northwestward into Pomerania in four days and had captured Polish stronghold of Chojnice.

44 Civilians Executed

At last report, Marshal Rokossovsky's forces were fighting forward 22 miles from the railway that last escape route hugging the coast between Danzig and Stettin. German broadcasters said the Russians already were hammering at the outskirts of Koslin, through which the railway passed.

In addition to threatening the entrapment of another force of Germans, this Stalin "double-envelope-conquer strategy, used successfully recently in the drive on Prussia and Latvia, brought a new menace to the Baltic port of Gdynia.

The Germans reported that Marshal Rokossovsky's left flank was moving rapidly simultaneously with Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's right flank in that direction.

Marshal Rokossovsky's White Russian Army apparently continued largely marching men on the direct approaches to Berlin. Except for the Pomeranian drive, a Russian announcement told only of capture of 12 additional blocks in besieged Breslau and seizure of seven villages in Czechoslovakia.

The Germans said Marshal Ivan S. Konev's 1st Ukraine Army had crossed the Neisse river at several points southwest of Berlin and around Dresden, but declared the Russians were repulsed.

MARINES PROTEST EDITORIAL

San Francisco, Feb. 28 —(AP)— Police and navy shore patrol arrested a riot call to William Randolph Hearst, Examiner building last night when a group of 50 to 75 United States Marines, Pacific veterans, protested into the editorial rooms, protesting an editorial which said the Marine Corps is paying "petty tribute to those who live by Iwo Jima. There was no violence.

SENTENCED TO DEATH

London, Feb. 28 —(Reuters)— Once secretary to former French Prime Minister Andre Tardieu, Andre Castry has been sentenced to death by a Dijon tribunal for collusion with the German enemy, editor of the pro-German newspaper "Progres de la Cote D'Or."

BULLETINS

MAY VISIT BRITAIN

London, Feb. 28 (CP)—Diplomats in London said today that President Roosevelt and Marshal Stalin possibly might visit Britain during coming months.

The President is likely to visit first, perhaps even before the end of the war with Japan, diplomats said. Premier Stalin would come later, if at all, and certainly not before Germany falls.

AMENDMENT LOST

London, Feb. 28 (Reuters)—The amendment proposed by Conservatives criticising the British government's policy in Ireland was defeated in the House of Commons today by 326 votes to 25.

Three Scheduled To Take Last Walk

Fort Frances, Ont., Feb. 28 (CP)—Three men are scheduled to take their last walk shortly after midnight today, from the cells of the gallows in Fort Frances jail to meet with their fate for the hot stove torture death of Mrs. Viola Stevens of Flanders, Ont., last July 2.

Only an 11th hour intervention by the Department of Justice can save the men—Georges Shrypnyk, 38, and his brother, Anthony, 33, both of Atikokan, Ont., and William Schmidt, 31, of Fort Frances.

These men along with Elno Tillonen, of Fort Arthur, were sentenced to death last June 29 when a Supreme Court jury found them guilty of the charge after a five-day trial.

Tillonen had his sentence commuted to life imprisonment. The other three, sentenced to hang last Dec. 7, were granted last-minute reprieves until March 1, pending an appeal on behalf of Schmidt.

The Ontario Supreme Court dismissed the appeal for reprieve on the ground that the trial judge did not misdirect the jury properly, and the Supreme Court of Canada upheld the decision Feb. 20.

The Shrypnyks and Schmidt, accompanied by a strong Ontario police guard, were transferred from the Kenora provincial jail yesterday to Fort Frances.

Return of the prisoners recalled the excitement in this northwestern Ontario pulp and paper town last December when considerable public interest centred on preparation of the gallows in the jail yard. The enclosure being built on the direct approaches to Berlin. Except for the Pomeranian drive, Russian announcements told only of capture of 12 additional blocks in besieged Breslau and seizure of seven villages in Czechoslovakia.

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Says Huns May Withdraw Over Rhine, Leaving Small Force in Ruhr Areas

(By JON KIMCHE)
(Reuters Staff Writer)

London, Feb. 28. (Reuters)—There are indications that Germany's Field Marshal Von Rundstedt is changing the plan of defence and that he may hold the area of Cologne and the Ruhr with a force of Munchen Gladbach with comparatively few troops, while withdrawing the greater part of his force across the Rhine. By doing this he might sacrifice part of the industrial capacity of the Ruhr which would come under Allied shellfire, in return for a certain amount of strategic freedom which he would have lost by staying on the west bank of the Rhine.

The four Allied armies attacking have not yet completely cut more than 1-3 of the total force remaining in Rundstedt's command for the defence of the Ruhr and the Cologne area, although the disorganization of Rundstedt's army behind the Rhine has been confirmed to the forward zone of the present battle. Yesterday's comparative immunity from tactical air operations will have eased Rundstedt's problem of reorganization.

It is not yet whether Rundstedt is still in full control of his armies will come when the 1st U.S. Army tests the defences of the Rhine Erft and when the 9th reaches the bulk of the Rheydt and Munchen Gladbach.



U. S. tanks have broken into the outer defences of Cologne, Germany, before a counter-attack of the U. S. 1st and 9th armies whose big guns are shelling the ruined Rhineland city.

NON-STOP ALLIED AIR OFFENSIVE IN THIRD WEEK

Berlin Hammered With Block-Busters for Eighth Consecutive Night

London, Feb. 28 (CP)—The non-stop Allied air offensive against Germany's railway system entered the third week today with another two-way bombardment in the making after Berlin was hammered with block-busters for the eighth consecutive night.

Along before noon, German radio stations had begun flashing alarms for the Reich's big and arduous sections of the country.

During the night, R.A.F. Mosquitos made two operations over Berlin. Port installations at Bremen, where the Germans are said to be rushing work on new type submarines, also were bombed last night.

More than 1,000 tons of bombs dropped by U. S. 15th Air Force heavies from yesterday's 15th, Air Force sorties into southern Germany, a spokesman hearty bomber attack last night on railway yards in the Verona area of northern Italy, and other operations in northern Italy and Austria, Allied headquarters in Italy announced.

SUITS ARE FILED

New York, Feb. 28 — (AP) Jack Benny, Mary Livingstone, George Burns and Gracie Allen were named yesterday in suits filed by Albert M. Chapeau, who said he had acted for them when it brought him into the United States from abroad. Chapeau was to recover from them $7,582, a fine imposed on him for failing to declare the jewelry he brought in. The entertainers said they would move for dismissal of the complaints.

BID FOR RUSSIAN PARTICIPATION IN JAPAN WAR MADE

House of Commons Hustles Toward Showdown Vote on Finland Issue

(Associated Press Staff Writer)
(By ALEX SINGLETON)

London, Feb. 28 (AP)—An open bid for Russian participation in the war against Japan was voiced in the House of Commons today as the House hustled toward a showdown vote tonight on the issue of the big, three-pin for Poland's future.

Maj. G. E. P. Thorp, Conservative, told the House of Commons he was faced with a long and arduous and probably costly campaign against the Japanese", and added:

"We cannot compel the Russians to share the burden of that campaign, but if co-operation means anything, the greatest co-operation we could ask for would be that of Russia in that war".

A few Conservatives led a bitter assault on the Crimea decisions by parting Poland. A vote on the Polish issue was scheduled tonight. Confidence Vote Expected.

A general vote of confidence on Prime Minister Churchill's government and general approval of the Yalta decisions come up tomorrow night.

Apparently anxious over the minority challenge to full-fledged unity behind the Crimea Charter, Mr. Churchill assigned Foreign Secretary Eden to open the debate on the decision on the floor and prepared to speak himself again tomorrow.

The rebellious Conservatives in Mr. Churchill's party charged that the treatment of Poland constituted that country's virtual partition in less than 200 years.

Pelts Govt. Bitter.

The Polish Government in London received with bitterness Mr. Churchill's statement yesterday to compensate Poland for land transferred to Russia from her territory in the west and north.

In another parliamentary in the House today, a member proposed a "Reserved Palestine" in Libya to provide refuge for hundreds of thousands of Jews.

The suggestion came from Sir Lambert Ward, Conservative, as government leaders marshalled forces to gain an overwhelming endorsement for Prime Minister Churchill's policies as the Crimea Conference showed a showdown vote of confidence is tallied tomorrow night.

An indication of Mr. Churchill's determination to democratize the Soviet British unity came in a reliable report that he himself would take the floor again tomorrow night to wind up the debate.

To Speak Second Time

Mr. Churchill's decision to speak a second time — a rare occurrence — at previously-planned government strategy — apparently was prompted by a Conservative group which felt it would lead a protest against the Big Three's treatment of the Polish problem. This group, which those far has attracted only 24 supporters, will attempt to amend the Prime Minister's confidence motion.

The amendments would express regret that the three great powers had decided to "transfer the territory under the territory of an ally contrary to treaty and to article 2 of the Atlantic Charter," and would regret the failure to ensure to those nations which have been liberated from German oppression the right to choose their own government free from the influence of any other power."

The debate now is set up for a three-day period. The vote presumably will come some time tomorrow.

ROOSEVELT BACK IN WASHINGTON AFTER CONFERENCE

Buoyed With Hopes For Enduring Peace, World-Wide Reduction of Armaments

Washington, Feb. 28 — (AP) — President Roosevelt returned today from the Crimea Conference with buoyant hopes for an enduring peace and world-wide reduction of armaments.

Back from a five-week, 14,000-mile journey to Russia by cruiser and plane, Mr. Roosevelt planned:

A report in person to Congress and the United States, tomorrow or Friday, on the meetings at which he, Prime Minister Churchill and Marshal Stalin blueprinted the Allies' defeat of a "doomed" Germany and started the machinery for perpetuating eventual peace.

An appearance before United Nations Conference opening in San Francisco April 25, if official host, Mr. Roosevelt probably will welcome and address the delegates.

Then a vacation of possibly months with Mr. Churchill, after the San Francisco parley has finished its work. Britons frequently have suggested that the President visit London.

Came Ashore from Warship

Mr. Roosevelt came ashore at an east coast port, last night and at 11:30 o'clock he entrained for Washington, special train. He left here at 1:30 a.m. today and arrived at 9:30 a.m. today. Before motoring to the White House he conferred with King Farouk and with the rulers of Ethiopia and Saudi Arabia.

A report to included a speed run through the Panama Canal, a later at a time when German submarines were lurking nearby.

Before moving into catch-up conferences and a slate of chores that piled up during his absence, Mr. Roosevelt faced a sorrowful interlude — the last hoop honor for Arlington National Cemetery of Admiral Edward M. Watson, who died at sea Feb. 20 of a cerebral hemorrhage. Gen. Marshall accompanied the President to Yalta as secretary and military aide.

Mr. Roosevelt's arrival was accompanied by a strong escort of warships and planes.

The accounting on the second meeting of the Big Three will be broadcast.

The Three Conferees above ship, as his cruiser zig-zagged toward American shores, Mr. Roosevelt was reading soon today at Crimea Conference and spoken of his achievement for future world security.

It disclosed to reporters for three major news services, who met him in the White House traveled home with him, that the original basis for recognition of Germany was for Russia to take over Germanic areas, Britain the west and northwest and the U. S. the south and south.

This arrangement is subject to change, particularly in the proposed dictatorship of occupation, after Germany's defeat, because of a decision to offer France an opportunity to keep a thumb on part of the Reich.

Mr. Roosevelt viewed the conference at Yalta as one of a series of steps toward a better world. He felt the United Nations Security organization will develop into the best method ever devised for stopping war and eradicating some of its causes.

Enemies May Be Members.

Mr. Roosevelt even visualized Germany and Japan future members of the organization, at such time as they have demonstrated they are worthy of place in it.

It is his belief that they first must purge themselves, regain their self-respect, after they have shown for decades and decades an inability to live peaceably among nations.

The decision omitted from the conference communique, although disclosed when Turkey declared war on Germany and Japan, was that there no power not in the war would be invited to the United Nations meeting at San Francisco. (Cable dispatches have mentioned Marshal as the deadline for those nations to get into the war.)

Presidential aides did not interpret this as meaning, however, that Russia necessarily would declare war on Japan any time soon. Soviet diplomacy, they said, has been well established in the European conflict.

Yanks Chase Huns Across Rhine Plain in Greatest Break-Thru Since Normandy

Junction of Canadians and U.S. 9th Would Trap 15th Div.

By JAMES M. LONG, ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFF WRITER

Paris, Feb. 28 —(AP)— The United states 1st Army crossed the Erft river in a swift advance within eight miles of Cologne today while to the north the 9th Army had gained full control of the Roer dams on the heels of retreating and disordered Germans in the biggest break-through since Normandy.

A new blackout cloaked gains and prevented disclosure of town captured by the spreading 9th Army tanks, but German defences had collapsed into a virtual rout. When censors started damming up reports last night, the 9th Army was at the edge of the Ruhr and the gates of Munchen Gladbach.

Rushing For Getaway.

Field dispatches posited long columns of German transport rushing for the Rhine bridges and a getaway.

The 1st army plunged ahead so swiftly that it captured a bridge intact across the Erft canal, a natural defence. Infantry swarmed across the Erft at another place where it was not bridged.

Canadians on the north cleared 44 miles of the Rhine to the Waal-Rhine and beat upon the last swaying defens of the northern corner of the Ruhr at points 295 miles from Cologne, the nearest approach from the west.

In the centre, the American 3rd army swanned up to 3 1-2 miles on a 50-mile front and started an encircling movement against the ancient bastion of Trier.

The American 9th and 1st Canadian armies were within less than 30 miles of a junction in the Rhineland, a coup which might trap 15 to 20 divisions of Germany's best divisions.

A three-leaning blackout cloaked movements of the 9th Army, last reported within 13 miles artillery range of Duesseldorf and at the Rhine bridge at Neuss, Rhineland and fall centre of Munchen-Gladbach, and Rheydt. Canadian troops were pulling out of Munchen-Gladbach, a city of 127,000.)

A dispatch from Field Marshal Montgomery's headquarters said the Canadians had driven to Rhineland sprang forward. At last report, U. S. 7th, 9th and 1st Canadian Armies were driving forward on a 50-mile front from Munchen Gladbach to Trier.

Another junction might trap the 10 divisions of Germans in the Saar basin and those strung along the Maas around the Netherlands towns of Roermond and Venlo.

10-Mile Advance

The American 9th and 1st Armies advances of 10 miles or more yesterday in the Rhineland battle for the defences of Cologne and Duesseldorf, overran hundreds of towns in the hundreds and topped town after town.

The Canadians, employing hundreds of tanks, had broken through at least two defensive belts of the Siegfried Line, the last section of the Siegfried Line in the area between the Maas and the Rhine rivers.

Nazis try to keep the apparently demoralized Germans from the Rhine dash on the full extent of the 9th Army's advance, but the town 1-hour curfew imposed last night on all its residents.

Resistance Weakening

To the south U.S. 3rd Army troops battled stubborn Nazis in the Eifel Mountain stronghold of Bitburg and Prum, Germans in the Bitburg-Trier highway in a general two-mile advance. Field officer declared that "German resistance is crumbling in the woods is kaput."

Doughboys drive in the Hochwald sprang from near captured

Japanese Halted By Liquid Fire

Manila, Feb. 28 — (AP)—Screaming Japanese, attacking behind the heaviest artillery barrage in the growing battle for the Marikina Watershed east of Manila, hurled a large-scale Banzai charge against elements of the American 8th Division today, but were driven off with heavy losses.

The attack occurred near Montalban, 12 miles northeast of Manila and close to the northern end of elaborately prepared enemy defences along the watershed.

Infantrymen spraying liquid fire cleared out Japanese in Manila's Legislative building, but suicide squads continued to hold out in the finance and agriculture buildings.

American troops occupied all of the Legislative sprucetree this morning after a night artillery barrage broke up a concentration of Japanese machine-guns on the second floor. Flame-throwers, using both gasoline and thermite grenades finished the job.

In the remaining enemy-held buildings, some Japanese committed suicide and, others were killed by their own officers as they tried to escape.

Headquarters announced, meanwhile, of the complete destruction of the enemy on Little Verde Island, between Luzon and Mindoro, and the virtual end of the Corregidor garrison.

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Weather Forecast

Lake Superior — Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday with scattered snowflurries; somewhat colder in northern and western districts on Thursday.

Eastern and Bailey River Scattered snowflurries today, a little colder tonight, Thursday, fair and moderately cold.

Manitoba — Scattered snowflurries today; a little colder tonight, Thursday, fair; not much change in temperature.

Edgar Kennedy, Hillier, Instantly Killed in Car Crash Near Wellington

Edgar Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy, Hillier, was instantly killed, a companion critically injured, and three others shaken and bruised in a car-truck accident two miles west of the village of Wellington early last night.

Maurice Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Campbell, Hillier, is in hospital in Picton suffering broken legs, a fractured jaw and other injuries. His condition is also considered critical.

Two young men, Norman and Alex McLeod and a young lady named Helen Dickerson, all of Hillier, were rushed to the office of Dr. S. S. Thompson for treatment following the crash that resulted in the car driven by Campbell becoming a complete wreck.

According to information received from some of the accident, Campbell, with Kennedy and the others were driving from Hillier to one child.

Wellington to their place of employment at the Quinte Milk Products Company Ltd. Proceeding in a westerly direction on the Wellington-Consecon highway was a truck driven by Ernest Bishop, Picton, and loaded with pulpwood.

Between Bishop's truck and the car driven by Campbell was a third vehicle, driven by Ernest Bishop, Picton, and loaded with pulpwood.

Driven by Campbell becoming a complete wreck.

The car was thrown into the truck head on, killing two, one of the passengers, driving the engine of the truck through the cab and the logs, a fractured jaw and other injuries. His condition is also considered critical.

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CANADIANS TAKE THREE MORE MILES OF RHINE BANK

German Opposition On Flanks Lessens, Panzers Resisting Savagely in Centre

By ROSS MUNRO
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

With the 1st Canadian Army in Germany, Feb. 28. (CP Cables)—German opposition on both flanks of the 1st Canadian Army lessened today, but in the centre, where the Canadians are increasing their pressure on the Hochwald Line, enemy panzer troops resisted savagely.

On the left flank British troops under Gen. Sir Miles Dempsey cleared Cas, one early paratroopers pulled out; British troops also occupied Donsbrugge to the south and north on the Rhine, giving the Canadian Army a front more miles of river bank.

On the right flank near the Maas River, other British troops advanced on the enemy defence westward. At several points white flags appeared on houses and there were indications the Germans were making at least local withdrawals.

German resistance continues south of Udem, where the remnants of the enemy's 8nd Parachtop Division are supported by armor and infantry thrust with anti-tank guns.

The offensive still was plagued by cloudy weather and air support could not be used.

Hundreds of tanks were being used in the drive that threatens to rip open the entire German northern front.

Canadians Smash Through Defence

Following a Thunderbolt attack, launched without artillery preparation dawn, these forces of the 1st Canadian Army smashed through the defences of Calcar and Cleve, Wehl and Zyfflich to the north to give the Army a front of 25 miles of Rhine shore southeast of Nijmegen.

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Needen. Tanks and Infantry

Needen. Tanks and infantry swarmed through the forest along the railway line from Goch to Xanten, which is three miles east of Goch, in a three-mile advance. Elsewhere in the Rhineland battle, the Canadian 2nd Corps captured Calcar and occupied Wehl and Zyfflich to the north to give the Army a front of 25 miles of Rhine shore southeast of Nijmegen.

L.C.B. Discontinues Selling Single Bottles Of Beer At Stores

Toronto, Feb. 28 —(CP)— The Liquor Control Board of Ontario announced today that, effective March 1 the practice of selling single bottles of domestic beer at Liquor Control Board stores will surrender of beer ration coupons would be discontinued.

Ontario residents had been able to purchase one bottle of beer every day at liquor stores without beer coupons but the Board's announcement said that the practice of buying even such small quantities without coupons would be ended.

Minimum packages—six large or 12 small bottles—of domestic beer be stocked at Liquor Control Board stores to avoid occasional customer on the surrender of the necessary beer ration coupons.

Coming Events

BELLEVILLE AND DISTRICT Red Cross Provincial Association, Wednesday, February 28, Y.M.C.A. at 8 p.m. Movies and speakers. F26-3t

BINGO, KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Hall, Friday evening, 8.30 sharp. Same big prizes as in weekly direction on the Wellington-Consecon highway was a truck driven by Ernest Bishop, Picton, and loaded with pulpwood.

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City and District News

CITY, COUNTY OFFICIALS ATTENDING CONVENTION

Mayor Frank Pollwell, Alderman J. J. Trudeau, chairman of public works, and Chip Eagleson, Clerk-Treasurer of Trenton attending the Good Roads convention, which is being held this week. This is the first year city officials have attended the annual convention of the roads association.

County officials are also in attendance at the convention with Wilfred Tennant, chairman of the county roads and bridges committee, William West, H. Harrison, A. Hardy, D. Mawson and Warden J. J. Wilson, all of the committee attending the meeting. County Treasurer James Haggerty, Engineer Larry Langelaa, Jim Moore and J. Nickel are also in attendance.

Other county officials including County Clerk Eric Denyes, Sam Hinchley and S. A. McCrary are in Toronto attending the Ontario Association of Rural Municipalities convention.

OWNERS ARE WARNED TO PROCURE DOG TAGS

Warning to city dog owners to procure their 1945 dog tags was issued by City Constable Thomas Thorn who intimated that to date only 130 tags had been sold at the city hall. Last year the total number of dog tags sold was in the neighborhood of 880. Today owners were advised that dog licenses were due the first of January and that in the future summons would be issued to delinquent owners.

Two dogs are in the city pound at the present time, a part Pomeranian and Terrier female with collar but no tag and a black Spaniel without collar or tag.

WINDOW DISPLAYS EMPHASIZE NEED FOR BLOOD PLASMA

Realizing the urgent need for blood plasma, and desirous of bringing this need to the attention of city residents, three local stores have decorated window space to display pictures important phases of this work.

Figure depicting Red Cross nurses taking blood from donors are featured in the windows of the Canadian Department Stores and Sellers Store while the Library Department Store is displaying nonfictional rolls of those in the city who have given of their more donations.

Posters and cards are prominently displayed in all windows emphasizing the need of the moment.

SYRUP-MAKING SEASON IS NEAR AT HAND

Indicative of the fact that district farmers are getting ready for the end of the fact that the maple syrup making season is not too far distant, the Trenton Co-op syrup making supplies are prominently displayed in the local hardware store windows. And farmers are demonstrating many thinking at present when yesterday when several were seen blowing buckets and other syrup making supplies in their cars in preparation for the opening of the syrup season.

BRIGHTON SOLDIER REPORTED WOUNDED

Members of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, Pte. William R. Carter, son of Mrs. Edith Carter of Brighton, Ont., is reported wounded in action according to today's army casualty list. Pte. Carter's wife is an English girl and lives in Swansea, South Wales.

PICTON

Improvement Contest Planned By Junior Farmers

Picton, Feb. 26 — Plans for the home improvement contest to be held this summer were decided at the monthly meeting of Prince Edward Junior Farmers, held at Demorestville Hall, A. L. Hustwitt presiding. Slides, was given by C. H. Hodge, farm paper editor. The next meeting is to be in Bloomfield. A beef livestock judging competition was also planned for the county town and will take part in a judging competition at Canada Seed Fair at Orono on March 15.

Confirmation Held.

His Lordship Bishop Lyons visited the Church of St. Mary Magdalene last Sunday, a class of six was confirmed. Gifts to the church from Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Redmond, Jr., and Mrs. E. A. Pearce, Capt. and Mrs. Harry Clarke were thankfully prayed. In his sermon on faith, the Bishop said that faith is a basic necessity today.

Basketball Champions.

Picton Collegiate junior girls' basketball team won the Bay of Quinte C.O.S.S.A. title here Monday night by defeating Belleville Collegiate Institute. This their fourth straight win and they will enter the O.S.S.A.A. finals to be played in Toronto. Belleville junior girls defeated Picton here.

Home From Overseas.

Two local airmen have just arrived from overseas. They are W.O. William Carman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex H. Carman, Picton, and P/O. Jack Ackerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman, Milford. Both completed a tour of operations overseas.

At Convention.

Attending the Ontario Good Roads convention this week are Wardens A. H. Clarke, Hawley A. Brummell, Bert Pearsell, Arthur Goodmurphy.

Company Cuts.

Mrs. Edwards, of Kingston, formerly of Picton received word of the safe arrival overseas of her daughter, Mrs. W. Taggart, who joins her husband, a member of the R.A.F., in Scotland. Mrs. Haggart was formerly Public Health Nurse here. Also arriving safely was Mrs. Leonard Pollard, sister of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Hagerman.

Dance.

The Rebekah Lodge held a successful euchre party in the I.O.O.F. Hall last night

Misses Hilda Cleary, Dorothy Ryan and Joyce Thornton, who have been on the staff of Prince Edward County Hospital, have resigned to accept positions in London hospital.

Kiwanians Hear 'Big Brother'Tell His Experiences

Those members of the Kiwanis Club who have children of their own or are interested in the boys and girls' work were thrilled with the address given by Lieutenant Bruce Nugent, general secretary of the Big Brothers Movement in Ontario and also District Governor of the Lions Club following the weekly meeting held at the Quinte Hotel on Tuesday, when Mr. McDougall, the president, presided over the meeting generally were on the jovial side and there was considerable humor injected into the speaker took the floor. Harold Carruthers led in the community singing with Addison Lloyd pilloting the several fines. Bill Steer, chairman of the Blood Donors Committee requested more donors on Thursday night and Cliff Bazagar asked that all canvassing be completed at earliest possible date. Mr. Steer thanked the three stores, Woolco, C.D.S. and Zeller's who are giving their windows for the assistance of the Blood Donors and all other organizations assisting in placing Blood Donor cards.

Introduced and introduced by Gordon Barsley was born in England and for many years since Lieutenant Nugent has taken a keen interest in the work among boys and he told a story entitled "Four Fine Boys". The first "Ted" a fictitious name, was a boy who had led pipe to a junk dealer and stealing it back and repeating the process. A visit to the home of the home and found it pretty demoralized. Second, "Bill" was a boy whose constant study the home was revolting. Third, "Jack" was a boy who left the father to show kids how to make boats and the mother to the sewing circle, was always leaving the living in the home, a different personality was revealed and he became a swell kid.

Fourth, "Bob" whose by name was unmanageable his mother stating that he was not her because he believed his mother was dead. He was a real friend of his sister. The speaker stated that Bob was a friend of his sister and was always breaking the dishes because he was washing for his foster home, given good training by his sister was now broke out he went overseas and is now home with a coat of England. "Bob" another boy was getting into trouble and by the aging of him following in his footsteps and by the training was able to steal a car and pack a revolver but through this home situation was fully explained to him by the speaker's heart and is now's successful business man.

The speaker showed that juvenile delinquency in 1942 as compared to 1939 had increased 54 per cent and when the proportion of boys to relation of girls was given it was every six boys the ratio is now one girl, to every girl there is a considerable increase. The increase in juvenile delinquency was also between the ages of eight to eleven this increase was 50 per cent. Professor Rogers says the nervous element has the biggest trouble with boys but the Big Brother gangs and in Toronto one social worker found twenty-seven problem children in a small area. "These are the boys who must be helped" he stated. He believed boys will accept good leadership. In closing he told of Bob who after he wanted a gift boy for Christmas and the Big Brothers contacted a man, who took the boy and that day he happily married and earning good money in a munitions factory.

Labor Shortage Affects Supply Hardwood Lumber

Potential builders or others who intend building or have a desire to own a lumber dealer and order a hardwood lumber for that matter, at a moment's notice, are due for a jolt.

In other words the wood isn't here in any standard quantity and won't be until certain labor and transportation affecting the industry are ironed out.

The first job fact that there is an actual shortage of the standard stock source. In fact, there are plenty of logs piled high at the sawmill yards, but there is the small matter of getting them out of the boys being overseas, sawmill men are up against a problem of their own insofar as getting the proper help is concerned.

Then again vital war priorities call for the major part of the hardwood that is available from time to time.

But in spite of this, small quantities of the material are trickling into the city, according to dealers state, but this in no way meets the demand for the large firm expects, carload in the near future and the smaller gets small lots at a time.

And that, according to dealers, is the hardwood situation at the present time.

TRENTON

Many Cases Heard in Court

Trenton, Feb. 26—James Edward Deline paid $100 and costs in the Trenton police court on Tuesday when he appeared before Magistrate T. Y. Wills, charged with having liquor not purchased on a Brewers' Retail. R. C. Donnan, K.C., prosecuted for the crown.

James V. Anderson and Sidney Williams were each fined $10 and costs for breach of the Liquor Control Act and in default 14 days. When the court adjourned they were still doing 'porridge as they had not yet raised the funds to pay their fines. Another inebriate was more successful and had paid his fine in advance.

Gerald Radway and William Beatty failed to appear when their names were called for breach of the Liquor Control Act, and warrants were issued by the court.

Russell Moon, charged with operating an R.C.A.F. officer's motor car, without authority, had his case enlarged for one week.

A breach of the School Attendance Act charge against Trenton woman was enlarged for two weeks, counsel that she might have an opportunity to show the court that she was willing to comply with the law.

William Stacey, charged with theft of coal, pleaded not guilty and his case was enlarged for one week.

William Laird on a similar charge pleaded guilty and was given six months' suspended sentence and ordered to pay $2.50 costs.

Charged with consuming liquor while under the age of twenty years, was fined $10 and costs. Another charge of being drunk and had his case enlarged for one week.

A breach of the School Attendance Act by a Trenton woman was enlarged for two weeks, counsel that she might have an opportunity to show the court that she was willing to comply with the law.

District Officers Of Y.P.U. Visit Trenton Union

Continuing their practice of visiting each of the branches in the union, executive officers of the Hastings District of Y.P.U. convened with Grace United Church Y.P.U. members in Trenton on Monday evening when Miss Ruth Simpson, Forward Movement leader from Trenton, was the guest speaker.

Executive officers of the district association will attempt to visit each of the branches in South Hastings, according to Solidarity Rev. Councilor of Belleville, Canniff-on, Centenary and Trenton branches have already been visited by the visiting speakers previous to each visit. Scheduled plans are for officers to visit other branches as soon as possible.

At the Trenton meeting Miss Simpson spoke on the Forward Movement which she claimed represented the spiritual power behind the organization. The keynote of the movement was related to be prayer, study and action. The young people must first feel a need for such a fellowship.

During the visit of the district executive officers to the various Y.P.U. branch's, the president emphasizes union membership responsibility for contributions to missionary work and for dedicated fellowship among their own and district members.

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Obituary

VERTON DELBERT SNYDER

The funeral of Verton Delbert Snyder, late residence, 250 Coleman Street, took place Tuesday afternoon from the Thomas C. Thompson Funeral Home, 38 Everett Street. The service in the chapel and the Belleville cemetery, near Nepanee, was conducted by the Rev. W. Cook, pastor of the United Church. All Trenton.

The bearers were Messrs. Marvin Holden, Clifford Andrews, Jack Elliott, John Lloyd, J. Griffin and Roy Alexander.

GEORGE D. ENGLISH (Madoc Review)

The funeral of George D. English, formerly of Melrose, who died at the Mountain Sanitarium in Hamilton on Saturday, Feb. 24th, took place from the Martin Funeral Home, Church Street, on Tuesday afternoon to the United Church at Melrose where service was conducted by the Rev. A. W. Lougheed.

Interment was took place at Melrose cemetery.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Frank Pringle, Fred Jeffrey, Russell Macfarlane, William Macfarlane, Lorne Wess and Sherry Demille.

The late Mr. English, who was in his 76th year was born at Madoc and all his life was passed there and at Melrose. He was a native of Hamilton. He was a member of the Methodist church at Melrose and was well esteemed.

Surviving him are one son, Clayton, Hamilton; two sisters, Miss Mary Mrs. John Sine, Toronto. His wife, the former Jennie McLaren, died in 1941.

IRA MURPHY
(R. R. 1—Marmora)

Ira Murphy, R. R. 1, Marmora, died in the Belleville General Hospital on Tuesday evening. He was seriously injured in a car crash and a patient in the hospital since Jan. 27th. last.

HUGH McMASTER BLAIR
(Amerold, Sask.)

On Sunday, Feb. 25th. the death of Hugh M. Blair occurred at his home in Amerold, Sask. after a year of his passing has brought feelings of sorrow to his friends and family in this district.

Born in Madoc eighty-nine years ago, he was the son of the late and Mrs. James Blair.

He was married to his first wife being Martha E. McCoy. To this union were born Miss Mae Blair, Amerold; Mrs. J. M. Elliott, Belleville; Mrs. J. A. Collier, Belleville; Mrs. J. A. Collier, Moose Jaw; Mrs. Ivy, Dr. J. H. Blair, Vancouver; Mrs. Ivy Cohaw; J. B. Blair, Toronto. Pvor. Ernest Blair, Amerold. Seven grandchildren also survive. Two sons predeceased him, Dr. E. E. Boyce and Miss Annie Blair, who died in infancy.

His second wife was Rose Hall Blair, Amerold; Mrs. J. M. Elliott

Lobbyists See Possibility Of Early Ontario Election

Drew Throws Out Challenge to Minority Groups to Test Government

Toronto, Feb. 26 — (CP)—Opposition parties of the Ontario Legislature had Premier Drew's challenge today to test his Progressive Conservative administration if they so desired — a challenge in which some lobbyists saw possibilities of a none-too-distant Provincial election.

Revival of election talk stemmed from two developments at yesterday's sitting where the Premier crossed swords with Mitchell Hepburn and others to produce one of the stormiest House scenes since Mr. Hepburn's days as Liberal premier.

First the Premier, incensed by a point-by-point attack of his program by the C.C.F. opposition leader Jolliffe, declared: "If the Legislature is unprepared to support legislation of a major character, then this government will not continue to assume responsibility for government."

That came after Mr. Jolliffe, in an hour-long address in the Throne Speech debate, labelled government plans as "unpreparedness for peace" and making a five-point amendment to the Throne Speech motion. The amendment charged among other things that the government's attitude did not make for industrial unity and that it had failed to carry out its program.

Second development was the surprise appearance of Lieutenant-Governor Albert Matthews in the House at the Premier's request. He gave Royal assent to five measures, among them the new Provincial Active Service Voting Act. It provides a direct ballot for voting service men and women and a proxy vote for prisoners of war.

Hepburn Accused

The Premier explained Royal assent would make possible immediate discussion with the Dominion regarding voting regulations to be embraced in the measure. The government has promised these negotiations would follow as closely as possible those of the Dominion Act.

It was not Mr. Drew's support challenge which provoked the most hectic scenes of the day. Those came later when the Premier accused Mr. Hepburn of lowering the standard of debate in the House and made references to the Elgin member's non-appearance in the Grey-North by-election campaign.

Mr. Hepburn said he never had any intention of entering the Grey North campaign but he had "clout an invitation," which was more than the Premier could say.

For 10 minutes or more the Premier, Mr. Hepburn and A. A. MacLeod (LP Toronto Bellwoods) shot questions and charges at each other.

The Premier, pointing his finger at Mr. Hepburn, told him to keep personalities out of it if he wished to accept the consequences.

Such phrases as "Liberal-Communist Alliances" — a charge the Premier hurled at Mr. Hepburn and Mr. MacLeod — "Puppet" and "Dictator" were heard in the Chamber.

The Premier adjourned the debate and will continue either today or Thursday, with Mr. Hepburn and others still to speak.

Report Tabled

Report of a special House Committee which investigated lignite deposits in Northern Ontario was tabled. It said the committee did not believe the project was economically sound because of the lack of any substantial backing of industrial markets, but recommended work now underway be continued to provide more information.

In his Throne Speech address, opposition leader Jolliffe told the House his party still would consider legislation "on its merits," but added: "We find nothing in the Government's legislative program to suggest that they are seriously prepared to deal with the problems a post-war crisis will bring upon Ontario."

He declared the program of "the government at Queen's Park is the government at Ottawa's keenest opponent for peace" and moved his amendment asking that the House regret that the government's legislation had not developed industrial unity; that the government had failed to implement its promises; that it failed to provide legislation for adequate farm prices and farm security, and it failed to recognize the need for union security and that it had failed to accept its responsibility for planning and organizing employment in the post-war period.

Jolliffe Makes Charge

Mr. Jolliffe charged that while Premier Drew was attending the Dominion-Provincial conference, the government had refused to send a senior civil servant to Ottawa to carry out preliminary steps for such a conference at the Dominion Legislature. Every other province in Canada had been willing, National unity, he said, was the underlying motive behind Mr. Drew's attitude toward the Dominion-Provincial conference question.

These remarks brought from the Premier the charge that only on the basis of national unity, and that is that with equal opportunity there must be equality of obligation."

Mr. Drew said his government wanted to co-operate with the Dominion and other provinces but there were the rights of the people of Ontario to think about in any such dealings. He would always keep them in mind.

He said there had been much co-operation between Ontario and Quebec and named mining and health legislation as two matters on which the two provinces had reached amicable agreements.

Much had been said at the session about a minority government — 38 Progressive Conservatives against 32 C.C.F. members, 16 Liberals, two Labor Progressives and two Independents who recently split from the C.C.F. ranks.

So long as his government had the support of the majority, it would be a majority government, he said.

But when it became a minority government, he would not accept the responsibility to continue.

He termed Mr. Hepburn a jewel of "inconsistency" and quoted statements made by the Elgin Member respecting Prime Minister Mackenzie King and even Mr. Drew himself in an attempt to prove his point.

Hepburn Makes Charge

Mr. Hepburn asked if it were not true that Mr. Drew was a paid organiser for Earl Rowe, Progressive Conservative Federal Member, and that he later resigned and ran as an Independent and "got the worst trimming of your life."

"If you want to start that let's ask about your relations with the Member sitting beside you (Harry Nixon, Liberal Brant)," said the premier.

"I asked a question," insisted Mr. Hepburn.

"I was not a paid organizer and was working with Mr. Rowe," the Premier shot back, adding: "I first met the Member for Elgin when he was at the height of his power and took his worst defeat in East Hastings. He folded after that."

Harry Connor (CCF Hamilton East) got in a parting shot, saying that what the C.C.F. feared was that the two will knock themselves slap-happy and save us the trouble.

$14,000 Saving to Electric Users Passed by Commission

Ontario Hydro Reduces Horsepower Cost From $25 to $22

Reduction of power cost by the Ontario Hydro Power Commission for Belleville from $25 to $22 per horsepower means a saving of $14,000 to the electric users of this city and this was passed on to the consumers as from February 1st by a motion passed at the regular meeting of the Belleville Utilities Commission held on Tuesday afternoon.

The motion was made by Commissioner Follwell and seconded by F. D. Reid and passed unanimously. Manager O. B. Scott read the letter of the new rates that go into effect on February 1st and it was there that a reduction has been made in the residential entry department of the electric utility.

The letter also stated that work will proceed in the near future on the new sub-station to be erected at the corner of Catherine and Sidney streets and the high tension line from the Reid Street station to the new station. Options have been obtained on two lots at the above mentioned corner and when the property is cleared to the Utilities the work will be started. The Commission also purchased a new Dodge one-ton dump delivery truck from the Bateman Motors at a sum of $1,170. Another order struck has been disposed of by the manager. The Utilities also joined the Eastern Ontario Municipal Advertising at a cost of $10 and the A.M.R.U. at $25 a year.

A letter was read to the Commission to make a grant to the City Council for tax reducing purposes from the profit of the Utility, where there is a debenture debt to retire.

2. It is only necessary for an electric utility obtaining its electricity from the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario to deposit funds with the Council of the municipality to the extent and in such amounts as are necessary to provide for any payments required to be made on account of principal or interest issued for the construction and equipment of works for the distribution of electrical power and energy.

The resolution received from the City Council "that an enquiry be sent to the Public Utilities Commission asking for a statement as to what the corporation owns in respect to the local hydro system arising from the purchase made some years ago, or acquired since that date and also asking what city official made a demand on the commission for the profits of the electrical utility," was answered. The Commission will furnish the City Council with the property owned by the Commission and with reference to the latter part of the resolution "we would advise there was no official demand made on the Commission but there was an implied request made verbally by Alderman H. J. Clarke to the chairman of the commission. It is also understood the City Comptroller was advising the requirements of the act were in accordance with Ald. Clarke's request."

Modernized Photos Of Hastings Ex-Wardens Placed in Shire Hall

Some seventy-four ex-wardens of the County of Hastings will look down from modern photographs on meetings in the Committee Room at Shire Hall in the near future.

Forty pictures are already in place in ranks on the north wall and the others are expected to be completed soon to mark a tribute to the men who have ruled the destinies of the county since 1851.

The work of obtaining the pictures, especially of those wardens who lived and presided over the county in the late eighties has entailed a lot of effort on the part of County Clerk Eric Hynes and Miss Ruth Denning, his secretary. Old photographs had to be secured and enlarged to coincide with those of more recent date. They are of uniform size and handsomely framed. Names of the wardens are inscribed at the bottom of the photographs.

King Broadcast Likely To Clarify Political Picture

Ottawa, Feb. 26 — (CP)—Definite announcements on some points of uncertainty in the present political situation are expected in a radio speech to be broadcast by Prime Minister Mackenzie King on Saturday week.

Following a cabinet meeting, the Prime Minister's office announced last night that Mr. King will take the microphone at a time yet to be decided to speak on "matters of some inquiries that have been directed at the government lately."

The chief and most persistent inquiries relate to the date of the election and the calling of a further meeting of the present parliament, which expires April 17.

Other political developments may come more discussion. Progressive Conservative leader John Bracken is due to speak to the annual meeting of the party's Dominion Association here this week and in the Legislatures of Manitoba and Quebec governments face opposition which might force them to bring on elections.

The Prime Minister's speech is eagerly awaited by Members of Parliament and candidates for parliament across the country to see if they look for clues as to when to begin intensive preparations for the election and the lines of argument to develop in opposing or supporting the government at the coming election.

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Two Axis Capitals

For the offending capitals of the Axis bombs are falling like hail. Berlin with its network of Nazi industries and railways has long since felt the strength of the British and American raids which have reduced a great part of it to ruins. Now Tokyo has been the attraction for U. S. squadrons with the numerous war industries in the Japanese capital as targets. Berlin has known what it has meant and Tokyo is getting foretastes of what is to come. Even Berlin has not yet felt all for the united power of air and land offensive impends against the German capital.

Neither of these two Axis cities could have foreseen at the start of the war what has come to them and what is yet arriving. Both capitals as the seats of the aggressors were confident that such things as have come to pass could never be thought of or much less realized.

What has come is a surprise and a death-blow to the Axis partners. The air strength carries on its mission that not only capitals of the enemy but the resistance of their forces is utterly crushed. What it means for Berlin it means for Germany and her armies and what it means for Tokyo it means for the whole of Japan.

The proud boast of the Axis used to be that their tyrannies were the assurance of victory, that the dictators could not fail. But it is the Axis that made the greatest mistakes and showed the least reason—they went to war. That was their mistake which they did not think a mistake. The democracies have the strength, the determination and justice and most nations of earth want democracy and liberty and none want Hitler's and Nippon's chains. At this time the German and Japanese capitals are a commentary on the falsity of the claims of the aggressors. All the deeds of evil that they could do have not won them the war, that they have done has headed them for defeat which will be so complete that the nations of earth it is expected will never again be threatened by marauder nations like the gangs centred in Berlin and Tokyo. These nations will be no held in check that they will not be able to terrorize the world and plunge humanity into year after year of war.

Berlin, Tokyo, Rome, as names and things that the peace-loving world detests and of which they will rid the globe.

British Shipping Record

The magnificent record in war of the United Kingdom shipping and shipbuilding and the vital part they will play in post-war restoration of world economy were presented in the annual report of the Chamber of Shipping. Up to the end of 1943, nearly three thousand United Kingdom ships—11,600,000 tons gross—were sunk but despite the grievous losses of the early years, the eventual success of the combined navy and air operations against U-boats, together with intensive shipbuilding, brought the net loss to under thirty per cent—a total of seventeen-and-a-half million in 1939, thirteen-and-a-half million in 1943.

Throughout 1944 the situation improved. The merchant navy in the landings on the Continent played no small part; the initial picture only thousand merchant ships of some three million tons participated; in the first hundred days, 2,200,000 men, four million tons of stores and five hundred thousand vehicles were landed. Previously published figures show the intensive character of the U. K. Wartime Shipping. In 1940-43 construction was 20 per cent over the comparable period of 1915-18 despite a 55 per cent concentration of labor on naval work and over half the remaining manpower engaged on repairs. To the end of 1943, 4,700,000 gross tons were built in U. K. shipyards and an expert opinion gives the 1944 construction at one million tons. There has been considerable amount of specialized building.

After the immediate post-war period when every ton of shipping will be needed, world shipping will have an unbalanced character, the report said, thoroughly unsuited to peace needs, with a preponderance of standard cargo ships mostly under the United States flag. Thus, though the problem of eliminating the surplus is worldwide the lead must be taken by the United States, says the statement.

For Great Britain, however, the shipping industry has proposed a solution of the division surplus into, first, a strategic or break-up reserve definitely surplus to the market requirements and secondly a commercial reserve, for example, of ships which from quality and expedition of employment can be regarded as "marginal" tonnage. On the U. S. proposal to dispose of surplus vessels to American and foreign shipowners, the report says, "superficially attractive as this suggestion might seem, the need for the disposal of surplus must be balanced with the need, equally vital to maintain the shipyards of Britain in full employment and for the re-creation of the British Mercantile Marine, with the most modern tonnage designed for economic trading.

Allied Music on the Rhine

(New York Herald Tribune)

The 18,000 plastic harmonicas which the thoughtful War Department has announced will arrive overseas soon are certain, we think, to fulfill their well meant and obvious purpose of furnishing a form of portable orchestration likely to cheer snow-bucking boys on the Western Front.

The mouth organ—for one prefers this simple name which always been popular with melodic amateurs, offering as it does the most music in the smallest space, the widest scope to the least talent, of all devices common to music-making man. The miniature labial calliope, when set in motion by the fervent inhalations and exhalations of an expert, has a nostalgic tonal quality capable of recalling the back porch of a farm on a summer night and thus making many a boy find "My Old Kentucky Home" that much nearer Berlin.

It is interesting to remember that the harmonica, which for so many years appeared the country under German labels, will now be plastically returning to the home of its ancestors in the uniform pockets of boys who never expected to be playing "mouth organ" in the vicinity of the Rhine and in two feet offering as to Teutonic snow. Our guess is that the first shipment of mouth organs will be so well received that an encore of at least 180,000 might fitly follow.

It is not too much to predict that the brisk measures of many typically Yankee tunes will yet echo along the Wilhelmstrasse—the victorious products of the almost breathless enthusiasm of G.I. mouth organs.

"Happy, Singing Hens"

(Victoria Colonist)

A correspondent writing to a Mainland newspaper the other day referred to the success she had had with her "happy, singing hens." The secret, said the correspondent, was to feed the hens correctly, house them under proper conditions, study their health, and then the hens would do the rest. The hens will be happy and singnot mefely cackle, but sing! We like the recipe. If that will make even one hen happy we are in full favor of trying it. Although a little shocked at the singing, we would be prepared to risk even that if one solitary living creature on this planet can be rendered happy.

But should it stop at hens? Supposing the world found a means of feeding people correctly, housing them under proper conditions, paying due regard to their health —would human beings, too, sing and be happy? If human beings had the same mentality as poultry, perhaps the results would be similar.

Men are not like hens. Hens can be happy, and when happy they may even sing—although we doubt it. Human beings will only be happy when they can live their own lives, upon their own plans, be they good or bad.

Health Officer of St. Paul warns that bobby socks worn in winter invite illness. Chills traceable to them he says, make the girls susceptible to colds, influenza, pneumonia, tuberculosis and other ills. Guess what do the girls care as long as the things are fashionable? asks the Owen Sound Sun Times.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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HOME'S BEST

Who knows what home is best?

Not always the ones who stay there,
Thinking other spots more blest,
Wishing often they could stray there.
But, the soldiers dreaming of it
They're the ones who really love it.

Who know that home is best?

Ask the lads in jungles, tropic,
When they get a chance to rest,
What of talk's their favorite topic?
What is it they sit reviewing?
Home, and what the folks are doing!

Who know that home is best?

Not the ones of old scenes weary,
Seeking alien interest.
They may think the place is dreary!
But, the stout hearts, flying for it,
Sailing, fighting, dying for it.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



"Well take the one you don't want daughter, as a fourth for our bridge."

LOOKING BACKWARDS

GLEANINGS FROM OUR FYLES OF BY-GONE YEARS.

20 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 26th., 1925

The Rev. Dr. E. N. Baker of Albert College, addressed the members of the Rotary Club in Chatham, Ontario, last week.

The Belleville Radio Club will hold a radio show here in the near future. At a recent meeting of the club, Mr. J. Owen Herlihy, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, was made an honorary member of the club.

Mr. Robert Stewart of this city, is spending a few days in Lindsay.

Dr. W. M. Mather of Tweed, is visiting his mother at her home on Coleman Street.

The Rev. J. R. Kenny has returned to the city from Lindsay.

A movement is in progress to establish a tourist camp in this city.

30 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 26th., 1915

Last evening Mr. W. B. Deacon entertained the members of the Printers' Hockey Team and the Deacon Hockey Team at an oyster supper at the Royal Cafe.

The fire brigade was called to the residence of Mr. Bert Ketchum, corner of Coleman and Dorset Streets, this morning. Fire was discovered in the kitchen, but was extinguished without the aid of the firemen. The damage was small.

Mr. F. G. Kennedy and children have returned to their homes here from Kingston.

Mr. A. Powell, of Brantford, formerly of this city, is spending a few days in town.

40 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 26th., 1905

It has been decided to endeavor to prevent a flood this spring by opening a channel in the west side of the harbor. The Harbor Commissioners have agreed to act with the city council in the matter and each body will spend $100.00 in the expense of the work.

The Rev. F. B. Stratton and Mrs. Stratton, of Toronto, are visiting friends in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mollet are spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brooker of Chicago, Ill., are visiting relatives here.

Major Thomas Stewart of this city, attended the Garrison dinner which took place at the Hotel Randolph in Kingston yesterday.

50 YEARS AGO

FEBRUARY 26th., 1885

A long looked for event took place at noon today when the clerks of the Hotel Quinte were thrown open to the public, and those who thought the hotel were delighted with the plan of the building and the exquisite furnishings. Between 200 and 300 people took dinner at the hotel today: Mr. and Mrs. Presley, Mr. and Mrs. L. Benmore, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jarvis, Mrs. J. P. Thomas, Sheriff Geo. Ross and Mrs. Hope, Mr. Thomas Wills, Mr. J. C. Jamison, Mr. L. B. Terwilliger, Mr. C. E. Davies, Mr. H. Dodge, Mr. A. Ross Bignall, Mr. J. Wilson, Mr. J. P. Thompson, Mr. W. J. Knickerbocker, Mr. W. H. Foster, Mr. Jas. Carter, Col. M. J. Hendrick, Mr. M. F. Hawley and Mr. J. M. Sterling. Mr. Thomas Wills, of Trenton, who dined at the hotel today, was present at the first dinner served at the old Dafoe House, which stood upon the site of the present Hotel Quinte. The hotel contains sixty-two rooms and can accommodate 100 guests comfortably. Mr. Charles P. Hunter of this city, who was clerk at the Dafoe House at the time it was burned, will be the manager, and Mr. Jas. Carter, formerly of the Queen's Hotel, Toronto, will be the day clerk. The hotel is owned by the following: Messrs. Bell, Corby, Carter, Mr. W. H. Biggar, M.P.P. and E. Thompson, Thomas Ritchie, John Bell, C.E., and Mr. Walters and Col. S. S. Lister.

Press Freedom Threatened

(Windsor Star Editorial)

At a time when world-wide freedom of the Press has become one of the major aims of the United Nations, this issue is not immediately threatened in this country. A bill introduced into the Ontario Legislature by Mr. George Bennett, C.C.F., member for Windsor-Sandwich, is a minor manifestation of the trend.

Mr. Bennett's bill would forbid newspapers to carry political advertisements or political editorials on polling day. On the surface, this may sound like an innocent proposal, and one that is perhaps backed by reason. Actually, it is extremely dangerous. It constitutes the first step toward legislative censorship of newspaper editorial opinion, and no hint of that can be tolerated by a free people.

One question which would arise would be as to what constitutes an editorial. Any report of a political meeting held on the day of an election, and carried in a newspaper on that day, would take place, could be construed as an editorial. Even if it could be proved to be manifestly ridiculous to allow the prohibition of such a report and forbid comment on it, the principle involvement would be to ban the publication of it. Editorial freedom here political authority would be stepping right into the business of controlling the publication of news, an even more dangerous principle.

If Mr. Bennett's bill were the only manifestation of a movement on the political groups to interfere with the freedom of the Press, it could be dismissed without much concern. It is not likely to pass, in any case. But it is not the only sign of the tendency.

Certain C.C.F. supporters in positions of some authority have made open suggestions from time to time, that a political party should be imposed on newspapers. Here, with the C.C.F. in power in Saskatchewan, there are more or less veiled suggestions that the government may acquire or establish a newspaper. That is a possibility that must be viewed with the utmost apprehension.

Let us face the fact squarely that newspapers owned or controlled by political parties would be no new thing in Canada. They have undoubtedly existed in the past. A comparatively few years ago were quite common. Now that is a different matter from newspapers owned and operated by a government in power. Once they are established, freedom of the Press becomes a thing of the past.

The one-time party organ has all but disappeared. It has been crowded through any access of journalistic virility, through a keener discrimination on the part of the public. Such newspapers became commercially unsound. Even political groups found that subsidization cost more than it was worth. Particularly when the readers generally turned to journals whose independence of party politics was such that they therefore could be relied on for an honest presentation of news and views.

Government operation of newspapers would bring about a condition in which all the people, through the C.C.F. government, would contribute to the support of one-party propaganda which they did not subscribe to. The only way to prevent such a movement is to oppose strenuously every step toward such a situation.

Tropics Hotter Than You Think And It Rains 'Horizontally' There

By KENNE PYLE

In the Marianas Islands — It is tropical where we are now, wonderfully tropical.

It looks tropical, and best of all, it feels tropical. Just now is the good season, which is to us like a pleasantest part of summer at home.

But it is hotter than you think, and you change your whole approach to the weather in here.

You get from the navy a long-billed "baseball" cap to shield your eyes from the sun. Your clothes closet has an electric light bulb hanging constantly in it, to keep it dry so your clothes won't mould. You change your leather belt for a web strap to a canvas one, for a leather one would mould on your arm.

You put on heavy-topped shoes again, for it still rains here and the red mud is sloppy. And instead of light sack dresses as you'd think, you put on hero shirts to help cushion your feet in the big seas, and to absorb the moisture.

Officers wear their sun-glasses cases hooked to their shirts as ours are unknown. There is no glass in the windows. Wide slanting eaves put out far beyond the windows in all the permanent barracks built by the navy, for when it rains it really pours.

And as someone said, it rains "horizontally" here. In the few showers since we arrived, I've seen that the rain does come at quite an angle.

Actually the rainy season is supposed to be over. Consequently, every time it showers during the day, the Californians in camp point out that the weather is "unusual."

Lieut. Cmdr. Max Miller and I are staying briefly in a room of a Bachelor Officers' Quarters (BOQ). Our famous feathers have put them up all over these various islands, since we took over from the Japanese last summer.

They've also formed form of immense Quonset huts, made of corrugated steel with concrete floors. Some of them are even two stories high, have a six foot down the centre, and individual rooms on each side. The walls are screened.

The outside wall is almost all screening, too, and the ceiling spaces are screened but have no floor, for it never gets so cold you'd want to shut the window. But it is pleasantly cool at night, and we sleep under sheets.

Each room has a clothes closet and a washstand, and a chest of drawers. And also two beds. These are the beds of the Old Marines.

They are American beds, with double mattresses, soft and wonderful. As everybody says, they're fifty beds than you'd have at home. I don't know how many beds I've served in Europe, and he laughed and said: "Plenty." So they've roughed it there, I feel self-conscious about sleeping like this over here. But if the Navy wants to get soft on me, I'm sure as hell going to sleep in them.

Naturally everybody on these islands doesn't live like that, for these quarters are only for transients—officers, nurses, and staff officers.

The great working camps of the Seabees and the troops are largely tent and corrugated cots in them. But on the whole, now that we have been improving the islands for several months, everybody lives pretty comfortably.

Max and I had a reception committee when we walked into our room.

A half dozen Seabees were throwing old lumber into a truck just outside our window. We hadn't been in the room two seconds until

PERSONAL HEALTH TALKS

By WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

THE HOPELESS PROGNOSIS

The other day I said that in exceptional cases the prospect of cure for great improvement in the future hopeless. Hopeless means having no expectation of lasting improvement or recovery of health.

In the early days of my country practice a colleague in another village called a surgeon from the city to operate on a boy with acute appendicitis, and me to give the anesthetic. When we reached the boy's bedside we found him, as the three of us were certain, moribund from general peritonitis. What was known as "inflammation of the bowels"—the consequence of rupture of the inflamed or gangrenous appendix that makes appendicitis so dangerous when surgical treatment is too long withheld. While we were considering how best to tell the parents that it was too late to attempt the operation, the boy's father solved the problem by announcing suddenly that he would not consent to operation. So the three doctors—the city surgeon, the boy's family doctor and me—men of experience, and I, the tyro fresh from the hospital lack, as you may well imagine, pretty cocky about our knowledge, took on the latest wrinkles in the doctor line and expressed our great sympathy for the family and retired, with a hopeless prognosis—we gave the boy more than 24 hours to live.

In similar circumstances I'd give the same prognosis today. Probably ninety-nine out of a hundred physicians or surgeons would.

Nevertheless there has been an excellent recovery and grew up to become a young manhood, only to lose his life finally in a railway accident.

In exceptional cases—I do not believe it would do any good to mention them—I would refuse in cases of a chronic or long enduring and progressive or worsening character. I believe the physician should administer or prescribe whatever anodyne, sedative, or "dope" if you please, seems to give the patient any success or comfort, and without regard for habitforming qualities. I say it is wicked and cruel to impose any federal, state or municipal restriction upon the administration of prescription of any such drug or narcotic by the attending physician in such circumstance.

The attitude of the federal, state and local government authorities is and for years has been equivocal and many thousands of unhappy diabetics in respect to the control of the narcotic traffic. It would be better to let a hundred criminals escape punishment than to harass an unlucky diabetic near mortality because of interference with proper use of such drugs in his practice.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Bone Meal

I have Been Told bone meal tablets act as a preventive of tooth decay. Have been unable to find them in local drug-stores. (Miss E. B.)

Answer—Bone meal is composed of about 15 parts of calcium in a hundred parts calcium carbonate and tricalcium phosphate. It would be more effective, I believe, to take calcium gluconate and dicalcium phosphate, of course always add vitamin D, which is essential for assimilation and retention of calcium.

Carbolic Acid

Please advise me the correct average dose of carbolic acid in a teaspoonful of water. (C. C.)

Answer—One to two drops of carbolic acid diluted with plenty of water. I doubt that taking carbolic acid internally every day for forty years, as you say you have done, has anything to do with immunity against any kind of disease. I should not advise taking carbolic acid in any dose for any purpose.

Dentist Is No Bogey

I've always been afraid the dentist would hurt. Please give me a remedy. Is it safe? Do you believe in filling teeth? (C. C.)

Answer—You look again and see whether your letter is dated 1946. You do not owe your life to the only way the teeth can be kept, brush or no brush. I believe in filling even the baby teeth, if cavity is discovered. For the sake of health, comfort, appearance and long years of life you should have your teeth looked after. Dentist is no bogey-free and relaxed, envelope bearing your address, for reply. (Copyright 1945 by John F. Dille Co.)

YOU'D BE SURPRISED

By GEORGE W. STIMPSON

IT BEATS THE BAND, JOE!

The Associated Press, apparently short of news, recently sent out the following remarkable statement:

"The banjo originated in America. It is named after Joseph Sweeney, who, because he played so many instruments was called 'Band Joe' or 'Banjo'."

Probable the "reliable source" of this information was a newspaper contemporary, Bob Ripley, or "Believe It or Not" fame, who has repeatedly written:

"The banjo (the only American musical instrument) was invented by Joseph Sweeney, a musical Irishman who was so versatile that he was called a whole band in himself—hence 'banjo'."

It would be interesting to know what "musical instrument" he invented that joks and got Bob Ripley and the Associated Press to take it seriously.

Of course, that story is a lot of nonsense. Nevertheless, it does have given our serious stymologists much trouble.

The banjo was probably patterned after the crude native African instrument. A primitive type of banjo, made with gourds and grass strings, is still used by the natives on the Guinea coast. Its Senegam-among the Negroes of the South.

DELAYED JAMAICA FARMS

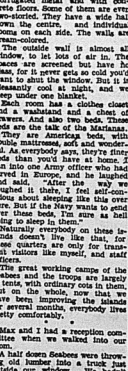
LOST FLEET AT CASSINO

London—(CP)—The Colonial office has announced a grant of $511,600 (about $2,300,000) toward establishment of 19 agricultural training centres in Jamaica. The aim is to reorganize and develop native agriculture.

London—(CP)—Maj.-Gen. Brocard Kippenberger, who as commander of the New Zealand Division lost both feet at Cassino when he stepped on a mine, has been named to the Order of Merit.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



Chief Constable's Annual Report Shows Police Court Cases Increased In 1944

There was an increase of 309 cases in Belleville police court in the year 1944 over the previous year, it was revealed in the annual report of Chief R. W. Pophart submitted to the Belleville Police Commission today. In 1944 there was a total of 1036 cases entered in the city police court of Belleville, of this number 940 were males and 96 females.

Another remarkable feature in the activities of the local police department was the fact that every motor vehicle reported stolen in Belleville in 1944, was subsequently recovered and returned to the owner. Belleville police also were instrumental in the recovery of three motor cars stolen from other centres, Chief Probert's report revealed. Only one fatal accident occurred on city streets.

Commission Approves

The annual report of the chief constable is submitted to the Police Commission, that consists of His Honor Judge Cameron, chairman; Magistrate T. Y. Wills and Mayor A. E. Pollard.

The report in full is as follows:

The Chairman,
Board of Police Commissioners,
Belleville, Ontario.
Dear Sir:—

I respectfully submit, for the information of the Board of Police Commissioners, my report for the year 1944, including the criminal and other statistics, for that period.

There were 1036 cases before the Court, an increase of 309 over last year. There were 940 males and 96 females.

During the year there were 87 motor vehicle accidents investigated and reported to the Department of Highways. Twenty-nine persons were injured, one fatally, from these accidents.

Eighteen motor vehicles were reported stolen in the city. All these vehicles were recovered. Three stolen motor cars were recovered for other Police Departments.

There were 169 bicycles reported stolen, 156 of these were recovered and returned to their owners.

The number of transients given shelter at the Police Station totalled 358.

181 doors and windows were found to be insecure when checked by the officers on night duty. In each case the owners were notified and the premises made secure.

There were 680 dog tags issued during the year and 250 dogs were destroyed by Thomas Thorn, Dog Catcher.

The City Fire Department received 266 calls and police attendance was given where required.

Three sudden deaths were reported and investigated by the Department. One drowning, one motor accident and one from natural causes.

The total amount of fines and fees collected amounted to $10,470.70, all of which was handed over to the Magistrate for distribution.

The following is a list of the cases classified:

BREACH OF BY-LAWS

	1942	1943	1944
Breach of Butcher By-Law	0	1	0
Breach of By-Law	16	11	20
Breach of Tobacco By-Law	1	0	0
Breach of Poolroom By-Law	1	3	1
Breach of Traffic By-Law	158	142	136
Disorderly Conduct	8	14	30
Playing ball on streets	0	0	6
Use of insulting language	1	1	2

BREACH OF HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT

Careless Driving	41	47	49
Driving with Defective Brakes	7	5	4
Driving with Defective Lights	0	0	6
Driving with License Suspended	5	8	12
Driving while License Suspended	1	1	2
Driving at Excessive Speed	16	15	19
Failure to Produce Driver's License	3	2	4
Leaving Scene of Accident	2	4	4
Riding bicycles at night without lights	2	0	4
Operating motor vehicle without markers	1	1	3

BREACH OF LIQUOR CONTROL ACT

Consuming liquor by minor	0	0	1
Consuming liquor in a public place	6	20	22
Having liquor in a public place	26	39	45
Having liquor not acquired, individual per.	0	0	6
Illegal purchase	1	6	5
Intoxication	237	201	266
Permitting drunkenness	0	0	1
Purchase by minor	0	0	1
Supply to minor	1	4	4

BREACH OF

The Food and Drug Act	0	0	2
The Game and Fisheries Act	0	0	4
The Milk Control Act	0	0	1
The Militia Act	1	17	20
The Railway Act	2	5	12
The Vicious Dogs Act	0	0	2
The War Measures Act:			
National Registration Act	0	0	0
Oil Controller's Order	0	0	0
Selective Service Regulations	0	0	5
Wartime Trade and Price Board	0	0	0
Assault, common	8	14	30
Assault, on wife	1	5	5
Assault, occasioning bodily harm	1	13	6
Attempted Suicide	0	0	3
Accessory after the Fact	0	0	0
Bigamy	0	0	1
Breaking jail	0	0	5
Breaking and Entering	17	70	28
Break, Enter and Theft	0	0	10
Break and Enter with Intent	0	0	2
Carrying Concealed Weapons	0	0	1
Child Delinquency	0	0	2
Dangerous Driving	0	0	1
Driving while Intoxicated	10	11	11
Escaping Custody	15	8	5
Communicating Disease	0	0	1
False Pretences	3	0	0
Forgery	0	0	2
Fraud	1	3	2
Illegal wear of Uniform	0	0	1
Jog Riding	4	6	7
Leaving Scene of Accident, (Code)	0	1	1
Mentally Ill	3	2	1
Obtaining Money without permit	1	0	0
Theft	41	52	27
Theft of Motor Vehicle	8	10	21
Theft of Motor Vehicle, attempt	0	0	3
Theft from Complainant	0	0	1
Traffic in Solids	0	0	1
Robbery with Violence	0	0	1
Vagrancy	19	30	38
Wilful Damage	2	7	5

SUMMARY

	1942	1943	1944
No. of cases before the court	756	827	1036
No. of males	654	746	940
No. of females	102	81	96
Fines collected	$5616.80	$8261.20	$10470.70
Motor vehicle accidents reported	115	90	87
Persons killed in motor vehicles	2	1	1
Injuries resulting from motor vehicles	40	61	38
Motor vehicle accidents reported	20	23	18
Stolen motor vehicles reported	19	18	18
Bicycles reported stolen	120	153	169
Stolen bicycles recovered	102	139	156
No. of transients given shelter	120	361	358
Insecure premises found by police	20	106	181
Dog tags issued for the year	837	848	680
No. of occurrences reported		2986	3644
Value of motor vehicles reported stolen	$8620.00	$9815.00	$12500.00
Value of Motor Vehicles Recovered	$470.00	$915.00	12535.00
Value of motor cars recovered for other police	1100.00	1720.00	1975.00
Value of bicycles reported stolen	3056.50	4572.00	4135.00
Value of stolen bicycles recovered	2447.50	3817.00	3837.00
Value of other property reported stolen	3311.00	3487.00	4607.00
Value of other property recovered	3029.83	1986.00	1912.00
Value of property reported lost	1302.23	3631.52	2789.50
Value of lost property recovered	782.82	1628.40	1702.00

COMPARATIVE AGES

Under sixteen years	26	29	34
Sixteen to twenty years	79	97	208
Twenty-one to thirty years	226	272	351
Thirty-one to forty years	184	185	207
Forty-one to fifty years	135	131	135
Over fifty years	106	110	106
Firms			5

DISPOSITION OF CASES

Paid fines and costs	519	593	672
Committed without option	68	60	145
Committed in default	60	49	43
Dismissed	40	33	42
Suspended sentence	23	40	56
Committed to Ontario Hospital	1	3	3
Conviction discharged	0	4	4
Withdrawn	8	32	40
Made Restitution	4	5	7
Bound over to keep the peace	6	2	6
Settled between parties	2	4	2
Remanded until called upon	9	1	3
Report to Inspector of Children's Aid	0	0	3
Committed to Training School	0	0	4
	756	827	1036

Last May there was an outbreak of shop-breaking in the city. 31 places were broken into. After considerable investigation, six persons were arrested and charged with these offences. Of these six persons, three were sentenced to Kingston Penitentiary, two to the Ontario Reformatory, and one given suspended sentence.

During the year, the following charges took place in the department:

Constable Taylor resigned on account of ill health.

Constable Wright resigned to accept a more remunerative position.

Constable Carruthers resigned to accept a position with the Ontario Provincial Police.

Constables Johnson and Doherty and Inspector Hayes were appointed, making the personnel of the Department as follows:

Arthur Harman, Deputy Chief Constable.

J. Clair Hayes, Inspector of Investigations.

Clarence Arnott, Sergeant.
Douglas Bills, Sergeant.
William Evans, Constable.
Peter Thomson, Constable.
William Rathwell, Constable.
Wilbur Johnson, Constable.
Roy Doherty, Constable.
R. Walter Probert, Chief Constable.

During November, Magistrate J. L. Lloyd returned to his own City, and Colonel T. Y. Wills, having been appointed Magistrate, is now presiding over the City Court.

I wish to express my appreciation to Lieutenant Colonel R. C. Donnan K.C., Crown Attorney, and his assistant, Mr. S. O. Robertson, for their assistance and guidance in all matters pertaining to law enforcement.

I desire also to thank the Press and the general public for their co-operation and assistance during the year, as well as the Provincial Police, the Royal Mounted Police and all Municipal and other Police Departments.

To the members of the Department, to the City Council and to the city staff in general, I desire to extend my thanks for their splendid co-operation.

In conclusion I wish to take this opportunity of thanking your Honorable Board for the valuable assistance received.

Respectfully submitted,
R. W. PROBERT,
Chief Constable.

SOCIAL SECURITY IS TOPIC OF BILL FOR SOUTH AFRICA

Increased Pensions, Children's Allowances and National Health Centres Featured in White Paper

Cape Town, Feb. 26 —(CP)—The South African government's immediate social security proposals now are being disclosed in a white paper entitled "Some Aspects of Social Security" which has been tabled in the dominion's assembly.

In discussing the proposals, emphasis was placed on the word "some" in the paper's title and it was made clear that this was only the first instalment of the government's plans. The white paper proposes measures which it is estimated will cost £16,345,000 by 1947-48 plus an amount as yet unknown for extended health services.

The main proposals are: that the maximum old age pension be raised to £50 a year and the means limit be made more liberal; that invalidity grants and blind pensions be improved; improved grants under the Children's Act and the payment of allowances to poor families for the third and subsequent children; expansion of the scope of existing unemployment benefits so as to cover many more persons especially in the low wage groups, with retention of the principle that employees and employers and the state should all contribute; subsidies to provinces to assist in the provision of extended hospital services; the development of national health centres; the continuation and expansion of social services now rendered by government department; the introduction of other benefits, national income permit.

All these services would be state finances.

It was urged that all Europeans, natives and negroes in the dominion over 16 years of age, with the exception of housewives, be registered immediately to determine the scope of social security legislation once it were put into effect.

It has been announced that the South African air conference will be held here March 20 with delegations from Britain, southern Rhodesia, Kenya, Nyasaland and other British territories invited to attend. Discussions will also be held with Portuguese West and East Africa and the Belgian Congo.

A co-operative effort by a number of ex-servicemen to provide homes for themselves and their families has resulted in the erection in Turnbridge of four blocks of flats. The buildings were put up by the Ex-servicemen's Housing League, a body representing the Mount Beal and Springtop legions. They cost approximately $100,000, which sum, with the exception of a $20,000 grant from the city of Johannesburg, was loaned by the government at 3-4 per cent interest.

Welfare Minister Lawrence dealt in the Assembly with the government's housing policy saying that if there were a shortage of labor which made it impracticable to build 11,000 national houses before the end of next year, the government might have to take special steps. The possibility that the government might have to make use of certain members of the South African Engineering Corps to build houses was being explored. It intended to withdraw from trade unions because the rights of artisans had to be protected.

Read

Read—Everyone is glad to see the the spring like weather but the roads are in a bad condition.

Miss Rita Bowers, R. N., of Kingston spent a few days last week at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartley Walsh spent a few days last week in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Mary Mackie of Milton spent the weekend with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Hanley.

Friends of Mr. John McMinn were sorry to hear of his death on Sunday.

SHEPHERD DOG USEFUL

On Two, Feb. 27 —(AP)— A German shepherd dog helped save the lives of many Marines wounded in the bitter fighting on the island of Iwo, owned by Chief Pharmacist's Mate Kenneth R. Steele, West Birmingham, Ala., and four years old, carried eight vials of concentrated blood plasma ashore on D-Day. The plasma was attached to a harness slung across Rex's broad shoulders.

ATTACK NAZI CONVOY

London, Feb. 27, (CP) —R.A.F. Coastal Command Aircraft, continuing their vigil against enemy shipping in the Skagerrak, attacked a convoy of nine cargo vessels Sunday night and probably destroyed at least three.

Carmel

Carmel—Mrs. Seldon Homan entertained the ladies of Carmel W.M.S. on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Hattie of Castleton, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Percy Reynolds and Mr. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bristnal and Joe Brintnell, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Dafoe and family in Foxboro recently.

The Radio Farm Forum met last Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray.

Several from here have been attending the hockey matches in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boldrick and Marie, visited at the home of Mrs. J. Reynolds on Sunday.

F/O. Harold Brintnell, R.C.N.V.R. Cornwallis, is home on furlough. Mrs. Brintnell and son, Leigh, of Madoc, have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brintnell, before her husband's arrival.

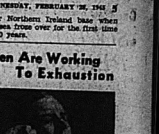
Many friends of the late Ira Simmons, of Foxboro, attended her funeral on Saturday last.

Mr. Clare Dafoe, Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Dafoe, Foxboro, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brintnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chambers have been entertaining Mrs. Chambers brother, Perry Davidson, R.C.N.V.R. and Mrs. Davidson.

Belfast—(CP)— Sunderland and Catalina flying boats of R. A. F. Coastal Command were frozen in their Northern Ireland base when the sea froze over for the first time in 70 years.

Men Are Working To Exhaustion



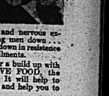
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EMPIRE CONFERENCE

Canberra, Australia, Feb. 27 (CP)— Prime Minister Curtin announced today that an Empire conference will be held before the United Nations world meeting April 26 in San Francisco to ascertain the viewpoints of the Dominions and to frame a common policy. Security of personnel precluded any reference to time or location. Herbert V. Evatt, External Affairs Minister, and Francis E. Forde, Army Minister, are expected to represent Australia.

Railway Mail Clerk Charged

Montreal, Feb. 27 —(CP)—G. W. Brookes, 43, a railway mail clerk of Brockville, Ont., was arraigned in court yesterday on five charges of stealing from the mails. He pleaded not guilty and his preliminary hearing was set for March 6 by Judge C. E. Ouellin.

Brookes is alleged to have stolen from last September until last week Victory Bonds of $50 and $500 denominations and government cheques totalling $130. He has a record of 30 years service as a postal employee.

GIVEN CHANCE TO SERVE

Paris, Feb. 27 —(AP)— Many of the more than 180 American soldiers convicted and sentenced in train-looting black market cases may be given probation and another chance to serve their country, it was learned today. The prosecutor has been asked to draw a list of those convicted men likely to make good as soldiers if given a chance. No blanket suspension of sentences is contemplated.

Liquor Control Board of Ontario

NOTICE

to Individual Liquor Permit Holders

DO NOT DESTROY your present individual Liquor Permit

Liquor Permits will be *extended* (not re-issued) to March 31st, 1946 on application and payment of $1.00 at any Liquor Control Board Store on and after March 19th, 1945.

The decision to extend the use of the present permits will effect a substantial saving in paper and printing costs, and is in keeping with present day conservation policies.

WILLIAM G. WEBSTER
Chief Commissioner

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, of Toronto, spent Monday and Tuesday with friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Patterson were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Welsh, Picton.

Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. Hugh Houston are visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, Albert Street.

Mrs. R. C. Moynes, 58 Cedar St., is spending the week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Warren, Picton.

Mr. Herbert Foster is convalescing from an illness at the home of Miss Mabel Foster, 208 Dundas Street E.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Flagler, of Ottawa, were recent guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Flagler, Bleecker Ave.

Mrs. Arnold Valleau, 45 College Street East, received a telegram informing her the death of her grandfather, the late Hugh M. Bialy, of Amherst, Sask.

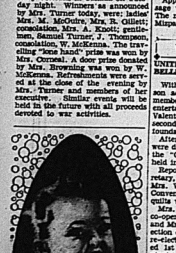
Mrs. W. Edwards, 24 Gordon Street, entertained her family on the occasion of a dinner given in her home on Saturday evening in honor of her brother, Sgt. V. Halsey, home for four months' service sgt. Halsey saw action in France and Belgium.

Miss Minnie Coleman, who recently underwent an operation in the Belleville General Hospital, has returned to her home and is improving satisfactorily.

Major 'Mac' Jack of Longue Point, Montreal, visited his parents, Major and Mrs. Wm. C. Jack, 150 Albert Street.

Ordinary Signalman W. R. Dawson, R.C.N.V.R., has returned to Rie, Hyacinthe, Quebec, after spending a few with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dawson, 127 Bridge Street West.

The first of a series designed to assist in the war work of the organization, a successful euchre party attracted upwards of fifty members and friends who held at the home of Mrs. Sam Turner, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Army and Navy Veterans in Canada on Tuesday night. Winners as announced by Mrs. Turner were: ladies' first, Mrs. M. McGuire; Mrs. R. Gillett; consolation, Mrs. A. Knott; gentlemen, Samuel Turner, J. Thompson; consolation, W. McKenna. The travelling "bone hand" prize was won by Mrs. Cornell. A door prize donated by Mrs. Browning was won by Mrs. McKenna. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening by Mrs. Turner and members of her executive. Similar events will be held in the future with all proceeds devoted to war activities.



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In 1131 Canadian women who tried the Palmolive 14-day plan, 36 out of 37 reported a lovelier complexion in five to fourteen days! Try it yourself and see!



Canadian Legion Ladies' Auxiliary Sends Cigarettes

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion was held in the Saco rooms recently. The following parcels of boys were picked for cigarettes: P. Lynch, P. Sills, S. Mason, R. Braley, L. Hawley, L. Soulier, Bump, C. Connors, C. Asseltine, F. Dalrard, B. Bandry, G. Arnold, B. Clark, J. Graham, L. Urch, R. Johnson, J. Breen, Lavender, E. Hall, D. Herrington, W. Bump, D. McKay, J. Isles, W. Reid, G. Lott, C. Whitmarsh, J. W. E. Cook, G. Duncan, R. Gibson, C. Thomas, A. W. Cunningham, Murray Mitchell.

At the last four bingos held in the hall, the nanes of four boys were picked for three hundred cigarettes each. They were Tpr. Kerr, Pte. Lowery, Gnr. Hill and Sgmn. Bloom.

C.W. Burr Addresses Holloway St. Y.P.U.

'Growing Toward God' was the theme of the program presented to the Christian Fellowship group of the cradle of the church, on Sunday evening.

In the absence of the President, Norlene Frederick, Dorothy Mills, convener of the group in charge, conducted the business period, at the close of which Norma Lee led in a sing song of Christmas with Ada English at the piano.

Assisting the leader in the Worship service were Maisie Foster, who led in prayer, Marian Allen who read the theme story, and Ruth Ireland, who read a poem. The devotional period was concluded with a vocal solo, 'Lovely as a Tree' by Mrs. C. H. MacDonald, 'Love It With Him'. Mr. Wm. Conner led the business segment.

Guest speaker of the evening was Mr. C. W. Burr who spoke on the theme, 'Growing Toward God'. Mr. Burr urged the young people to make use of every opportunity to help other young people to go towards God, by setting a worthy example. He reviewed the temptations confronting the young people mindful the group that strength and friends may be found through God. Who needs and wants to use young people in the service of His Kingdom.

Appreciation for this helpful message was voiced by Maude Burke. The meeting was closed with the Mizpah benediction.

Women's Activities

UNITED PRINCE EDWARD-BELLEVILLE CLUB

With Mrs. Boyd and Mrs. Appleton acting as joint hostesses, the members, with their friends were entertained at the Y.M.C.A., on Valentine's Day, celebrating the second anniversary of the club's foundation.

After the usual opening, minutes were discussed—and plans made for the "Get-together Supper" to be held in March.

Reports were given by the Secretary, Mrs. Thomas; the Treasurer, Mrs. Wannamaker; and the Work Convener, Mrs. Anderson. The quilts were displayed.

Mrs. Wesse thanked all for their co-operation during the two years and Mrs. P. Lent conducted the election of officers, all of whom were re-elected, with Mrs. Boyd appointed 1st Vice and Mrs. Ackerman, pianist and song leader.

Mrs. Anderson led in singing of a song composed for the occasion to the tune of "Auld Lang Syne". Mrs. Palmer contributed a comic reading and two contests followed.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mesdames Garbutt, Weese, Cory and Schryver.

An interesting feature was the birthday cake donated by Mrs. Anderson, the two candles being blown out by Mrs. Thomas and the cake cut by one of the older members, Mrs. Hall.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to the hostesses and to all assistants.

CONSECON GIRL CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Miss Annis Johnson entertained seventeen friends, members of the 'Birthday Club', on the occasion of her birthday at her home on Thursday evening, February 22nd. Progressive euchre was played with Mrs. Phyllis Saucier winner of high score.

Refreshments were served on the long dining tables. The hostess was presented with a number of pieces of Pyrex ware.

RETURNED NURSES APPOINTED

Toronto, Feb. 28—(CP)—Minister of Health Dr. R. F. Virtue today announced appointments of Miss Edith Dick, Belleville, Ont., and Miss Dorothy Beddell, who both served overseas in the R. C. A. M. C., as provincial director of Nurses' Registration and Provincial Inspector of Training schools for nurses respectively.

IRISH GREETINGS, LADDIES



With Noel Neill, diminutive red-headed movie star, herself a bit of old Ireland, it's Irish greetings, Laddies.

GOOD MANNERS

By MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

The "Kid Sister" Has a Tale of Woe.

Dear Mrs. Beeckman:

I am twenty-two years old, and my sister eight years older than I, so often embarrasses and annoys me that I have to avoid her. Would you please help me by answering some questions. My questions may sound silly, but to me they aren't. Perhaps you know how older sisters are?

Don't it impolite for my sister to introduce me as her "kid sister?"

I am small and my sister is tall. Should she accept a ride for us in her girl friend's car when there isn't room for us unless my sister holds me on her lap?

And she insists that I wear the bread leather belt on my new dress with the buckle in a careless, sideway position. I think a belt worn in this awry way makes me look untidy. But my sister thinks it's "cute." Isn't it rude for her to tease me in front of our relatives as if I were a child? She often squeezes me and lifts me completely off the floor while she stands behind me with her arms clasped around my waist. She says my relatives are always very much amused.

— Frances.

Yes, I know "how older sisters are"—sometimes extremely hard to take, and sometimes blessedly endearing. Your sister, obviously, is both of these, but I should say, from your picture of her, generally endearing and deeply and gaily devoted to you. I resent her introducing you as her "kid sister"—to me "Kid" is one of the most unattractive words in the language, and only the adorable Mr. Joe Kilgallen can make it even remotely pleasant when he says with his Quiz Kids: Do you bet, seriously, as a special favor to you, not to continue this "Kid" form of introduction.

Your other complaints are, I think, pretty superficial, and allow that she, being of a gayer turn of mind than you are, enjoys lifting you from your seriousness. Why not graciously accept the ride (it's an infrequent privilege these days) and sit on your sister's lap? You'll make an issue of the belt-buckle position, you're old enough to wear it as you want to do, say (haughtily) "I'm not amused" when she tries to tease you before your relatives . . I know older sisters well enough to know that the more you show your embarrassment or chagrin, the more their maddening delight in teasing you! I believe you've got a mighty nice sister. Take her spooning amiably —and enjoy her devotion to you, even though she sometimes shows it in fumbling ways. You don't complain that she's "mean" to you — and that's a great blessing.

Gift for a Girl Friend

Dear Mrs. Beeckman:

I have been going with a girl for several months, and would like to give her a gift for her birthday. I've read in your column that, unless a man and a girl are engaged, he should not give her too personal a gift, and that she shouldn't accept such a gift. So, what to give her?

Jack.

Good taste, sir . . congratulations! A bottle of perfumes is a "cavalier" gift, particularly if, by careful questioning, you can find out your lady's preference. And of course, books, and phonograph records of her favorite kind of music. Or a monogrammed purse, or a gala evening bag. Or sheer white handkerchiefs embroidered with her initials or first name, perhaps in her favorite color. Or a fountain pen, or a pencil for her purse; or an umbrella; or traveling clock; or bridge set; a compact or vanity-case; or a bill clip, monogrammed. Or would you like to plan to give her some good-looking letter-paper—perhaps note-size too, engraved with her initials or monogram.

Fashion Flashes

GINGHAM STEPS OUT and appears in smart frocks and hats. A plaid gingham of black and white checked gingham for the bloused bonnet crown and red felt for the peaked brim. The gingham crown sparkles with tiny red and gold sequins. There's a matching drawstring reticule.

PERSISTENCE marks the pepplum, for here it is again on coats and dresses. A pretty frock is fashioned of a circus print in red, white and black; the blouse is finished with a rippling peplum in black taffeta. The curved neckline is edged with taffeta, as are the short sleeves.

A NEW CROP of toppers is ready for late Spring. A smart model, made in suede-finish woollen has deep armholes and broad shoulders accented with curved seaming. Same seamed detail for the pockets. Softly bloused top over self belt; covered square buckle.

THREE CHEERS for the very new design. A dress of black rayon faille is made with winged sleeves and a full cape back. Nice when tucked into the belt to form a brief back peplum but nicest when left to swing free.

BEST ADVANCE NOTICE of Spring is the soft suit in navy wool with white touches. Navy blue wool-crepe makes a soft suit with a row of small white buttons down the front for closing, and at the flanged shoulders. A white pique collar is cut in petal shape.

THERE'S A NEW LOOK about the play togs made for summer. There's the very new culotte coat, really a flared tunic with a very pipped-in waistline. Nice in white pique with a big bright red flower print. Matching shorts and bra.

GENEROUS HONDURAS

Belize, (CP) — British Honduras which has a population of approximately 60,000 to date has contributed $48,200 to the British Red Cross and St. John Fund since the outbreak of the war.

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BEAUTY

By HELEN JAMESON

Flat Chest and Thin Shoulders

Rounded slenderness is what the beauty contingent is seeking. Some lucky girls have it; they can rest on their laurels and smile at the poor sisters who are increasing their calories and doing everything possible to put adipose padding on their forms. The plain-faced feminine shape has neither bumps nor sharp angles. The normal figure makes for health and vitality. Overweight is for the sedentary, reducing, a burden to the active around. Emaciation is a poor clothes carrier, doesn't suit any sort of front. Circulation is sluggish, the complexion is pale, the outlook tremulous.

A flat chest, together with thin shoulders and collar bones that are on the uplift, rob the evening gown of its charm—especially now, when the formal often appears to hang on by some process of enchantment, shoulder straps being well nigh invisible. The swan-like neck may be pretty, but it is pretty only on a swan. And scrawny shoulders will never measure up in the beauty survey. So here's what to do about it if you are too slim, can't make the lady's dress scales so much as tremble.

Stand erect, feet three inches apart. Hips back, tummy flat, chest high, head on the level, hands outstretched to the limit. Double up your fists. Hands straight out in front, then elbows bent and fists then out at the sides with a hard muscle pull. High again, out in front and repeat.

Next exercise; stand (all, hands down at the sides, palms against the thighs. Lift the hand slowly to the head, the backs touching. As the hands are lifted, go up on the toes, then send the hands forward and back, pulling on the muscles of the chest. Go up and down on the toes as the body swings forward and back. This may sound complicated, but it isn't. It will have a strengthening effect upon the muscles of the neck, chest and arms. As musculate improves, there will be more fullness.

These simple exercises are beneficial because they call into play many fibres that are not used in the ordinary course of the day's activities. They may protest against strain; they're lazy, haven't been made to work.

If you are below standard weight, the diet must include more food elements that build adipose tissue. Begin the day with a hot cereal with plenty of cream and sugar; nothing like it to fill out the hollow places and add the pretty points. A quart of milk a day will do more for you than your best corset for the calcium content. You can drink it, or eat a dish of it, of course, a certain amount of cheese, fish or fowl, vegetables and fruit.

Poultices for all ills of all times is important. Don't overlook deep breathing. Massage the chest and breasts with cocoa-butter every night.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Life of the Party in Company—Sulky and Silent at Home

Dear Miss Fairfax:

My wife must find me deadly uninteresting because she goes into ecstasies when we are at home alone together. But let anyone come in and she begins to show off and be very particular about her audience. Whatever of them seems to me like dull, frumpish old women, engaged in saving the world along the lines my wife has chosen. Others are callow youths or men like myself who missed the draft because of physical disability, though I wish they'd take me if only to keep my wife quiet.

I don't know where or how I failed as a husband. I pay the bills, make my wife a good allowance and hold a good job, but she surely can give me silent treatment at the home. What do you think is the matter with her?

'P. T. F.

Any number of things may be the matter with her, Perhaps she hasn't found you a sympathetic audience for the many things which makes her the life of the party. Are you grave and silent when she holds forth? She may have fallen out of love with you and be interested in someone else. Or she may be just contrary and takes out her spite on you because she thinks you'll stand for it.

Why don't you give her a little chaste treatment? Some home less often is be the victim of her silent void of maternal instinct.

Responsibility Rests With This Little Girl's Father

Dear Miss Fairfax:

My wife and I have a legal separation, though we have had a divorce though I had good and sufficient cause. We have one little daughter, age 8, to stay with her mother because I thought the child would have a good effect on my wife.

But the little girl comes to me to spend a week-end every other week, her entire talk is about mother's boy friends. She even told me about having a sip of cocktails from the glasses of her mother's friends. I feel now I'm not doing right by the child to let her remain with her mother, but in opening this question of the morality of my wife is abusive to me.

J. W. W.

It's so easy to let dreadful situations drift along, and excuse ourselves for not stepping in and attempting to right them. You realize now it was a mistake to have allowed your wife the custody of the little girl, and you have unconsciously led her the child. You'll have to re-open the case and request the custody of the letter. Consult the best lawyer you can afford and arrange to have the little girl put in a good boarding school. Your wife seems to be definitely unfit for the care of your child.

TRAIN TRACTOR DRIVERS

Ponoka, Indian—(CP)— The first group of training drivers and mechanics to operate tractors will be given near Telegaon, 20 miles from Ponoka. Recently-imported 75 tractors will be used to train the men who will be used to reclaim 800,000 acres of land by deep plowing.

Mrs. E. J. Neate Again Heads St. Julien Chapter

The following report of St. Julien Chapter was submitted by the Secretary, Mrs. R. A. Backus:

At the annual meeting of St. Julien Chapter, I.O.D.E., Mrs. E. J. Neate and her 1944 executive were returned to office with the exception of the Echoes Secretary. An committees and conveners are standing for the ensuing year.

When all reports were turned in from the different officers and conveners it was learned that the financial earnings and all war services and chapter activies were carried out successfully through the hearty co-operation, or not only the personnel of the chapter, but any and all of our good and generous citizens, groups of churches, Women's Institutes, Service clubs, private clubs, business organizations, etc., and to all these our grateful thanks go out.

If you read our quarterly reports from time to time through the local newspaper you realize how our money and energy were distributed without any further repetition here. We tried, and succeeded very well, to fulfill all our obligations in connection with our War Services and Chapter work, and, whenever possible, gave assistance to many organizations that called upon us.

Officers

Honorary Regent — Mrs. A. E. MacColl.

Regent—Mrs. Emily J. Neate.

1st Vice Regent—Mrs. H. Penn.

2nd Vice Regent—Mrs. Helen Blair.

Secretary—Mrs. R. A. Backus.

Treasurer—Mrs. Edith Robson.

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Educational Secretary—Mrs. Penn.

Echoes Secretary — Mrs. Fred Cascallen.

Service Services Convener — Mrs. Geo. Watkin.

Hospitality Convener—Mrs. H. Penn.

I.M.C.S. "Dunvegan" Convener—Mrs. Wm. Stork.

"Able and Willing" is the Chapter's motto and a hearty vote of thanks is extended to all who help us to keep it.

WHEN DUSK COMES DOWN

When dusk comes down upon a weary land
And shadows play on lake and stream and strand,
When o'er the earth a peaceful stillness broods
And not a note of discord e'er intrudes,
Then earns that burden and forget the day
With garish sunlight fade and melt away.

'Tis then we dream of joys that once were ours,
Life's sunny springtime and it's fleeting flowers,
Ambition, too, soars high in farther flight
When morn's bright sun shall drive away the night;
Then peaceful only are the thoughts that throng
And sweet the notes that blend in even song.

O, blessed season of repose and rest!
A surcease from the day's relentless quest!
When weary brain and brawn renew their power
In the calm quiet of the evening hour.

Like kindly benediction from above
The dim dusk deepens—symbol of God's love.

—Helen B. Anderson.
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The mannish-tailored, link-buttoned suit classic is first on the Spring "hit-parade" . . for crisp distinction . . versatile charm . . and season-spanning qualities, it is hard to beat. The C.D.S. is proud to bring you this smart style in fine quality wool worsted with mercerized cotton stripe. Jacket has deep lapels, notched with the angled precision of a man's suit, link-button fastening, three pockets, and is lined with lustrous rayon satin. Trim fitting skirt has kick-pleat in front only, and zipper side closing. Classic suit colors of Black, Brown, Grey stripe and Oxford Grey. Sizes in the group 12 to 20. Two-piece suit 22.50

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STIRLING

I.O.D.E. Makes Grant to Funds

Stirling — The Hon. R. Cooke Chapter of the I.O.D.E. held its annual meeting in the Agriculture rooms on February 22nd. The meeting opened with prayer of the order and the flag was brought forward by Mrs. E. Kent, in the absence of the standard bearer Mrs. R. Green. Minutes of the last annual meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. B. Bell. The treasurer's report was given by the Regent, Miss R. Sprys. In the absence of the treasurer, Miss D. Eggleston, the minutes with the war service work, the following funds were given $50. each: Blanket Fund, British Children's Clothing, Service Libraries, Polish Relief, British Prisoners of War and Sailors and Minesweepers. Twenty-five personal comfort bags were packed and twenty-five nursery bags prepared by the members during the year. Chocolates and cigarettes to the value of $144.31 were sent to the boys in the armed forces overseas from Stirling and district in the past year.

Echoes Secretary, Mrs. C. Baker, reported that the members had subscribed 100 per cent.

Educational Secretary, Mrs. A. E. Strickland, reported an addition made to the library of the adopted school as well as a Christmas card. Three dozen I.O.D.E. calendars were purchased and sold.

The secretary read the correspondence which included letters from soldiers receiving cigarettes, in the last shipment; Spr. T. Wannamaker, Pte. Ed. Kent, Pte. C. Broadworth, Pte. Ernest Cain, J. H. Tullough, Charles Pedley, Jack Potter, Sgt. Elmer. West, Capt. D. H. Haggerty and C. Carver. A letter of thanks was read in connection with the comfort bags sent to the W.V.D. of Britain.

The members unanimously re-elected the officers for another year, as follows:

Hon. Regent, Mrs. Earl Lucy; Regent, Miss Rosa Spry; Vice-Regent, Mrs. R. Burgess; Secretary, Mrs. E. Bush; Treasurer, Miss D. Eggleston; Echoes Secretary, Mrs. C. Baker; Educational Secretary, Mrs. A. E. Strickland.

The secretary was instructed to write a letter of thanks to Mrs. Lucy for her keen interest and work of last year and asking her to act for another year.

Committees were formed as follows: Quilting, Mrs. O. Prince; Packing, Mrs. R. Green, Mrs. T. Reynolds and Mrs. R. Bell; Programme Com., Miss Lillian Wood, Miss Pitchett and Mrs. Hopwood; Refreshments, Mrs. W. Stapley and Miss M. Maynes; Salvage, Miss B. Spry, Mrs. C. Baker and Mrs. A. E. Strickland; Empire Study, Mrs. E. Lucy.

The flag was brought forward and all joined in singing the National Anthem. Refreshments were served and a social hour was spent.

Personals

Mrs. Jim Hough, of Deseronto, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Linn.

Mrs. Douglas Smith, Susan and David, of Ottawa, have returned after holidaying with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Reid, John St.

Mrs. A. Kerr and children of Hamilton are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Pitchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pitchett have returned home after spending a few days guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Logue, Foxboro.

Miss Ollie Davidson, of Hamilton, recently spent a weekend with friends in town.

The play "Too Many Relatives", put on by the Bethel Young People under the auspices of the Rawdon Red Cross was well attended and very much enjoyed by the audience.

Plainfield

Plainfield — S. S. and church service was held on Sunday morning in the church.

Mrs. Badgley and Harry called on Mrs. Henderson Lasts, one day recently.

Callers of Mr. and Mrs. Max Cronkright on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ken Reid and Gary, Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Downey, Beverley and Dick, Corbyville, and Mrs. Ralph Downey and Calvin who recently returned from Vancouver, B.C.

Rev. and Mrs. G. T. McKenzie spent the tea hour on Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. William Sills and family.

Mrs. Reid and Mrs. W. Elder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Sills.

Miss Carrie Goodfellow spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pope, Belleville.

A few from here attended the funeral of the late Floyd Sherfield at Zion on Saturday afternoon. Interment in the Methodist cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bradshaw spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Sills, 4th line.

Grafton

Grafton — Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bongard were guests of Mr. W. V. Bongard and Sidney on Sunday.

Mrs. B. Jones and Noreen called on Mrs. E. Crook on Saturday evening.

Mr. Norman Morden of Christian Street called on Mrs. H. H. Parsons and family on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. S. J. Munro and Mrs. B. Jones called on Mrs. H. H. Parsons and family on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Reginald Mack and baby daughter of Toronto, are staying for a time with her mother, Mrs. H. R. Parsons.

Mr. W. Salisbury and Janet spent Wednesday with Mrs. R. Crook.

Mr. Morley Moran and Larry called on Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Salisbury on Sunday afternoon.

Able Seaman Alfred Ney left on Tuesday to join his ship after a furlough spent with his mother, brothers and uncle.

Mrs. Cecil Sedgwick of the C.W.A.C. at Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bongard.

Miss Noreen Jones of Belleville, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jones of Belleville were visitors at the same house on Sunday.

Pte. Henry Stevenson, of the Ordnance Corps at Kingston, spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. W. Salisbury and Mr. Salisbury.

Thomasburg

Thomasburg — The recent rains and thaws have been greatly welcomed by everyone as many wells and cisterns had been dry for several weeks. Many farmers have been hauling water for their stock and household use from the river and also the Village spring and some households have melted snow for their use.

A number of men were busy for several days last week cleaning the ditch on the road, preparatory for motor traffic for the auction sale at Mr. John Rivers' farm on Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Howes and Mr. and Mrs. W. Pitchett of Roslin were visitors one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morton and Nancy.

Mrs. John Clark is spending a few days with friends at Roslin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bishop spent Tuesday afternoon in Kingston.

Friends from here attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Arthur Tufts at Tweed on Friday.

The many friends of Mrs. Willis Sherry are glad to see her able to be out again after being confined to her home for some weeks.

Mrs. Stanley Williams of Kingston visited at the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Morton, recently.

The junior room of the school was closed for several days last week and this week owing to the death of the teacher's mother, Mrs. Arthur Tufts. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Montgomery and her family in their bereavement.

Friends from here attended the funeral of the late Mr. Floyd Sherfield at Ivanhoe Hill on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mouck and Reg. visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Irvine on Sunday.

Miss Jean Alton spent the week-end at her home at Madoc.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCann of Eldorado and Mrs. Charles Paget of Belleville were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker entertained their daughter Mrs. Paddy Hennessy and Mr. Hennessy of Trenton and also friends from Crookston on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard McTaggart spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bailey at Roslin.

Wellington

Wallbridge — On Sunday last Rev. Mr. Hillis' subject was "Baptism of Jesus" and the first of a series especially for the Lenten season.

Last Sunday afternoon just before the school closed, the pupils of the school and Sunday School presented a gift to Master Glen and Misses Betty and Mildred Vesterfelt who are leaving the neighborhood in the near future. They will be greatly missed in the public school and Sunday School and all join in wishing them the best of success in their new home at Centenary.

On Saturday afternoon Miss Lorna Pair celebrated her tenth birthday and had a party for a number of her little friends. A most happy afternoon was spent. Mrs. Pair served refreshments and all wished Lorna many more happy birthdays.

Rev. H. H. Hillis was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. W. H. Nobes and Mrs. Badgley.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Harris spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. Pound, Cannifton.

Wallbridge friends were very sorry to learn of the death of Mr. Leonard Sine at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Willard Reid, 1st Con. of Thurlow. Mr. Sine spent several years of his life in Wallbridge and was highly respected by a large circle of friends. The family have the sympathy of the community.

Part of the roof of Mr. R. F. Elliott's barn collapsed from the weight of the snow, but no live-stock was injured.

Mr. S. M. Hoolson is spending a few days in Toronto on business. He was accompanied by Mrs. Hoolson, who will visit her daughter and husband, Mrs. D. Doolittle and Mr. Doolittle.

Friends are very glad to see that Mrs. J. N. Chisholm has recovered from her fall enough to come to church.

6th Tyendinaga

6th. Tyendinaga — The War Workers held a quilting at Mrs. Orley Parks' last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Boldrick and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Boldrick and Marie, Mrs. J. Boldrick and Rosie attended the Boldrick-Atkins wedding at the Tabernacle Church, Belleville, on Wednesday, and the reception at the home of the bride's parents, 2nd. Thurlow.

Mr. Benton Goodman, Milford, was a caller at the Goodman home one day last week.

Misses Bessie Boldrick, Frances, Marguerite and Donna Lancaster visited Miss Barbara Emerson on Monday evening.

Mrs. C. Goodman and Lee were visitors at Mr. Lorne McKenzie's one night last week.

Miss Barbara Emerson spent the weekend with Miss June Skelly.

Congratulations to Cpl. and Mrs. Johnny Harrison, who were recently married.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boldrick have returned from their honeymoon and spent Sunday at Mrs. A. Boldrick's.

Mrs. C. Goodman, Alton and Lee and Miss Joan Conley were guests at Mr. Percy Lancaster's on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Boldrick and Marie visited at Mrs. J. Reynold's, Carmel, on Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Lancaster spent the weekend at her home here.

Moira

Moira — Young People's Union was held on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McInroy with a good attendance. Mr. Don McInroy took charge of the meeting in the absence of the convener, Mr. Lorne Mumby. Readings were given by Ivan Clare and Miss Hartman and musical numbers by Gordon and Beverley Fisher and Lynn Emerson. Miss Nelson Welsh sang "Drifting" and Grace and Ina McInroy sang a duet "Have Thine Own Way, Lord." Games were played and lunch was served.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ketcheson on Sunday.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McInroy and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Farrell and Donald were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vanderwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McInroy and Mr. Wesley Holbert, Miss Bessie Holbert and Mr. and Mrs. Don Holbert attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Ira Simmons on Saturday.

Mrs. Kenneth Thompson has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hammond, West Huntingdon, for the past week.

On Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ketcheson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mumby, Jessie and George; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hertig and Evelyn, Emerson for tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Empson, Lola, Harold and Norma were the guests for supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Mumby spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. George Mumby, Mountain View.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Farrell, Douglas and Donald visited in Frankford over the weekend.

On Saturday, Jack Canning of Belleville, commenced the work of wiring the school for electricity.

On Friday afternoon about 25 men gathered for a wood bee on the farm of Mr. John Morton. A good supply of wood was prepared. Neighbors and friends sincerely regret that as a result of his recent illness Mr. Morton will be confined to his bed for some time.

Master Davit Mumby has been ill with a cold and ear infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vanderwater were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vanderwater.

Following the evening service next ago and suggested by a recent reference by Mr. Stewart to sundial in his reading of George Post exhibited drawings of and explained to the congregation sundials he had seen in England, as well as a copy of the calendars brought by the Norsemen to that country. Much interest in his drawings was evinced particularly by the younger members of the congregation.

Albury

Albury — Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Weese spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carnrike.

A few of the ladies have been quilting a quilt at the home of Mrs. Tom Thompson for the Red Cross.

A number of ladies were held at the Upper School at Albury on Tuesday evening. The proceeds, $20.85, are to go to buy cigarettes for the boys overseas. There were ten tables of euchre in play. Prizes went to: Ladies, Mrs. Bert Bryant, Mrs. Roy Williamson; Men's, Stan Weatherall, John Goodman. Tickets were sold on a quilt top with Mrs. Harold Wannamaker (nee Frances Smith) as the lucky winner. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Peck, Mrs. Carrick, Sid, and Mrs. Benford Peck and family spent the tea hour on Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Weese.

A Red Cross euchre was held at the Corks attended the Teachers' meeting at Redmerville on Wednesday evening.

Stuart Allison had the misfortune to fall and break his wrist.

Mrs. Hugh Weese, Mrs. S. C. Peck and Mrs. Benford Peck attended the slides put on in Redmerville Church on Friday evening. Other numbers were also on the program. Proceeds for the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hilton spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allison.

Capt. William Bowerman spent a few days with his wife and family.

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Camp Borden R.C.A.F. Team Defeats Trenton Flyers 7-5 And Enters Command Finals

Winners Score Two Goals in Final Two Minutes of Play to Win Round by One Goal

Barrie, Ont., Feb. 28. (CP)—Scoring two goals in the final two minutes of play while their opponents were short-handed, Camp Borden R.C.A.F. advanced into the finals of the No. 1 Air Command by defeating Trenton Flyers 7-5 here last night. Camp Borden will meet the winners of the Centralia-Port Hope series in a sudden-death game in Toronto on Friday.

With the teams deadlocked in the final stages of the game, Marshall of Trenton, drew a penalty, Camp Borden stormed around the Trenton goal on a power play and were finally rewarded when white took a pass from Bedard and beat Robinson, Trenton netminder, on an assist-high shot. Wiles added another just for insurance less than half a minute later.

Trenton went into the lead after thirty seconds of play when Rasminsky took a pass from Prigon, skirted the Camp Borden defence and beat Goalie Pipher cleanly. Rasminsky gave the Flyers a two-goal edge less than two minutes later after he slatted in Prigon's rebound in a wild scramble in front of Camp Borden's goal.

The Bordenites broke into the scoring column at the six-minute mark when Wiles scored the first of his three counters on a pass from Hardy. They tied it up midway through the period when Bedard lobbed a long shot past Robinson, Hardy again making the play. Camp Borden led 2-1.

Wiles sent Camp Borden into the lead for the first time in the game early in the second period when he skated through the whole Trenton team and drew Robinson out of the net, before the puck over his leg. Perras tied it up for Trenton ten minutes later but Camp Borden immediately tied the score when Hardy tallied with less than eight seconds remaining in the period.

Less than two minutes after the final frame had started Prigon deadlocked the game for the third time by beating Pipher on a hard shot from just inside the blue-line. The lead was shortlived however, for Fowler shot Camp Borden ahead again at the six-minute mark.

The Flyers went on the attack and after missing several chances on Camp Borden's net, they finally registered the equalizer when Perras intercepted a pass and lab the puck over to Merpaw who bored into the clear and beat Pipher with a waist-high drive at the 16-minute mark.

Penalty Turning Point.

Marshall's penalty a few minutes afterward was the turning-point of the game. Camp Borden put on the pressure and clinched the game with White's marker. Wiles made it handsome half a minute later when he scored on a breakaway.

The Lineups:

Trenton—Goal, Robinson, defence, Currie, Rathbun; centre, Raymond; wings, Rasminsky, Prigon. Subs—Perras, Merpaw, Gingras, Peck, Ray, Marshall.

Camp Borden—Goal, Pipher; defence, White, Fowler; centre, Bedard; wings, Hardy, Wiles, Subs—Reid, Evans, Dargel, Scott, Livingstone, Kearney.

Referees—Ed. Burke and C. K. Cook.

Summary:

First Period

Trenton, Rasminsky, (Prigon)	:30
Trenton, Rasminsky (Prigon)	2.30
Camp Borden, Wiles (Hardy)	6.15
Camp Borden, Bedard, (Hardy)	14.18

No penalties.

Second Period

Camp Borden, Wiles (Fowler)	7.03
Trenton, Perras (Currie)	17.21
Camp Borden, Hardy (Fowler)	19.5
Penalties — White, Raymond, Currie.	

Third Period.

Trenton, Prigon, (Raymond)	1.54
Camp Borden, Fowler	6.00
Trenton, Merpaw (Perras)	16.10
Camp Borden, Wiles (Bedard)	18.02
Camp Borden, Fowler (Wiles)	19.35
Penalties—Hardy Marshall.	

BIG SEVEN

(By The Canadian Press)

Ted Kennedy of Toronto gathered one point last night when Maple Leafs tied with Chicago Black Hawks, 3-3, thus strengthening his cellar position in hockey's Big Seven against any attempts to dislodge him from the list of N.H.L. scoring leaders. Of the leaders were idle.

The Leaders	G.	A.	Pts.
Lach, Canadiens	21	46	67
Richard, Canadiens	31	26	57
Blake, Canadiens	24	33	57
Cowley, Boston	23	34	57
Howe, Detroit	15	33	48
Demarco, Rangers	21	26	47
Kennedy, Toronto	24	20	44

ANTI-EROSION WORK

Cape Town—(CP)— Groot(ontein Agricultural) Colley has invited applications from ex-soldiers who wish to qualify as foremen in state anti-erosion schemes. Potchefstroom and Cedara colleges have also agreed to train 80 agricultural instructors.

Congratulations

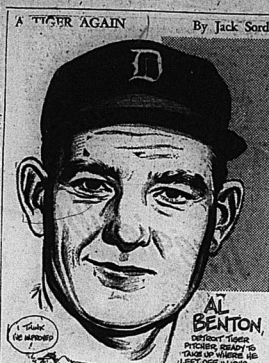
TO THE BELLEVILLE JUNIORS!

We wish to extend our congrats to Tools Holway and his Juniors upon winning the league championship. . . Our Juniors have won iper last 8 games. Why not turn out and root for them against Kingston, Thursday evening. They might our support. See you at the Arena!

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ACHE? PAT ON SLOAN'S LINIMENT



Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.
(AP Sport Writer)

New York, Feb. 28 — (AP)—This one may be del Coleman, Willie Kamm, former White Sox and Indians 3rd baseer, still tells it around the mashed potato circuit . . . Seems Willie and catcher Frankie Pytlak once worked out a "fool proof" set of signals to use going after pop flies. . . . In the first game Kamm raced for a high one, shouting "I got it" and fell safe when he heard no answer . . . Just as he touched the ball, he collided with Pytlak . . . A trifle annoyed, Willie asked if Frank hadn't heard him . . . "Sure I did," Pytlak explained, and didn't you hear me wave you off?"

Quoie, unquoie:

J. F. McKale, U. of Arizona Athletic director: "Coaches are going to have a tough time after the war giving pep talks to the boys who have seen a lot of action."

Sharts and Shells:

Cornell's final offer that lured Ed McKeever away from Notre Dame not only topped his salary at Notre Bend by a considerable sum but was more than Clair Bee nearly received for coaching football at Albion . . . Clark Shaughnessy is writing a book on "T" formation football for use in high schools.

"Y" ALLEYS

AFTERNOON

Pirates, Handicap 11, 1 Pt. —V. Delong 401, B. Vice 477, O. Peden 331, B. Shortt 529, Doc 301. Total 2039.

Spitfires, 3 Pts. —L. Hyde 450; C. Mott 388; W. Shaw 441; A. Watkin, 482; R. Gerow 368. Total 2140.

EVENING

Bofors, 3 Pts. —L. Maybee, 397; P. White 813; M. Thomson 417; I. White 419; C. Maybee 400. Total 2146.

Alley Cats— Pt.—M. Daniels 340; J. Silla 434; M. Tummon 524; D. Hammett 509; Doc 300. Total 2007.



Definitions.

Alimony: The high cost of leaving.

Good Manners: An endless series of personal sacrifices.

Column Writer: A chap who uses twelve-cylinder words to express four-cylinder ideas.

Husband: A person who never knows what he wants, for dinner but who growls like sixty when he doesn't get it.

Other People's Views.

Maybe the above sub-heading should read —"As others see us". As say rals here's the gist of a conversation Heard between two Air Force sergeants and a civilian at the Dominion Bank corner Saturday night as they were awaiting the arrival of the city bus. Apparently the two sergeants have been stationed at nearby R.C.A.F. bases for some time past, while the civilian, who was the target for embarrassing questions regarding Belleville, was endeavoring to provide the answers.

"Did you see that swell hockey game last night?" asked No. 1 Sergt.

"Yes, it's too bad the ice got so sticky", replied No. 2 Sergt.

"You'd think a nice city like Belleville would have artificial ice" interrupted No. 1.

This was the cue for the interested civilian, who meekly got in his nickels worth with the remark— "Well, we did have an artificial ice plant, but somewhere in the shuffle it was removed from the rink".

"Say, buddy, do they have a recreational centre in Belleville?" Sergt. No. 2 came back again.

"No".

"Is there any curling in Belleville?" asked No. 1. And again the reply was in the negative.

"You know there are seven or eight bowling alleys in Belleville, but a fellow can't get in the odd game owing to so many leagues operating. There's surely room for another alley here" remarked No. 2.

"Well, we have a nice lawn bowling club operating in the summer", interrupted the civilian, apparently trying to change the atmosphere.

"Well, that's nice. By the way have you a Parks Board here?" asked No. 1.

"Oh, yes, but they don't do a hell of a lot towards recreation for the youngsters", replied the civilian.

"What about the city council?" asked Sergt. No. 2.

"Oh, they're just as bad in that respect. They try to keep the assessment down as well as the tax rate, so you see what were up against", explained the civilian.

"That's too bad, and you have such a nice clean city too", remarked Sergt. No. 1 as the bus drew into sight.

"That's the way it goes in Belleville and I don't expect much of a change", remarked the civilian as the trio boarded the bus. Unfortunately the party to hear this part of the conversation couldn't get a seat to complete the interesting topic if such could be termed as "many business".

(And that folks, is how others see us.)

Around the Town

Local hockey fans will have the opportunity of comparing the merits of junior hockey played in the "Little Six" with that played elsewhere in the province when Tools Holway's locals tangle with Max Jackson's Kingston Vics at the Arena tomorrow night. . . . The Vics have been playing all season in the Kingston senior league against ex-professionals and named senior-players. . . . However, against strong junior "B" clubs Jackson's sextette haven't made any too impressive a record, having been beaten by Toronto Chewies, St. Mike's Thuners, Smiths Falls juniors and other such clubs. . . . In their league standing the Vics have won five and lost nine so of shuffle it. Local fans appreciate the good hockey that has been played in the "Little Six" and already the choice seats for Thursday night have been reserved. . . . The locals came out of the doom-brook in Stirling practically unscathed, although their first round of O.M.H.A. hockey, but not before being subjected to something of a physical beating in "Can."

Remember When,

George "Twinkletoes" Selkirk, so tickled he giggled himself out of wrestling into baseball, was put on the spot ten years ago today when he was named successor to Babe Ruth, the game's greatest homerun hitter. . . . The Canada-born player promptly made good and tickled the New York Yankee fans with a first-year batting average of .312.

KINGSTON "VICS" OPEN JUNIORO.H.A. PLAY-OFFS HERE

Respective League Scoring Records Show Belleville Kids Enjoy Edge Over Limestoners

Although playing in two vastly different leagues the scoring statistics of the Belleville juniors is more impressive than that of the Kingston. Victorias, who open the first round-hotter O.H.A. playdowns versus Toots Holway's local kids at the Ilimer Arena Thursday night. The series is home-and-home games with goals to count and the second game slated to be played in Kingston Saturday night. The winner of this round will meet Oshawa.

Coach Max Jackson's Kingston "Vics" have been playing all season in the Kingston Senior-City hockey league and at present are in sixth position in an eight clubbed loop. The Vics have won five and lost 9 in 14 starts. Seven games also played a number of exhibition games with junior clubs throughout the province.

The Victorias' scoring record shows that Max Jackson's sextette have registered 82 goals in 14 league games while having 94 scored against them. However, in 15 junior OHA games Jackson's "Little Six" Tools Holway's locals have netted a total of 92 goals and had but 35 scored against them. The Belleville team didn't lose a single game in the Little Six series and haven't been beaten since January 19th last. The Kingston Belleville series, that opens here on Thursday night is attracting wide attention throughout Eastern Ontario.

HERSHEY BEARS BEAT ST. LOUIS

By The Canadian Press

Hershey Bears, appearing for the last time in a scheduled American Hockey League game, defeated St. Louis, last night handed the latter their fourth successive defeat as they trounced their foes 4-1.

While the Bears fixed their eyes on the possible leadership of the league's eastern division now led by Buffalo Bisons, it appeared less than possible for the Flyers to climb out of their cellar position in the western division before the end of the scheduled games.

The Bears took the 4-3 decision after the Flyers had rallied up a four-goal lead in the first two periods. The Hershey scorers were Norm Calladine and Don Webster in the first frame and Hal Cooper and Fred Robertson in the second period.

Despite fast and aggressive play on the part of the Flyers in the final session when the tables were turned, St. Louis amassed only two goals by Art Giroux and Vic Lynn to bow finally to Hershey.

LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Canadian Press)

Standing: Canadiens, won 33, lost 5, tied 6, points 70.

Points: Lach, Canadiens, 21 goals, 46 assists, 67 points.

Goals: Richard, Canadiens, 43.

Assists: Lach, 46.

Penalties: Blake, Boston, 64 minutes.

Shutouts: McCool, Toronto 4; Karakas, Chicago, 4.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Brooklyn — Joe Peralta, 130, Tampa, Fla., outpointed Monte Pigmore, 140, Brooklyn, 8; Al Brunlon, 147, Brooklyn, knocked out Jimmy Allen, 139½, Philadelphia, (1).

Buffalo — Prentiss Hall, 162½, Buffalo, outpointed Izzy Jannazo, 156, New York, 8; Alex Ryzzle, 148, Garfield, N.J., outpointed Joe Miller, 149½, Buffalo, 6; Eddie Smith, 136, Rochester, N.Y., decisioned Jimmy Risso, 133, Hamilton, Ont., 6.

Bangor, Me.—Norman See, Montreal, knocked out Johnny Mahoney, New York, 3.

Cleveland — Jimmy Bivins, 186, Cleveland, outpointed Lee Savold, 206, Rochester, 10; Freddie Schutz, 207, Akron, T.K.O. Bob Blevins, Camp Millard, 4.

Miami — Bob Jacobs, 171, Philadelphia, outpointed Dicio Lee Oliver, 202, Washington, D.C. 10

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By Jimmy Hatlo



HAMILTON MAJORS WIN FIRST ONE

By The Canadian Press

Hamilton Majors advanced a stride toward the OHA senior crown last night by clipping of St. Catharines Saints 7-3 in the Hamilton arena to take the initial engagement of their best-of-seven playoff duel.

It was Hamilton all the way, with Dillon Brady and company collaborating three in a row in the opening period, two more in the second and adding a lone counter in the final session. Majors scored five straight before Red Reynolds hit the net for the Saints' first tally at 13:59 of the middle frame.

Brady, Shillington and Robertson all registered double scores for the winners, in the assist column, Shillington, Robertson and Mason all secured two credits and Brady set up the play for another goal. Reynolds and Concost divided the scoring honors for St. Elvis, Cooper being awarded two assists and Grant one.

Majors and Saints return to their hockey war for the second tussle of the series Friday night at St. Catharines.

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Sharkey Could Beat Dempsey Says Manager

Boston, Feb. 28 — (AP)—Johnny Buckley, manager of former heavyweight champion Jack Sharkey, doesn't like the idea of Jack Dempsey failing to list "My Boy" as one of the 10 best he ever met.

"Why Sharkey could lick him the best day he ever lived," said the ex-Navy hockey mentor and one his associate in the operation of a tavern with "the longest bar in Boston."

In fact, we could lick him today and we will if he gives us a match-all receipts to go for the benefit of servicemen."

"I mean that," Buckley said after scanning the list of the best 10 Dempsey gave out yesterday in San Francisco. Sharkey, who hung up his gloves a year ago was not available to speak for himself.

Sharkey could have beaten seven of the 10 men named by Dempsey, Johnny averred.

"Tunney and Cibbons were great fighters," Buckley agreed. "Fulton would have been a cinch for Sharkey; Gunboat Smith would have been easy; a Brennan bout would have been one-sided for Sharkey; Carpentier only weighed 158 — we would have beaten him, that's what the hell, he was a setup."

Johnny however, named them among others as the best he ever opposed. He didn't even give Sharkey honorable mention.

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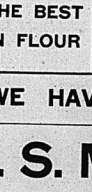
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By SAM GORDON
The Kibitzer

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To enjoy your bridge, there are only a few simple facts to take into consideration. If your partner starts with an opening bid of one, your first response is practically cut and dried for you.

With less than three tricks or less than two high cards, you pass. With three tricks including two high cards, you bid. When you bid, follow the order of choice in T-A-N; takout, assist, no trump.

With enough tricks to help make a game, one-jump your bid at once if you can; also two sure tricks. Without enough for game or two sure tricks, do not jump at once.

That's the cumulative impression you should carry with you in every deal. It will take care of you accurately with any hand in the world. And you can be stoically sure about it.

Yes, it-is, M-F-J!; Horse Sense is mighty fine bridge; so simple, so accurate, so free and easy on the response. What makes me so mad is that experts confuse it for no good reason at all.

Suppose your partner starts with an opening bid of one heart. Among other things, he promises five tricks. Make your first response with this hand:

♠A Q 9 5 2
♥Q 7 1 6
♦K 6 5 3
♣A 4

With seven tricks including two sure tricks you should one-jump at once. With a biddable spade suit, your immediate response should be a takeout to two spades.

A one-jump is a forcing-to-game signal. That gives your pair a chance to decide on 3NT; trump suit, if any. Thereafter, with the makings, you can look into the slam department.

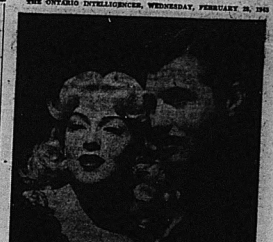
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AT THE CAPITOL — Anne Gillis, Elyse Knox, "Red" Marshall and Henry Youngman play featured roles in "A WAVE, a WAC and a Marine," next at the Capitol Theatre. On the same program "Cowboy from Lonesome River," starring Charles Starrett.



AT THE McCARTHY — This is a new photo of glamorous Vivien Leigh, who is co-starred with Laurence Olivier in "That Hamilton Woman," now at the McCarthy Theatre, with "Drums," starring Sabu.



AT THE BELLE — Lana Turner makes her long awaited return to the screen in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Marriage is a Private Affair," (above) and John Hodiak hare the leading roles opposite her.

"What we need are some faster tremely displeased with the club skaters," he said.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By FRED KERNER
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Toronto, Feb. 28 — (CP)—Today was to have been the day when Colonel Sargent of the C.A.H.A. was going to announce the results of the telegraphic vote taken among members of the executive as to the advisability of holding an All-Star Canada playoff. Instead, when results made their way back to hockey head during the weekend, the blow was struck on Monday.

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New This:

The same criticism and occasional favorable comment that the announcement made by Major Ian Eisenhardt with regard—if—the physical fitness branch of the Federal Health Department drew from sport columnists and commentators the country has faded from the sport picture. But one last suggestion must have merit. Instead, when results made their way back to hockey head during the weekend, the blow was struck on Monday.

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DAY DISPLEASED ALTHOUGH LEAFS TIED HAWKS 3-3

10,000 Watch So Called "Battle of Bums" at Gardens Tuesday Night

By EDDIE LEE
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

The great National Hockey League public, which usually hands hard things the hard way—by seeing for itself—hasn't changed a bit.

That's just what happened last night for the so-called "Battle of the Bums" between Toronto Maple Leafs and Chicago Black Hawks at Toronto.

The Leaf front office several days ago abandoned bally-hoo and predicted it should be a dreadful affair.

So 10,000 customers, more than Maple Leaf Gardens has seen in mid-week for months and months, came out to watch and saw the teams deadlock 3-3 in a surprisingly spirited display.

If they believed the published pre-game notices about earlier Leaf-Hawk battles and went to see how awful this one could be, they must have gone away disappointed.

They saw at least two full periods of keen-sport hockey rimmed midway through the final period when Bus Brayshaw manufactured the tying goal for Chicago. Bill Mosienko and Wilf Field contributed the other Chicago goals in the second period.

Art Jackson set Leafs on their way with a clean-cut first-period goal and Nick Metz and Ted Kennedy beat goalie Mike Karakas for the other two both in the final session.

Maple Leaf fans were pleased, the Toronto management was not. Coach Clarence (Hap) Day was unwilling to back down from his Monday night statement that he is "un-

LAST NIGHT'S STARS

(By The Canadian Press.)

Bill Mosienko, Chicago, who scored one goal and made the play for another when Black Hawks tied the game with 2-2 with Toronto Maple Leafs last night.

Recreation Alleys

Ladies' Afternoon League

Spoilers: 2 points: G. Belcher 568; M Shaddock 460; M. Mundry 504; E. Gilles 586; T. White 526 — 2643.

Reliables 0 points: G. Stewart 500; L. Cory 467; D. Allchurch 378; J. Doe 406; P. Rawson 475—2164.

Evening League

Storm 1 point: Keegan 506; Molloy 605; Bells 647; Martin 683; Halbert 431; Handicap 108—2770.

Yard 3 points: Johnston 602; Sunard 430; Shiler 617; Mills 484; Carson 542; Handicap 253—2646.

Wreckers 1 point: A. Meeks 595; Theobald 459; Young 580; Graham 551; Finnigan 647; Handicap 647—3234.

Movies Power 2 points: W. Meeks 449; Adams 476; Simons 540; Caton 577; Robinson 627; Schrieder 319; Handicap 324—3008.

Loafers 1 point: Clare 634; Young 435; Tufts 485; Galpin 523; Langman 586; Handicap 231—2804.

Office 1 points: C. Young 615; Bailey 543; Irwin 420; Menzies 484; Jackson 819; Handicap 117—3002.

Major B League

Just Us 2 points: M. Kelleher 493; L. Meenan 618; L. Wardhaugh 580; M. Hallam 498; R. Doolittle 544; Handicap 261—2792.

Cubs 1 points: W. Pennyleigon 597; G. Partington 531; Downey 331; Farrell-Lewis 532; Handicap 261—2782.

Miles and Stewart 2 points: A. Matthews 553; J. Semark 535; J. Barriage 567; A. Stewart 652; R. Arnott 596; Handicap 66—3002.

Saco 3 points: Dunlop 443; A. Hitchon 482; Handicap 77—602.

Pirates 0 points: Cox 531; J. Doe 474; Handicap 108 — 1113.

Black's Meat Market 0 points; M. Black 452; M. Mondeville 514; H. Salsbury 377; D. Huffman 516; J. Black 496; Handicap 579—2942.

Clare 3 points: Hamilton 553; Whiting 455; Plumpton 573; McDonald 602; Black 667; Handicap 417—3006.

Ladies' Two Games League

Hit and Miss points: P. Bowers 1239; H. Harvey 962; F. Domenico 943; H. Rose 1009.

Bank of Montreal: E. Johnson 956; I. Ford 770; V. Osler 997; J. Moore 930—1044.

Hawks 1 point: D. Ahrens 322; E. Wannamaker 176; O. Brown 540; I. Royle 277; P. Rawson 513; 312—1343.

O.D.S. 3 points: B. Russell 522; S. Adams 305; E. Field 594; D. Nash 258; P. Olbson 318—1972.

Doodles 2 points: H. Cooks 366; B. Frye 313; E. Frost 442; D. Brown 520; N. Phillips 334—1605.

Blue Streaks: A. Mills 351; J. Huffman 372; B. Ellis 364; M. Griffin 204; H. Hinman 305—1280.

Amateurs 0 points: N. Farmer 303; M. Farnan 318; J. Dawson 366; N. MacDonald 309; G. Clapp 224—1330.

Bombers 3 points: V. Carter 300; M. McClelland 390; K. Moore 261; M. Moore 278; E. Thompson 277—1306.

York Trading 0 points: L. Ferguson 243; B. Smith 306; J. Airey 178; G. Stanfield 308; J. Doe 223—1258.

Gabettes 2 points: B. Waite 334; O. Morris 270; M. De Geneva 235; L. Dent 340; D. Ellsworth 303—1572.

Major B League

K. of C. 3 points: Hatfield 413; Bowers 560; Root 666; Horrigan 381; Doran 459; Schrieder 564—2646.

Optical 1 point: D. Raymond 394; H. Murray 552; S. Weaver 586; J. Doyle 391; J. Doe 403—2419.

Callaghan Inc 3 points: C. Cornell 536; D. Tidyor 504; J. Callaghan 605; M. Callaghan 585; P. Cornell 503; M. J. Callaghan 570—3103.

ITOS 1 point: C. Ede 417; M. Gariepy 546; R. Bleecher 517; R. Shaw 509; C. Roper 390; E. Silver 569—3078.

Black Birds 1 point: Kerr 572; Cornell 394; Ward 509; Dixon 425; Deleeuw 606; Carson 545—3053.

Goodrich Oil 3 points: J. Hatfield 594; J. Sills 471; R. Titterson 577; P. Adams 527; H. Nokes 516; L. Hopkins 672—3237.

Hockey Results

By The Canadian Press
Senior O.H.A. Final

Hamilton Majors 7; St. Catharines Saints 2
(Hamilton leads best-of-seven series, 1-0)

Eastern United States Amateur League

Washington Lions 8; New York Rovers 6

Southern Saskatchewan Junior Finals

Moose Jaw Canucks 6; Regina Commandos 1
(Moose Jaw wins best-of-seven series, 4-0)

Manitoba Junior South Division Final

Winnipeg Rangers 5; Winnipeg Monarchs 4
(Monarchs lead best-of-five series, 2-1)

New Brunswick Senior Semi-Final Playoff

Saint John Beavers 5; Amherst Ramblers 3
(Saint John wins best-of-three series, 2-1)

Eastern Air Command Semi-Final Summerside Reconnaissance 23; Debert Hockey 1
(First of two game total-goal series. No decision yet made whether second game will be played in view of1 score.)

No. 1 Air Command Semi - Final Camp Borden RCAF 7; Trenton Flyers 6
(Camp Borden wins round 11-10.)

Quebec Senior

Ottawa Commandos 5; Hull Volants 2

Interprovincial Playoffs

Valleyfield Braves 7; Shawinigan Falls Cataracts 2
(Valleyfield leads best-of-seven series, 1-0)

Edmonton Junior Finals

Canadians 12; Athletic Club 3
(Canadians win best-of-five series, 3-0)

Northern Saskatchewan Junior Finals

Saskatoon Navy 8; Prince Albert four.
(Saskatoon wins best-of-five series, 3-0)

National Hockey League

	W	L	T	Pts.
Montreal	33	5	4	70
Detroit	27	13	4	58
Toronto	19	20	4	42
Boston	14	26	3	31
New York	10	23	7	27
Chicago	9	27	7	25

Tuesday: Chicago 3, Toronto 3.
Tonight: no games.

American Hockey League
Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pts.
Buffalo	27	19	7	61
Hershey	22	22	8	52
Providence	19	25	6	44

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pts.
Cleveland	26	14	9	61
Pittsburgh	24	17	8	56
Indianapolis	21	20	11	53
St. Louis	12	31	7	31

Tuesday: Hershey 4, St. Louis 3
Tonight: Providence at Cleveland; St. Louis at Pittsburgh; Indianapolis at Buffalo.

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THE SECRET OF THE MARSHBANKS

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

CHAPTER 9

Outwardly, it was all easy and delightful. Cherry came into her employer's room not long earlier than half past ten o'clock every morning, but later than seven, Mrs. Porter only lost sight of the girl for brief intervals thereafter until ten o'clock at night. Cherry had immediately discovered her appetite for flattery and had promptly gratified it in their first days together. Now she had to pay the price for this concession with constant pleasantries.

"I like you because you're so frank with me, Cherry," Mrs. Porter said to her once. "I told Emma that you were a blunt little thing and she was afraid I didn't like it. But I do! I love people to be absolutely frank with me."

Cherry had felt a little compunction at this. She was not really honest, she had reflected uncomfortably, when she listened so attentively to long personal letters about Maysie, Pidgie, and Eddy, her three children who had all distinguished hood; about Porteous Porter, and Dovey's father, the old railway baron Henry T. Challis, and a hundred other persons of whom she knew nothing. But after all, she had her living to make, and being agreeable was part of her job.

Years would often fill the old lady's eyes; she was constantly in pleasurable, emotional tears. She told Cherry of many trips, of wonderful opera nights and dinner parties in London and Paris, of artists who asked to paint her, of beautiful gowns which her extravagant husband had paid for—husband who was all lovely and loving; everyone who had ever come into contact with her had been sweet to the suffocation point. Cherry felt her jaws ache with suppressed yawns.

After their drive there was the elegantly had about an hour to herself while Mrs. Porter was dining in her room. At about eight Cherry went up from her own dinner to read to her, and employed until half past nine o'clock. Then Fanny, came in to start the slow ritual of the sponge bath, the change of clothing, the lavish rub, the administration of various pills and tablets and the carrying out of flowers, the opening of windows and lowering of lights that were all part of getting the lady to bed.

At this time Cherry sometimes took Mother, the wheezy fox-terrier around the block. She might meet housemaids and butlers out with other dogs; she rarely saw anyone else. But after the long, empty day it was great enough to get out into the cool, fresh dark, and see the white streamers of the fog pouring in from the west and feel the sweetness of it on her face.

With her first sight of Emma, Cherry had had the feeling that the long years since last they had met were as nothing; and that she was a little girl of seven again, living in a small tiled house with a patio and a fountain, and running to and out of the bedroom where her mother lay always in bed. A thousand details, half forgotten until now, had rushed back to her, and she had longed for the moment when Emma, too, should recall Emma of the past.

But the days went by she began to perceive that that moment might never come. Emma had given a trilogy under question meeting her; there had never been any reference or even unfriendly in her manner, but there was a great wall between her and Cherry, and over that wall the girl could not see much as peep. Emma's quiet unfriendliness ruffled calm and abstraction were too daunting for even Cherry's eagerness. Whatever there had once been between Emma and Cherry the old nurse conceded nothing now; she was civil, she was willing to discuss what was headlined in the newspapers and the trifling daily affairs of the old lady upstairs, but there she stopped. She could not even frame the sentences that would lead to references to the past they had shared.

She and Emma had their meals in a small room off the big pantry downstairs. This room had been cut from the end of the conservatory that was full of ferns and begonias; it held just their table and their two chairs. But Keno and Fairfowl served them quite as daintily and capably as if they had been guests at a banquet, and Ming Wo sent them in meals only too delicious and tempting.

Mrs. Porter spent long, contented evenings playing solitaire with her white, heavily ringed fat hands, and listening to Cherry reading The Heart of Midlothian or Little Dorrit. The Rosary was her favorite story among them, and one night when she loved Tennyson's poetry and begged to have that read to her at odd moments but often she liked best to have the reading stop and to have Cherry turn her games and talk to her. At such times Cherry kept an eye on the clock and wondered if its hands would ever move around to half past nine.

At long intervals there was a dinner party at the Porter residence or a dozen smartly dressed women came to spend the day on the flattery and the attentive listening to which their cocktails with her upstairs and to dessert to have dinner by themselves.

Cherry learned, with shopping for her employer and infinite discussion and decision regarding the disposition and wrapping and mailing of gifts and the manifold duties of the long day, that she was busy enough. But it was not a satisfactory busyness; it left her feeling wearied without ever having accomplished anything.

To include any exercise at all in the twenty-four hours she performed the habit of riding early and taking a long walk about the streets or into the eucalyptus-shaded roads of the Presidio before breakfast.

But the freshness and sparkle of these winter mornings life seemed exhilarating enough. But after her breakfast she learned with incredipidity of the Porter mansion enwhelped. Well, anyway, I got my first pay yesterday and I'm going to buy myself a hat I saw on Polk Street, and love to everyone, Madeleine especially, and Elizabeth and all the Shriners and girls."

One day Cherry took an adventure. It came on a quiet, foggy afternoon when all the world seemed dull and quiet. Cherry was driving with Mrs. Porter when her companion said suddenly, "Look there — wait a minute—stop him!"

Automatically obeying these instructions Cherry seized the speaking tube and Merryweather drew up at the right-hand side of the road. Then the girl saw two bay horses carrying a man and woman were pacing along one of the bridle paths, and that the woman was Fran Marshbanks and the man Kelly Coates.

In response to old Mrs. Porter's gesticulations and her voice at the window she was energetically reined her horse close to the car and Fran gave Cherry two seconds' smiles and nod, and Kelly saluted her by touching his cap with his whip. He was presented to Mrs. Porter, and as the two women fell into a discussion of the life of Francesca for a series of concerts, he rode around the back and chatted with Cherry at her open window.

"Well, Miss—I have to call you Cherry, I've forgotten the other name—he began.

"Oh, do!" said Cherry, the dull park breaking into sparkles, the white winter sky turned June.

"Cherry then. What have you done to yourself? you look like another woman!"

"It's my hat," said Cherry. The Polk street creation was on her head, a picturesque hat that came far down over the streaked gold and brown of her hair.

She had on her favorite of the three dresses she had brought her, too—navy blue with two silver buttons on the pocket and belt clips. The brown coat was not quite an entirely fortunate note, but she loved the coat, and her happy feeling of this moment was that she was looking her best.

"It's more than your hat," Kelly assured her. "You've washed your face, too."

Her laugh rang out; he had not heard her laugh before, and as it had impressed Judson Marshbanks at the convent a month or so earlier, it impressed the younger man now as being extraordinarily fresh and pleasant.

He was tired that night and dirty and in his old cavalry uniform," she told him suddenly serious. "I was horribly unhappy that night."

"Unhappy!" he was genuinely surprised and concerned.

"Yes. I—well, I was," she said, a little ashamed now that she was embarked on confidence.

"But why? I thought you were sort of thrilled at coming down—Judge Marshbanks didn't tell us much about you, but I thought he said you'd been shut up in a convent most of your life."

"You're not 'shut up' in a convent, Cherry corrected. "You're really freer than other people. Can she know?"

He was traveling over her face; he was only half listening. "I don't know, now," he said absently.

"Any way, I saw Amy—dressed and had a good time to party," Cherry pursued, too hungry for sympathy, too dizzy with the relief of speaking to remember at last to her own terms to be 'cautious.' "and I'd never been in a country that before, and I knew I didn't belong there."

"How do you mean you didn't belong there?" he demanded, as she paused.

"Well, I didn't. I'd never seen a place like that."

"Like what?"

"Like Judge Marshbanks' house."

He looked at her a long time, thoughtfully. Or at least, if only for a few seconds, it seemed a long time to Cherry. She felt the warm color her cheeks and the slow beat of her heart.

"I suppose that's true," Kelly said at last in a hurried tone. "I'd read about girls making their way. Cherry pursued warmed to the very soul by his attentive sympathetic and half-amused look, "and certain and all sorts. But somehow, just that night, to see her so sad, and so happy and having such a wonderful time when I was horribly tired and I knew I looked so awful.

"Well, of course," he agreed quickly, as she paused in a sort of shame and embarrassment. "Amy you mean?"

"Amy."

She's not having such a wonderful time," he said. "It's all company and the trifling daily affairs of other girls are having a slightly better time, and that drives her wild. Mrs. Marshbanks, Fran, was speaking of it just a few minutes ago, and say-ing what a wonderful—"

"Oh, girls are fools all right," Cherry agreed, meekly, and as the man laughed with her, too.

"Mr. Coates," old Mrs. Porter said, breaking into the conversation and leaning across Cherry to catch his attention.

"Frances has promised to bring Amy to dinner with her two weeks from Thursday, and I want you to come too."

"I'm a dead loss at dinners," Kelly said laughing. "You'll never ask me again."

"Well, we'll see about that," said the old lady with light feather. "But you come, now! My nephew George's daughter, Dorothy Page-Smith, is going to be here—coming up with her mother from Santa Barbara, and I want all the she's been breakin' all hearts, and I want her to meet Amy and some of the other youngsters."

"Jud may be here; he gets back from Portland tonight," Fran said. "But he may have to go right back again. So Mr., Coates will acquire me. I'll guarantee him."

"And you tell Mrs. Dickson to get Mary Trainor and Lizzie Block on that committee!" Mrs. Porter adjured her vigorously.

"I will. I've not been going to the meetings, more shame to me," said Fran, "but I'm going tomorrow and I'll do what I can."

"And you tell 'em Cherry'll send them my check for two hundred."

"I'll tell them." Fran did not say anything about the generous check for one. And Cherry manfancied that her employer looked just a little crushed and disappointed as the riders cantered away on the bridle path again.

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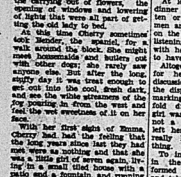
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—4.00 p.m.
CBL—Serenade and Enjoy Music.
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—4.45 p.m.
CFRB—Wm. McKnight, sports.
—5.45 p.m.
WBEN—Lowell Thomas.
CBC—BBC News.
—6.30 p.m.
CFRB—Can You Say That?
—7.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Supper Club.
WEBW-CBS—Kirkwood Show.
—7.30 p.m.
WBEN, WGY-N—Vandercook, news.
—7.55 p.m.
WBEN—Ted Kaltenborn.
—8.00 p.m.
WBEN, WGY—Mr. and Mrs. North.
CFRB-CBC—Jack Carson Show.
—8.15 p.m.
CFRB-MBS—Sunny Skylar.
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WBEN-NBC—Carlton of Cheers.
CJBC—The Listening Girls.
WGR-B—My Best Girls.
WJR, WKBW-CBS—Dr. Christian.
—9.00 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—Eddie Cantor.
WEBW-CBS—Frederic Hazara.
WGR-Blue—Keep Up.
—9.30 p.m.
WBEN-NBC—District Attorney.
WEBW-CBS—Which is Which.
—10.00 p.m.
CBL, CKOC—News.
WBEN-CBS—Ellery Kyser.
CFRB-CBS—Great Music.
—10.15 p.m.
CBL—"The Soldier's Return."
—10.30 p.m.
WGR-B—Scramby Amby.
CBL—Piano Masterworks.
CJBC—Dance Festival.
CKEY—Horace Lapp orch.
WKBW-CBS—Dan Seymour.
—11.00 p.m.
CBL—BBC Radio Newsreel.
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—11.30 p.m.
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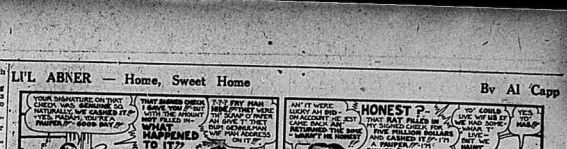
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Famous British Submarine Lost

London, Feb. 26 — (CP)—H.M.S. Porpoise, the British mine-running submarine which early in June escaped Malta by sneaking supplies to its starving garrison, has been lost.

No details of the sinking were given in the Admiralty communique. Britain's most famous submarine apparently disappeared without trace on a patrol.

The story of the Porpoise and her daring: 14 months running supplies from ammunition to mail to Malta, was told in January, 1943. She was the first underwater craft to embark a cargo of high-test aviation gasoline for RAF planes in Malta, a cargo which turned her into a mobile mass of explosives that might be set off by a jar from enemy ships and aircraft attempting to stop her.

"We took out one of our 50-ton batteries and in its place stacked 46 tons of petrol and ammunition boxes, mail—mail—mail from home is good for morale," said Lieutenant-Commander Bingham, then her commander. "We took the spare tube pedoes out of the torpedo room and filled it with 4,000 gallons of kerosene bags. The total load was 10 tons." Another trip—this initial trip—came to be more or less a "dash case" to the Malta garrison, and "we had to take them in breakfast, lunch, tea and dinner."

Air Cadet Corps Will Continue Their Activities

The Royal Canadian Air Force will continue its support and interest in the air cadet movement following the war with the object of using providing a recruited feeder for peacetime activities of the R.C.A.F. according to Flt. Lt. Dawson C. Floyd, commanding officer of the local air cadet corps.

Consequent to the decision of the R.C.A.F. to continue its support and partially through wishes of the air cadet members, the Belleville corps will be continued, it was stated. This was the decision of the local committee following a meeting to decide future activities of the air cadet movement in this city.

But henceforth the cadet problems may well be the greatest with which the Belleville air cadets will have to face. Because with the completion of the five year period of financial support afforded by the Canada Cadet Club, the Belleville air cadet corps is going to be "on its own." To help finance the corps' activities for the new months a national tag day for June 2nd will be sponsored by the Air Cadet League of Canada.

Appreciate Rotary Assistance ... Although the Belleville Rotary Club has seen fit to discontinue its financial support to the Air Cadet movement in Belleville, local cadets were loud in their praise of the assistance rendered to the local corps during its formative period. From 1941 past two years the Rotary Club has been sponsor of the local corps, a committee approximately $2,000 for the purchase of uniforms and other equipment and for this assistance Belleville's detachment of cadet officials was expressed.

Indicative of the interest taken in the local Air Cadet movement in Belleville approximately 80 youths, 16 from the city and 64 from Albert College, meet regularly twice each week to attend lectures and drill.

Monday evenings the boys meet at the Collegiate for classroom studies in navigation, theory of flight, and administration, while Friday evenings the boys report regularly at the Armories for rifle drill, etc.

Hear Fines' Experiences

To retain interest of Air Cadet members the Air Cadets command has obtained the services of veterans with combat experience overseas to tell of their experiences to corps members across Canada. Programs calls for one of these returned airmen to visit each corps approximately once each month.

This week Flight Lieut. V. E. Scott, formerly of Oshawa, and recently repatriated from a prison camp, spoke to members of the Belleville corps telling of his experiences during the two successive tours of operations in the Mediterranean war theatre.

Noted Sunday School Worker Addresses Young People's Unions

Approximately 60 members of the three young people's unions from Bridge Street United Church, Trinity and Holloway Street met in the latter church Sunday evening during a combined Fireside Hour to hear their forward Movement Leader Miss Ruth Simpson of Toronto address them on "Christian Service."

Also attending at the fireside hour were representatives of the Centenary Y.P.U. The guest speaker was introduced by Miss Maude Burke with Miss Douglas from the Centenary Y.P.U. expressing appreciation of the gathering.

During her address Miss Simpson emphasized that there is no people's lives there is a purpose much bigger than self and that this purpose must be accomplished before they can become useful Christians. She also impressed upon the listeners the importance of a definite aim in life without which disappointment life as being a journey without a guide.

During the business period following the address Miss Simpson was discussed with Y.P.U. members individually.

The meeting opened with a worship service led by Misses Maude Burke, Peggy Woollard and Helen Arnott, while following the business period Miss Simpson led a spirited community singing. Misses Ann English and Norma Arkles favored with a vocal duet.

Assistant secretary in Sunday School work for the United Church, and supervisor of Sunday School in the home and on the air, Miss Simpson was brought to Belleville by the Quinte Presbyterial District Y.P.U. which is promoting the Forward Movement, in the Belleville area. She is also the guest speaker at the regular Sunday evening service at Holloway Church.

TO EDUCATE PEDESTRIANS

Hamilton, Feb. 26. (CP)—Hamilton police in co-operation with street railway and inter-urban bus companies will make a determined effort to educate the public to line up in an orderly manner at certain bus stops in downtown Hamilton, Ont.

SECURITY MARKETS

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Aldermac	18	18
Augar	400	
Bidgood	1.13	
Beattie	173	
Bidgood	42	
Brakeman	17	1-2
Broulan	75	
Buffalo Ank	5.65B	
Calgary and Ed.	199	
Central Pat	340	
Chesterville	220	
Dome	28	1-2
Eldorado	189	
East Mal	295	
Falconbridge	54GB	
Francoeur	67B	
Gillies L.	30	
Hardrock	84	
Home Oil	390	
Hollinger	429	
Hudson Bay	26	
Kerr Add	13	7-8
Kirk Lake	119	
Lake Shore	28B	
Lorado	143	
Little L. L.	190	
Macassa	430	
McIntyre	85	1-2
McKenzie	68	
McKenzie	146	
Moneta	90	
Obrien	270	
Orange	61	
Paymaster	41	
Pamour	166	
Perron	154	
Pend. Oreille	150	
Pickle Crow	360	
Pioneer	670	
Powell	1903	
Preston E. D.	300	
Royalite	20	1-2
San Antonio	475	
Sherritt G.	78	

Sisco	70	
Sullivan	166	
Sharp Lake	310	
Sylvanite	290	
Upper Can.	68	
Ventures	16	1-4
W. Amulet	49	
TORONTO		
Bell Telephone	161B	
B.A. Oil	34	7-8
Brazilian Corp.	10	1-4
Brai. Trac.	35	3-8
Can. Cement	10	
Can. Ind. Alcohol	7B	
C.P.R.	14	1-2
Canada Car	11	3-4
Can. Cleaning	59	
Dominion Foundries	26	1-2
Dominion Stores	15	3-8
Famy Farmer	38	1-2
Ford "A"	36	1-2
Gypsum	10	1-4
Imp. Oil	14	1-4
Int. Nickel	41	1-4
Inter. Pet.	22	7-8
Imp. Tobacco	13	1-8
Loblaw 27		
Massey Harris	9	1-8B
Steel of Canada	27	3-4
Walker's	73	
Weston "A"	21	1-2B
P.C.A.	9	1-4
Maple Leaf	10	1-2
NEW YORK		
American T. and T.	168	1-4
Anaconda	33	1-2
Bethlehem Steel	74	
Chrysler	102	1-4
General Electric	42	3-8
General Motors	68	
North American	22	7-8
Radio	13	1-4
U.S. Steel	64	
United Aircraft	31	3-8

TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, Feb. 26 —(CP)— Trading of a less active afternoon on Toronto Exchange with 526,000 shares changing hands. Golds and industrials were higher, base metals held unchanged.

Pioneer posted a gain of 40 cents, closing at 6.70, Louisiaure was up 10 or more and smaller gains were boarded by Wrightargentine, Premier, Chibougamau Wilsons, West Malartic, Bobjo, Base metals advanced with Sudbury Ventures and Hudson Bay gaining ½ or more. Mining

Talk on Mooseheart Heard by Moose Lodge

Approximately 35 members of the local Moose Lodge No. 1004 and their friends gathered at the Lodge Hotel on Tuesday evening to enjoy a social evening and to hear of activities at Mooseheart, Illinois, as related by one of the Order's officials. A number of applications from persons desirous of becoming Moose members were also received during the evening.

In the absence of Bro. Harry Reed, of Toronto, Bro. Conor Pierce, of Trenton, Grand Prelate for Ontario, acted as guest speaker for the evening giving members and their friends a very enlightening talk on Mooseheart, the home of the Order, where children of deceased members are educated.

He described Mooseheart as situated on 1,100 acres of land in the state of Illinois and representative of an investment by the Order of more than $5,000,000 in buildings. Children stay at Mooseheart until they graduate, the age of 18 with a high school education. There are more than 1,000 children.

Brother Albert Farrar of Trenton Lodge, recently returned from Mooseheaven in Florida, kept the audience laughing and relating human interest stories of activities at the estate. Photographs taken during his visit to Mooseheaven were exhibited during the meeting. Residents at Mooseheaven live in closely grouped cottages and if able assist in the work connected with the home. For those services they receive a small salary. In addition to food, clothing and housing facilities, the meeting refreshments were served and a social time spent by the members and their guests.

Corporation gained 25 and Steep Rock 4 on a turnover of 3 cents.

The tone was irregular in industrials for the utilities, foods, papers and investments. Golds and distillers-Seagrams gained ¼ and Hiram Walker was down ¼. Senior oils held steady.

WALL STREET

New York, Feb. 26 (AP) — The stock market registered further broad strength today as the momentum of the sudden buying wave which developed late in yesterday's close.

The investment was reanimated by an opening rise of about a point in U.S. Steel on a 5,000 share trade. Bidding for a wide list of market leaders was brisk, establishing general advances of fractions to around 2 points.

Profit selling stemmed the advance around midday but after a brief pause many of the leaders started ahead again and were around the day's high near the fourth hour.

Leaders of the upturn included Chrysler, Douglas Aircraft, Westinghouse, Johns-Manville, Western Union, Radio Corp. Service of N.J., Goodyear, Goodrich, Sears Roebuck, U.S. Southern Railway and Great Northern.

Canadian stocks also were strong. C.P.R. and Dome Mines each gained 1-8 and Distillers Seagrams 1-2. Lake Shore moved up 8-8.

MONTREAL LIVESTOCK

Montreal, Feb. 26 — (CP) — Receipts: Cattle 41, lambs 9, hogs 234, calves 101.

Limited demand of medium good to good quality steers made 13.26. Common steers sold at 10.50 to 12.50. Good cows were 9.50 and bologna 6.50-8.25.

Veal calves 10-15 for the best. Heifers very dragey. A few small lots went at 14.50. Lambs unchanged, carloads of grassers were unsold. Hogs 18.50 for Grade A. Sows 16.50-16.

HOGS

Toronto, Feb. 26. (CP)—Grade A, dressed, delivered, sold to 20 cents at Stratford, up 10 cents at Toronto, Kitchener and were unchanged at either Bacon-Hog Markets reported for early today— Stratford, to farmers 17.70, to truckers, 17.85; Hyd ell Hill, Hanson 17.70; Barrie 17.85; Brantford, plus transportation $17.60.

Dressed hogs showed a further advance today with the price to farmers now $17.85 and to truckers $18, up 15 cents from the morning.

Moose Jaw Editor Saskatchewan's New Lieutenant-Governor

Regina, Feb. 26 (CP) — Whitehead, journalist, Thomas Miller, known everywhere in Saskatchewan as "Tom Miller, Moose Jaw editor," was on his way back from a visit to the Pacific Coast today to assume his duties as Lieutenant-Governor of Saskatchewan.

Thomas Miller Macmeute King at 4:30 p.m. last night announced the appointment of Mr. Miller to succeed 80-year-old Hon. A. P. McPhail, Lieutenant Governor whose term of office expired today.

Mr. Miller headed for Regina, uncertain of when he would be filled The C.C.F. government introduced in the legislature a bill which would abolish Government House as the official residence of the Lieutenant-Governor. The government plans to make the residence into a Home for the Aged or for girls. Housing accommodation has been difficult to find in Regina for several years. In recent years Ontario and Alberta also have closed Government Houses as official residences. Only New Brunswick has not had one for many years.

Mr. Miller is managing-director of the Commonwealth Company Limited of Moose Jaw, which publishes the Daily Times-Herald. At that city but he is best known in his capacity as managing editor of the newspaper.

Born in Saskatchewan in the province, he started his career as a printer's devil on the staff of the Regina Standard just after he had finished high school. He was in the Saskatchewan capital, ten years ago he grew.

His father, a railway section foreman, came to Regina when Thomas Miller was four years old. Valley, Ont., in 1876 as the 10th in a family of 11 children.

Mr. Miller has long been active in local party activities and only last month was elected provincial President of the Saskatchewan Liberal Association.

Bloomfield Sky Chiefs Defeat R.C.A.F. 2-1

Picton, Feb. 26 — Bloomfield Sky Chiefs won the first game of Prince Edward County Hockey League playoffs here 2-1 win over the favored Picton R.C.A.F. team before a big three games out of five. The first period was scoreless but Ken Hall and Keith McDougall's shot was stopped by the Picton goalie. Hall, however, Parks got the rebound to score, but minutes later. Tessier tieg it up. With but two minutes to the final period, Trumpour picked up a loose puck and scored the win, but time for the face-off when the final was sounded.

ROTHOUSE PRODUCTION

Glenoro, Ont., Feb. 26 (CP)— Hothouse production of shoots during the Winter months by a method introduced successfully last year by Glenoro Farm, Ontario Agricultural College has proved more profitable this winter. Encouraged by the success last year he raised twenty, he stepped up output in 1945 to twenty-two.

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Teachers' Federation Meets at Rednersville

A meeting of the Teachers' Federation was held in Rednersville School, the guest of Mr. J. Chard, principal.

A report was given by Mr. C. M. L. Snider on Educational Finance. The collection which was taken up for war purposes, amounted to $4.43.

The following gave helpful suggestions and ideas for assistance: Mrs. Lovett, Miss Corke, Miss Wallbridge and Miss Kelly.

The main feature of the evening was a silent movie on New Zealand, the Maoriues and Skiing in Gloudland, shown by Mr. Chard.

A vote of thanks was moved by Miss Viola Wallace. As the close of the meeting dainty refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be held at Miss Betty Redner's school, S. S. No. 10, Ameliasburg, April 16th at 1 p.m. Cora Farm of craft work will be outlined in which each teacher will participate and there will also be a question box.

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Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received at the City Hall, Belleville, until 12 noon, Thursday, March 8th, for the collection and disposal of garbage, ashes and all other refuse for the period of 2 years from April 1st, 1945, all garbage to be disposed of within the Boundaries of the City.

The Contractor to furnish own equipment and specify type of equipment to be used. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish a Surety Bond from a reliable Company, for the successful performance of his contract, also to carry the Workmen's Compensation, public liability, and property damage insurance at his own expense.

Forms of tender and further information may be obtained from the City Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. D. BATEMAN,
Comptroller.
P14,21,28

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF HARRIET ANN GAY, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of Harriet Ann Gay, late of the Township of Ameliasburg, in the County of Prince Edward, Widow, deceased, who died on or about the 16th. day of January, A.D. 1945, are required to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned, on or before the 31st. day of March, 1945.

AND NOTICE is further given that after the said date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to such claims as he shall then have had notice.

DATED this 26th. day of February, A.D., 1945.

Porter, Payne & Arnott,
219 Front Street,
Belleville, Ontario.
Solicitors for the Executors.
P21,28,M7

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM ALBERT HOLMES, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 56, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of William Albert Holmes, late of the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, who died on the 6th day of March, A.D. 1942, are requested to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned on or before the 2nd. day of March, 1945.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said date the executors will distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have notice.

DATED at Belleville, Ontario, this 19th. day of February, A.D. 1945.

EDWARD E. FOLLWELL,
Barrister, &c.
Belleville, Ontario.
Solicitor for the executors.
P14,21,28

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SKIS AND SKATES, SIZE 8; seal coat, size 18. Phone 2536J. 11

FARM FOR SALE — 12 MILES from Belleville, 100 acres, 50 cultivable; good bush and pasture; good buildings, bank barn; good wells and creek. Immediate possession. Reasonable. Write A. MacDonald, 34 Church St., Belleville, Ont. P28,M3,10,17,24,31

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NINE ACRES OF GARDEN LAND for sale. Apply Ewart Cashman Co., Belleville. P26-3t

ONE ACME RANGE WITH STOVE pipes. Price $30 also 2½ ton. Apply 318 Front St. P26-3t

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